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Serial No.	No. and date of letter and address.	Subject.	Abstract.	Reference.
		1853.		
1	No. 657, dated 4th February 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Abolition of Board and appointment of a Chief Commissioner and Judicial and Financial Commissioners.	Intimates the abolition of the Board of Administration and directs that the governing authority shall be placed in the hands of a single officer, to be styled the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, who is to be aided by a Judicial and a Financial Commissioner. Annexes copy of a resolution containing a specification of the future distribution of powers and duties. Appoints Mr. John Lawrence, Chief Commissioner, Messrs. R. Montgomery and G. F. Edmonstone, Judicial and Financial Commissioners, respectively, and Mr. G. C. Barnes, Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, in succession to Mr. Edmonstone.	Progs. for the week ending 19th February 1853 Nos. 8-9
	No. 1, dated 11th February 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—R. Montgomery, Esquire, Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and of the Resolution enclosed in it. Requests he will assume charge of the office to which he has been appointed, and that he will organize the office establishment on as economical a footing as may be consistent with efficiency. Adds that a copy of the Government Resolution has been sent to all Commissioners, with instructions to address him on all matters in his Department.	
	No. 2, dated 11th February 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—G. F. Edmonstone, Esquire, Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the Government letter and of its enclosure, and requests he will join his appointment at as early a date as possible. States that the Chief Commissioner will himself conduct the duties of Mr. Edmonstone's office, in conjunction with his own, until Mr. Edmonstone's arrival, and instructs him as to organizing his office establishment so that no additional charge whatever will be incurred in respect to it under the new arrangements.	
	Circular No. 1—3, dated 11th February 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	Circulates a copy of the Government letter and of its enclosure and instructs them as to the address of all letters on subjects which now belong to the Departments of the Judicial and Financial Commissioners. Adds that until Mr. Edmonstone joins his appointment, the Chief Commissioner will himself conduct the duties of that officer, in conjunction with his own.	
	No. 4, dated 11th February 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—G. C. Barnes, Esquire.	Ditto	Informs Mr. G. C. Barnes that he is appointed to succeed Mr. Edmonstone as Commissioner in the Cis-Sutlej States, and requests him to join his appointment accordingly.	

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2	No. 79, dated 28th January 1853.. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Annual requirements for cadre of Covenanted Civil Servants.	Requests early transmission of the Nos. 8-9, statements of the Covenanted Civil Servants in the Punjab, with a view to enabling Government to submit the usual annual indent to the Hon'ble the Court of Directors.	Progs. for the week ending 19th February 1853— Nos. 1-6.
	No. 2-6, dated 12th February 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.	Ditto Proportion of Military officers to Civil Servants.	Replies that there are 56 appointments held by Covenanted Civil Servants, and that the number reported in the Board's letter of the 14th February last was 46. Remarks that there are now 36 appointments held in the Punjab by Military men, and, of these, there is no reason why all, with the exception of the Military Secretaryship and (for the present) the Commissionership of Peshawar, should not, if this were considered desirable, be held by Civil Servants. Adds that the proportion of Civil Servants to Military men is greater than it was last year. There were then 46 Civil Servants and 41 Military men. There are now 50 of the former and 36 of the latter.	
3	No. 7, dated 12th February 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Punjab; To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Abolition of Board and appointment of a Chief Commissioner and Judicial and Financial Commissioners.	Annexes; for his information; copy of the Government letter and of the Resolution enclosed, abolishing the Board, and, with reference to paragraphs 5, 6, 7 and 13, adds that, on all questions detailed in these paragraphs, he and the officers of his Department should communicate with the Commissioners of Divisions, and, either through them or direct, as may appear in each case expedient, with the Judicial and Financial Commissioners. Requests that in all other matters the Civil Engineer will communicate direct with the Chief Commissioner.	Nos. 10—12.
	Nos. 8 & 9, dated 12th February 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Copies of the preceding forwarded, for circulation.	
4	No. 215, dated 12th February 1853 From—Lieutenant Glover, Assistant to the Civil Engineer. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Alterations in Anarkali cantonment.	Submits a Memo. of the alterations which the Civil Engineer proposes to adopt for the cantonment of Anarkali, a plan and list of houses, and an estimate for their repairs, amounting to Rs. 5,690-11-8. Observes that the houses generally are in good order; but repairs are required to all.	Nos. 14-15.

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4—*concld.*	No. 11, dated 16th February 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Alterations in Anarkali cantonment. Assesment of rents. Houses to be sold at a fair valuation.	Concurs in all the proposals contained in the Memo., with the exception that the rent of Rs. 12 and 15 per mensem for each room is too high. Suggests that the rates be reduced to Rs. 8 and 12 respectively, and that parties be allowed to purchase houses at a fair valuation, the Chief Commissioner being of opinion that it would be in the end the most economical arrangement for Government. Adds that the Chief Commissioner thinks it would be a preferable arrangement to place the houses in charge of a respectable native, to whom a salary of Rs. 40 per mensem may be given. States that, on receipt of his reply, Government sanction will be solicited to the proposed arrangement, and pending its receipt, directs that no buildings be pulled down, but the arrangements for rent and conservancy should be enforced at once.	Progs. for the week ending 19th February 1853— Nos. 14-15.
5	No. 12, dated 16th February 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Sheep's wool	Returns the original enclosures of his predecessor's letter No. 16, dated 16th ultimo, regarding the supply, quality and price of sheep's wool.	No. 16.
6	No. 673, dated 4th February 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Head-quarters of Kangra district transferred to Dharmsala.	In reply to the Board's letter No. 51, dated the 13th ultimo, conveys sanction to the transfer of the head-quarters of the Kangra district to Dharmsala, and to the other arrangements proposed in consequence of this change. States that it will be an essential condition of the present arrangement that one Assistant Commissioner must always be stationed at Kangra.	Nos. 17-18.
	No. 13, dated 16th February 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the correspondence.	
7	No. 23, dated 18th February 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Monsieur Marcadieu; Superintendent of the Punjab Geological Survey.	Results of previous geological researches. Work in Kangra.	Informs M. Marcadieu what has been done by his predecessors and the result of their researches, and furnishes him with Dr. Fleming's report and the maps which accompanied it. States that Leiutenant Glover, of the Engineers, has offered his services to explain the contents in the French language. Suggests that he should commence with the Kangra hills, examining first the skirts and lower ground and proceeding, when the weather gets hot, to the interior of the hill region. Instructs him generally as to his future proceedings.	No. 35.

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8	No. 24, dated 18th February 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Monsieur Marcadieu, Superintendent, Geological Survey.	Impregnation of soil with salts (*kalar*).	Referring to the saline matter which impregnates the soil of the Punjab, especially in the neighbourhood of Lahore, and which is injurious to vegetation, requests M. Marcadieu to consider whether some chemical expedient or remedy could not be devised for neutralising the salt at no great expense. Forwards an abstract on the subject of the soil from the report of an officer who lately gave his attention to the matter.	Progs. for the week ending 19th February 1853—No. 36.
9	No. 25, dated 18th February 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—W. Theobald, Esquire.	Appointment of an Assistant Superintendent for geological research.	Informs Mr. W. Theobald that the Government sof India have appointed him As istant to M. Marcadieu for the prosecution of geological research in the Punjab, and requests him to proceed immediately to Lahore and join M. Marcadieu, who has arrived here.	No. 37.
10	No. 93, dated 10th February 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Glossary of Punjabi terms.	In reply to the Board's Circulars No. 44, of the 12th December 1850, and No. 21, of the 15th December 1851, reports that the several District Officers have received the returns from their Tahsildars, preparatory to the preparation of a glossary, which they will put in shape when they have leisure from more important duties. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 45.
11	No. 212, dated 9th February 1853 From—Superintending Surgeon S. Curling. To—The Secretary to the Board of Administration, Punjab.	Epidemic in Yusafzai.	Reports Dr. Lyall's mission to Yusafzai to aid the inhabitants.	Nos. 48—50.
	No. 220, dated 13th February 1853 From—Superintending-Surgeon S. Curling. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of a letter from Dr. Lyall regarding the nature of the malady in Yusafzai.	
12	Dated 21st February 1853 .. From—H. Cope, Esquire, Secretary, Punjab Agri-Horticultural Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Specimens of wool and silk, and of a yellow dye.	Forwards a copy of a Resolution passed at a meeting of the Agri-Horticultural Society, with 42 specimens of sheep s and goats' wool and recommends that, in accordance with the Resolution, the specimens sent may be transmitted to the home authorities, with the view of eliciting an authoritative opinion as to the quality and value of theseveral wools produced in the Punjab. Forwards also a parcel of silk, produced at Jaindpur near Rawalpindi, and a maund of brilliant yellow silk dye st ff, and suggests that, on its arrival in England, a small quantity may be submitted to Dr. Playfair for chemical examination and the bulk to some firm of reputation as silk dyers, with a request that they be severally solicited to give their opinion as to its value.	Progs. for the week ending 26th Fe ruary 1853—Nos. 24—6.

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12—*concld.*	No. 23-41, dated 23rd February 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Specimens of wool and silk and of a yellow dye.	Forwards a copy of the above, with the several specimens of wool and the dye stuff which accompanied it, and recommends that the suggestions made in Mr. Cope's letter be acted upon. Explains that the specimens of wool were collected by District Officers, under instructions from the Board of Administration, and that several reports which have been received on the subject of the trade have been published in the Society's proceedings.	Progs. for the week ending 26th February 1853— Nos. 24—6.
13	No. 330, dated 14th February 1853. From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Steam communication between Bombay and Multan.	In reply to No. 43, dated the 12th January, forwards copies of reports from the Superintendent of the Indus Flotilla and the Deputy Collector of Customs, being answers to the questions by the Editor of the *Lahore Chronicle* on the subject of steam communication between Bombay and Multan.	Nos. 35—7.
	No. 47, dated 24th February 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esquire, Editor, *Lahore Chronicle.*	Ditto	With reference to his letter of the 31st December, forwards a copy of the above.	
14	No. 111, dated 8th April 1852 .. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Roads in Peshawar valley.	With reference to the Board's letter No. 424, dated the 19th March, regarding arrangements for marking out the different lines of road required in the Peshawar valley, reports that a local committee has for sometime existed at Peshawar, and that a report of their proceedings will soon be furnished. Forwards copies of correspondence with Lieutenant Newmarch, and advocates his being employed in the superintendence of the district roads, if the Board can arrange to continue to that officer the assistance of Mr. Mackinnon. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 49.
15	No. 87, dated 14th February 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prices of country stationery. Manufacture of paper in jails advocated. Serampore paper.	In reply to the Board's Circular No. 38, dated the 25th November, regarding the lowest prices at which country stationery is procurable in his Division, forwards copies of the replies of the District Officers on the subject, with samples of the different kinds of paper procurable and the bazar prices. Observes that at Jitpore, at Khangarh and at Dera Ghazi Khan there are paper manufactories which produce enough for local consumption, but in the other districts of his Division, paper is imported from Sialkot and other places. Adds that, until the manufacture of paper can be introduced into the jails (which, he trusts, will be practicable at an early period) he is of opinion that the Serampore paper, supplied by the Superintendent of Stationery, is far superior in quality to any procurable in Leiah and cheaper also; notwithstanding the long land carriage.	Progs. for the week ending 5th March 1853— No. 3—17.

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15—*contd.*	No. 732, dated 21st December 1852 From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioners, Punjab.	Prices of country stationery. Manufacture of paper in jails advocated. Serampore paper.	In reply to Circular No. 38, dated the 25th ultimo, gives the rates at which he can procure paper manufactured at Jalalpore, and remarks that it would be cheaper than Serampore paper for all purposes in which No. 1 is used, *viz.*, for Sessions proceedings and for proceedings sent to the Board. States that when the new jail at Multan is finished and internal manufactures commenced, he proposes having paper made which will cost much less than the purchased paper. Adds that for the districts of Jhang and Gugera, Serampore paper, for all purposes but common envelopes, will prove the cheapest, till the jail manufactures are in full work.	Progs. for the week ending 5th March 1853— Nos. 3—17.
	No. 102, dated 12th February 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the preceding letter, observes that he has since had an opportunity of judging of the Serampore paper and has no hesitation in pronouncing it utterly unfit for any purpose requiring a durable description of paper.	
	No. 2, dated 18th February 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to the Board's Circular No. 38, dated the 25th November, gives the prices at which country paper commonly used in the offices in his Division is purchased, and states that, in point of economy, it is much cheaper than Serampore paper. Adds that his District Officers generally give the preference to country paper as being far more durable than Serampore, and, therefore, better adapted for the bulky records in a Persian office. His own experience of Serampore paper is that it is utterly unfitted for *misls*. It answers very well as draft paper for English correspondence, but is of too brittle a texture for the hard, native reed pen, which goes through the paper on the slighest undue pressure.	
	No. 38, dated 21st January 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to the Board's Circular No. 38, dated the 25th November, forwards copies of the replies received from the District Officers of his Division, on the question of substituting Serampore for the ordinary country-made paper in the vernacular offices. Also specimens of paper received from Major Abbott and a sheet of the Serampore paper supplied to his Division. Remarks upon the unsuitableness of Serampore paper for the purposes of a vernacular office and deprecates its introduction.	
	No. 42, dated 15th January 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to the Board's Circular No. 38, dated the 25th November 1852, reports upon the relative cost and quality of Serampore and country stationery, and states that, in his opinion and in that of the District Officers of his Division the latter is preferable for records.	

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15—*concld.*	No. 58, dated 1st March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Junior Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Calcutta.	Prices of country stationery. Manufacture of paper in jails advocated. Serampore paper.	In reply to letter No. 1710, dated the 16th of October, on the subject of the supply of Serampore paper to the offices in the Punjab, forwards an extract from the Circular issued by the Board of Administration on receipt of the letter under acknowledgment, and also extracts from the replies of the several Commissioners. States that, on the whole, the Chief Commissioner cannot have a doubt, from the information now given, that it will be expedient to allow the Punjab offices to supply themselves with Punjab paper, and accordingly recommends that the supplies of Serampore paper be discontinued.	Progs. for the week ending 5th March 1853— Nos. 3—17.
16	No. $\frac{46}{2}$; dated 22nd February 1853. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conversion of Artillery Mess House in Anarkali into an office for the Commissioner.	Requests sanction to proceed with the repairs and alterations necessary to adapt the Altillery Mess House, Anarkali, to an office for the Commissioner, at an expense not to exceed Rs. 1,000 in case that amount should be required.	Nos. 18-9.
	No. 59, dated 1st March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Conveys sanction to his application pending the submission of an estimate.	
17	No. 2361, dated 24th February 1853. From—The Civil Accountant, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of Toshakhana gold.	In reply to the Board's communications of the 31st ultimo and 2nd instant, in regard to the sale of gold in the Provinces, annexes copies of letters received from the Collectors of Delhi, Agra, Furrukhabad, Moradabad, Benares and Mirzapore, from which it will be perceived that the rates mentioned therein are more favourable than those at Lahore. Suggests that if it be decided to send any gold for sale to Delhi or Benares, that no time may be lost in its transmission; and that only a part of the gold be sent in the first instance, as this may lead to a rise in the market rates at Lahore.	Nos. 32—4.
	No. 66, dated 2nd March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 161; of the 26th January, forwards a copy of the above, and requests that he will at once forward Rs. 50,000 worth of the gold to Dehli, to be sold there, experimentally. Directs that it be carefully packed and sent off under a guard which should be relieved at Jullundur, and gives instructions with a view to obviate any unnecessary delay on the way.	
18	No. 147, dated 25th February 1853. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Epidemic in Yusafzai.	In continuation of letter No. 97, dated the 14th February last, forwards copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar, reporting 323 deaths from the 1st to 15th February; from the epidemic in Yusafzai.	No. 64.

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19	No. 60, dated 26th February 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Collection and recording of information.	Forwards copy of a Circular No. 292, addressed to his District Officers, regarding the mode adopted by Major Edwardes for collecting and recording information on general questions, and recommends the plan for adoption generally.	Progs. for the week ending 12th March 1853— Nos. 1—3.
	No. 84, dated 7th March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, thanks the Commissioner for his communication, and adds that the course pursued by Major Edwardes is worthy of imitation.	
20	No. 19, dated 17th February 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of linseed.	Forwards a copy of his letter to the Commissioner in Sind on the subject of the cultivation of linseed, and transmits (in original) the papers received from District Officers on the subject.	Nos. 6—8.
	No. 86, dated 7th March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Returns the enclosures of his letter and thanks him for the communication.	
21	No. 511, dated 28th February 1853 From—Major Ludlow, Commanding at Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Hidden treasure in Multan fort.	Reports that two natives have offered to point out hidden treasure in the fort, on condition that they receive ¼, and requests sanction to the search being commenced at once.	Nos. 9-10.
	No. 87, dated 7th March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major Ludlow, Commanding at Multan.	Ditto	Approves of the terms offered, subject to the sanction of Government. Adds that he may regard this letter as sufficient authority for commencing the search, though the formal sanction of Government will be necessary before making over their shares to the natives.	
22	Circular No. 2-92, dated 7th March 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Deputy Commissioners.	Proclamation explaining benefits of vaccination. Monthly returns prescribed.	Circulates copies of a proclamation in Urdu and Punjabi pointing out the benefits of vaccination and inviting the people to avail themselves of this antidote to small-pox. Deputy Commissioners are asked to circulate the paper as soon as possible, and if there is not a sufficient supply of vaccine matter with the Civil Surgeon of the station, some can be obtained by applying to the Superintendent, Vaccine Depôt, at Simla. District Officers are directed to furnish monthly statements showing the number of persons vaccinated and the number of cases in which the operation has proved successful.	No. 15.
23	No. 99, dated 8th March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Sanitation of Lahore fort.	Requests the Civil Engineer to forward, as early as practicable, the proceedings of the Committee assembled on the 29th January to report on the sanitary state and requirements of the fort and citadel of Lahore.	No. 26.

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24	No. 96, dated 15th February 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules under Act XXVI of 1850, for Simla.	Submits, with his remarks and those of the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, the rules proposed by the Simla Local Commissioners under Act XXVI of 1850.	Progs. for the week ending 12th March 1853— Nos. 37—42.
	No. 100, dated 8th March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, criticises the rules *seriatim*; and suggests that before any are made binding on the community they should be submitted to a general meeting. Requests that his letter, with its various suggestions, may be laid before the Committee, and directs that the rules, after amendment, should be resubmitted to the Chief Commissioner.	
25	No. 5*a*, dated 24th February 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Headquarters of Kangra district transferred to Dharmsala. Provision of official buildings.	With reference to the transfer of the headquarters of the Kangra district to Dharmsala, reports that he has directed the Deputy Commissioner of Kangra to submit an estimate of the cost of erecting a new katchery and jail at Dharmsala. Forwards copy of a letter from Mr. Bailey, soliciting sanction to an outlay of Rs. 600 on the repairs to the katchery at Kangra and suggests that the building be surveyed by a professional person, as it is in a very unsatisfactory state.	Nos. 45—7.
	No. 102, dated 9th March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Colonel Tremenhere, Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, Jullundur.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will allow the Executive Engineer at Jullundur to survey and report on the Deputy Commissioner's katchery at Kangra, as early as possible, and furnish a rough estimate of the cost of repairs.	
26	No. 956, dated 25th February 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fort Gobindgarh at Amritsar.	Forwards an extract from Proceedings in the Military Department regarding the insufficiency of accommodation in the fortress of Gobindgarh for its garrison, with a view to the necessary orders being issued if the enlargement of the cantonment is deemed necessary.	Nos. 55—8.
	No. 107, dated 10th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto Enlargement of the Cantonment.	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will instruct the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar to make over whatever land may be required for the enlargement of the cantonment.	
	No. 108, dated 10th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Brigadier the Hon'ble T. Ashburnham, Commanding Lahore Division.	Ditto	Informs him that it has been determined that lines for two complete regiments of native infantry should be at once laid out in the new cantonment of Gobindgarh and the Chief Commissioner has instructed the civil authorities at Amritsar to arrange for such land being made over as may be required.	

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27	Circular No. 922, dated 23rd February 1853. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Memorial to Duke of Wellington.	Forwards a copy of a notification issued from the Home Department and requests that the necessary steps may be taken for giving effect to the objects therein contained by inviting the co-operation of the native chiefs in the establishment of the institution in honour of the memory of the late Field Marshal His Grace the Duke of Wellington.	Progs. for the week ending 12th March 1853— Nos. 58A—58C.
	Notification No. 114-A., dated 10th March 1853.	Ditto Subscription lis opened.	Notifies, for the information of officers in the Civil and Military Services in the Punjab and of the public generally, with reference to the Government notification which accompanies, that a subscription list is open at the office of the Chief Commissioner, and intending subscribers should communicate with the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, who will enter their names in the list.	
28	Circular No. 3-110, dated 11th March 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Proclamation explaining benefits of vaccination.	Forwards a copy of a Circular addressed to District Officers in the Punjab, enclosing, for circulation, copies of a proclamation pointing out the benefits of vaccination and inviting the people to avail themselves of it as the only antidote to small-pox.	No. 61.
29	Dated 1st March 1853 .. From—H. C. Van Cortlandt, Esquire, Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ghazi Khan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application for leave under conditions guaranteed by Sikh Government.	Begs that his application for a year's leave to England be again laid before the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council with a view to its being submitted for the consideration of the Hon'ble Court of Directors. Adds that the boon applied for should be granted on the assurance conveyed to him Sir Frederick Currie in a letter (copy of which is annexed) to the effect that all the advantages enjoyed by him under the Sikh Government would be continued to him, and that the leave now applied for was looked upon as an intrinsic part of the conditions of the service to which he lately belonged.	Nos. 69-70.
	No. 95-117, dated 11th March 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and states that, while the Chief Commissioner would personally be glad if Mr. Van Cortlandt's application was complied with, yet he cannot admit the validity of the grounds upon which that officer claims to have his case treated as a special one.	
30	No. 77-120, dated 5th March 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Buildings in Anarkali.	Explains his reasons for recommending the appointment of a European Overseer to superintend the repairs and collect the rents of the houses in Anarkali.	Nos. 75—8.

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30—*concld.*	No. 121, dated 11th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Buildings in Anarkali.	Replies that the Chief Commissioner has no objection to his employing a European Overseer for the buildings in question, pending the orders of Government. Adds that the Chief Commissioner has fixed the rents at the lower rate of Rs. 8 and 12 per mensem, and directs him to take every opportunity to sell the houses at a fair valuation.	Progs. for the week ending 12th March 1853— Nos. 75—8.
	No. 122, dated 12th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.	Ditto	Informs the Officiating Deputy Commissioner that the collection of the rents of the Anarkali houses will rest with the Civil Engineer's Department.	
	No. 123-919, dated 12th March 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, together with the plans and list showing the buildings resumed by the Military Department, those transferred to the Civil, and those which it is proposed to level, and adds that the Chief Commissioner concurs in the several propositions made by Colonel Napier, with the exception of that fixing the rents to be demanded for the quarters, which the Chief Commissioner would modify. Solicits sanction to the estimate for the repairs to the buildings and to the sale of any of them at a fair valuation.	
31	No. 287, dated 10th March 1853.. From—The Officiating Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charge certificates of Sir H. Lawrence, Mr. John Lawrence and Mr. R. Montgomery.	Requests to be furnished with a certificate of the dates on which Sir H. M. Lawrence reliquished and Mr. John Lawrence assumed charge of their respective duties.	Progs. for the week ending 19th March 1853— Nos. 7-8.
	No. 128, dated 14th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply, forwards the required certificate, as also two others showing the dates when Mr. Montgomery and himself assumed charge of their respective duties.	
	No. 131, dated 15th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle.	Roads through the Beas valley at Wazir Ghât.	With reference to the Government letter sanctioning the construction of a road through the valley of the Beas at Wazir Ghât, asks what has been done in the matter. As the work is an important one, it is hoped that the Executive Engineer will be able to give his early attention to its completion.	

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32	No. 1026, dated 4th March 1853.. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Management of the Lodhran estate.	In reply to letter No. 173, dated 10th ultimo, states that the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council considers the payment by the Lodhran Chiefs to the Nabha State of Rs. 1,200 per annum as excessive and, under the circumstances of the country, doubts the propriety of any payment at all.	Progs. for the week ending 19th March 1853— Nos. 14-15.
	No. 132, dated 15th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and enquires what the revenue of Lodhran is, and what he would recommend as the payment to be made to Nabha.	
33	No. 4824, dated 3rd March 1853.. From—The Superintending Engineer, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Katchery building at Simla.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Officiating Executive Engineer, Ambala Division, suggesting that the old katchery at Simla, which is sufficiently large for all purposes, be repurchased for Rs. 4,500 instead of laying out Rs. 4,000 in repairing the house which was purchased from Mr. Edwardes.	Nos. 18-19.
	No. 134, dated 15th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of the Hill States.	Ditto	With reference to previous correspondence, regarding the insufficiency of accommodation in the old katchery at Simla, requests the Superintendent to explain in what manner he would propose to accommodate the Simla offices, and to send a ground plan of the building and to note what rooms he would give to each department.	
34	No. 154, dated 17th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Memorandum of routes.	Requests that he will, in communication with the Commissioner of the Leiah Division, have certain routes carefully prepared, noting opposite each stage the facilities for procuring water, grain and forage for horses.	Nos. 52-3.
	No. 155, dated 17th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
35	No. 1132, dated 4th March 1853.. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Churches at Sialkot, Mian Mir, Ambala, Rawalpindi and Peshawar.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letters Nos. 110 and 155, dated the 2nd and 10th ultimo, conveys the sanction of the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council to the several sums recommended for the construction of churches in the stations of Sialkot, Mian Mir, Ambala, Rawalpindi and Peshawar.	Nos. 64—9.

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35—*concld.*	No. 164, dated 18th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— The Reverend F. Shaw, Rawalpindi.	Churches at Sialkot, Mian Mir, Ambala, Rawalpindi and Peshawar.	Forwards copy of the preceding letter and adds that, as the grant now made is final, it will be necessary to be cautious in regard to the extent of embellishment proposed.	Progs. for the week ending 19th March 1853— Nos. 64—9.
	No. 165, dated 18th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— The Reverend C. Sloggett, Church Committee, Sialkot.	Ditto	Ditto.	
	No. 166, dated 18th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Reverend F. W. Ellis, Ambala.	Ditto	Ditto.	
	No. 167, dated 18th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commmissioner, Punjab. To—The Reverend H. Kerwan, Mian Mir.	Ditto	Ditto.	
	No. 168, dated 18th March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To —The Reverend H. B. Mallty, Church Committee, Peshawar.	Ditto	Ditto.	
36	No. 285, dated 11th March 1853 From—Lieutenant Glover, Assistant to the Civil Engineer. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sanitation of Lahore fort.	Explains the cause of the delay in submitting the report on the sanitary state and requirements of the fort and citadel of Lahore.	No. 103.
37	No. 328, dated 21st August 1853... From—Leiutenant F. G. Glover, Assistant to the Civil Engineer. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sanitation of Lahore fort and city.	Submits report of the Committee assembled by order of the late Board of Administration to report on the sanitary state and requirements of the city and citadel of Lahore.	Progs. for the week ending 26th March 1853— Nos. 16—20.
	No. 1205, dated 11th March 1853. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to letter No. 4127, dated 5th November, forwards copy of a despatch from the Quartermaster-General of the Army, and remarks that the Brigadier Commanding at Lahore should have an opportunity of recording his opinion on the report of the Committee assembled to report on the sanitary requirements of the city of Lahore.	
	No. 205, dated 21st March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Brigadier Sir J. Tennant, K.C.B.	Ditto	In compliance with the orders contained in the above letter, forwards a copy of the report in question, with a view to his recording his opinion on the subject.	
38	No. 2-115, dated 15th March 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Type of boats suitable for bridges.	Intimates that he has fully satisfied himself of the serviceable nature of the boats for the bridges under construction at Lahore and recommends that similar boats be constructed for the floating bridge at Phillaur. Suggests that cables and anchors be obtained from Bombay.	Nos. 21-2.

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38—*concld.*	No. 206, dated 2nd March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiana.	Types of boats suitable for bridges,	With reference to his letter to the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, regarding the bridge of boats at Phillaur, informs the Deputy Commissioner that enquiry was made of the Civil Engineer regarding the bridge at Lahore, and forwards an extract from the Civil Engineer's letter, for his information and guidance.	Progs. for the week ending 26th March 1853— Nos. 21-2.
39	Dated 28th January 1853 .. From—Captain Vaughan, Commanding 5th Punjab Infantry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pashtu grammar and dictionary.	Reports the completion of his grammar and dictionary of the Pashtu language, of which he submits some specimen pages.	Nos. 35—7.
	From—Captain Vaughan, Commanding 5th Punjab Infantry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the foregoing, gives an account of the manner in which his grammar of the Pashtu language has been written and the difficulties experienced in fulfilling his task.	
	No. 212, dated 22nd March 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Vaughan, Commanding 5th Punjab Infantry.	Ditto	In reply, informs Captain Vaughan that the Chief Commissioner will have pleasure in forwarding his letter to Government and will be glad to hear at what press he would wish the work to be published and at what probable cost.	
40	No. 2-101, dated 14th March 1853 From—Leiutenant-Colonel R. Napier, Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Roads in Hazara.	Submits, for audit, Major Abbott's bill from July to February for the construction of a road in Hazara from Haripur towards Toorbela.	Nos. 38—40.
	No. 213, dated 22nd March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, To—Major Abbott, Deputy Commissioner of Hazara.	Ditto	Asks Major Abbott to explain the circumstances under which the road constructed by him in Hazara was undertaken and on what authority. Enquires also what has been done in regard to the road from Haripur to Kala Serai.	
41	No. 1200, dated 11th March 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed construction of a house for General Cotton at Ghora Gali.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 137, dated 18th ultimo, states that the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council has intimated to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief his inability to comply with General Cotton's application to build a house at Ghora Gali.	
	No. 220, dated 23rd March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
42	No. 2-110, dated 15th March 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Attock bridges	Asks to be allowed to employ Lieutenant Crommelin in making the necessary arrangements for designing the permanent bridge over the Indus at Attock.	Nos. 57-8.

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42—*concld.*	No. 137-222, dated 23rd March 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Attock bridge.	Forwards the above and recommends that Colonel Napier's proposition be sanctioned.	Progs. for the week ending 26th March 1853— Nos. 52—8.
43	Dated 16th March 1853 .. From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pashtu dictionary	Submits a specimen of his dictionary of the Pashtu language.	Nos. 61—3.
	No. 224, dated 24th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Ditto	Replies that the manuscript of his dictionary, which was sent to the Board by Government, was forwarded to the Commissioner of Peshawar for his opinion and those of others competent to judge, and the attention of that officer has again been called to the subject.	
44	No. 2-138, dated 19th March 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Buildings in Anarkali.	Enquires if Chief Commissioner's letter No. 121, dated the 11th March 1853, is to be considered by him authority sufficient to commence the system proposed for the civil buildings in Anarkali, or whether he is to await the final sanction of Government.	Nos. 68-9.
	No. 227, dated 24th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto.	In reply, states that he is at liberty to carry out the measures proposed in the letter alluded to, with the exception that the selling or pulling down of any house should be deferred pending Government sanction.	
45	No. 107½, dated 14th March 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Communications between Kangra and the plains.	Returns the plans and gives his opinion on the project of connecting the district of Kangra with the plains.	Nos. 71-2.
	No. 229, dated 24th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that his letter and enclosures were transmitted to Colonel Napier for opinion. Forwards copy of that officer's reply and requests Commissioner to furnish the required information as to the altitude of the ridges over which the proposed road is to be taken.	
46	Dated 22nd March 1853 .. From—H. Cope, Esquire, *Lahore Chronicle* Press. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Navigation of the Indus.	Returns the papers regarding the navigation of the Indus and the intercourse between Bombay and Karachi. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 86.

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47	No. 1262, dated 15th March 1853.. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of forage in Kartarpur.	Enquires whether the district of Kartarpur possesses the same advantages which it did in 1846-47 as regards the facilities for procuring forage of the best description.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd April 1853.— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 235, dated 28th March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto.	Forwards a copy of the above and requests that he will cause the necessary enquiries to be made, reporting the result early to the Chief Commissioner and forwarding (in original) any papers in his office which might relate to the subject.	
48	Dated 15th March 1853 .. From—The Deputy Commissioner of Thanesar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proclamation explaining benefits of vaccination.	In reply to Circular No. 2, dated the 7th March, reports that the proclamations inviting the people to avail themselves of the benefits of inoculation have been circulated and that the dispensary in the town has been selected as the fittest place for parties to attend, but adds that the dispensary has been for a whole year without a supply of Europe medicines, as the funds are barely sufficient to pay the establishment attached. Observes that the jail hospital formerly supplied the dispensary with medicines but the Sub-Assistant Surgeon stopped the supply, on the ground that the dispensary is not a Government establishment.	Nos. 5-6.
	No. 236, dated 28th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. From—The Superintending Surgeon of the Jullundur Division.	Ditto Supply of medicines to Thanesar dis ensary.	Enquires whether there is any objection to the dispensary being again supplied with medical stores from the jail hospital, as the dispensary is partly supported by a Government grant of the proceeds of certain gardens in the Kythal Pargunnah, equal to about Rs. 360.	
49	No. 393, dated 20th March 1853.. From—Lieutenant D. G. Robinson. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lignite near Jhelum.	Intimates the despatch of a sample of lignite taken from a seam which he has recently discovered in the Jogi Tillah, near Jhelum.	Nos. 7-8.
	No. 237, dated 29th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— M. Marcadieu, Superintendent, Geological Survey.	Ditto	Forwards the sample of lignite and requests his opinion on it.	
	No. 238, dated 29th March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests the Civil Engineer to direct the attention of Mr. Purdon to the seam of lignite adverted to in the preceding.	
50	No. 2874, dated—March 1853 .. From—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road through the Beas valley.	Forwards a report by the Postmaster of Jullundur on the state of the road between the Beas and that station.	Nos. 10—13.

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50—*concld.*	No. 239, dated 29th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Road through the Beas valley.	Forwards a copy of the above letter and observes that it is a full year since Government sanctioned the construction of a road through the valley of the Beas, but the Chief Commissioner has had no intelligence of the progress which has been made. Requests he will ascertain what has been done and that he will urge on the Executive Engineer the necessity for the completion of the road.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd April 1853— Nos. 10—13.
	No. 240, dated 29th March 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Post Master-General, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the foregoing letter.	
51	No. 256, dated 31st March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of Stationery.	Local purchase of country paper.	Enquires whether the Chief Commissioner is at liberty to issue orders to the Punjab officers to supply themselves with Punjab country paper instead of indenting on him.	No. 51.
52	No. 12, dated 16th March 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Accounts of the Ferozepore territory for March 1846.	Enquires whether the records in the Chief Commissioner's office contain any information regarding the disposal of a balance of Rs. 18,667-4-5¼ exhibited as actual cash in the hands of the treasurer at the close of an account current of the revenue and charges of the Ferozepore territory, dated the 23rd March 1846, which account is supposed to have got mixed up with the Durbar transactions of the Political Agent.	Nos. 52-3.
	No. 257, dated 31st March 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	States, in reply, that there is only a small portion of Colonel Wade's correspondence for 1846 in the office and that there is no clue or information as to the disposal of the balance referred to by him.	
53	No. 1387, dated 23rd March 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Buildings at Murree.	Forwards copies of correspondence regarding the sanitorium at Murree and requests that instructions may be issued to the Civil local authorities to afford aid towards constructing the new buildings there.	Nos. 68—70.
	No. 267, dated 2nd April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards the correspondence for his guidance.	
54	No. 139, dated 23rd March 1853.. From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazara. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Roads in Hazara	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 213, dated the 23rd instant, furnishes the authority under which the road from Haripur to Torbaila was constructed.	Nos. 73A-73-B.
	No. 161-269, dated 2nd April 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a letter from the Civil Engineer, with the bills for the construction of the roads, and recommends that the latter be passed.	

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55	No. 4, dated 24th March 1853 .. From—Dr. H. M. Cannon, Assistant Surgeon, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of vaccine.	Reports that since the issue of the Board's Circular No. 2, dated the 7th March 1853, the demands on the vaccine establishment have been so enormous that he has found it impossible to meet them to their full extent. Annexes a list of despatches made since April 1852.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd April 1853— Nos. 77-8.
	No. 273, dated 2nd April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. H. M. Cannon, Assistant Surgeon, Simla.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner trusts he will use every effort to comply as far as possible with the demands, and that should experience assure him that he cannot do so without extending the operations of the institution; it will be proper for him to make a reference on the subject.	
56	No. 275, dated 4th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for selection of lambardars and "Mulba and Zabti" rates.	Forwards copy of correspondence and requests that, in communication with the Judicial Commissioner, he will report what increased accommodation is required in the Hoshiarpur katchery and the cost of such additions. Calls his attention to the memo. which accompanies, and lays down certain rules for the selection of lambardars and regarding "Mulba and Zabti" rates.	Progs. for the week ending 9th April 1853— No. 5.
57	No. 2, dated 1st April 1853 .. From—M. Marcadieu, Superintendent, Geological Survey. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lignite near Jhelum.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 237, dated the 20th ultimo, reports on the specimen of lignite forwarded.	Nos. 12-13.
	No. 278, dated 4th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant D. G. Robinson, in charge Topographical Survey.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and adds that Colonel Napier has been requested to direct Mr. Purdon to examine the seam of lignite in Jogi Tillah, with a view to ascertaining its extent.	
58	No. 288, dated 6th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Conservancy of Anarkali.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Judicial Commissioner and enquires whether Civil Engineer has any objection to make over the conservancy arrangements of Anarkali to the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, retaining in his department the collecting of the rents and the repairs to the public buildings.	No. 30.
59	No. 291, dated 6th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Glover, Assistant Engineer.	Sericulture in Anarkali.	Directs Lieutenant Glover to make over one of the barracks in Anarkali to Mr. Cope, in order to rear silk-worms.	No. 35.
60	No. 4341, dated 31st March 1853 From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road through Beas valley.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 131, dated the 15th March 1853, states that he has called for the requisite data and establishment for the road through the valley of the Beas, and that some plans, etc., by Mr. Wallace, now with Colonel Napier, would be of use.	Nos. 35½-36.

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60—*concld.*	No. 292, dated 6th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Road through Beas valley.	Requests the Civil Engineer to send to Colonel Tremenhere direct the plans and sketches of the Beas valley by Mr. Wallace.	Progs. for the week ending 9th April 1853— Nos. 35½-36.
61	No. 2, dated 3rd April 1853 .. From—The Officiating Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of medicines for Thanesar dispensary.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 236, dated the 28th March, states that he will apply to the Medical Board to have the Thanesar dispensary placed on the same footing as the other dispensaries as regards the supply of Europe medicines. In the meantime, he has ordered the jail supplies being used.	Nos. 41-2.
	No. 295, dated 7th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Thanesar.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
62	No. 1462, dated 30th March 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mr. Van Cortlandt's application for leave under special terms.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 95, dated the 11th instant, intimates that the application of Mr. Van Cortlandt for leave will be forwarded, as requested, to the Hon'ble Court of Directors.	Nos. 61-2.
	No. 302, dated 8th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ghazi Khan.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
63	No. 311, dated 8th April 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor.	Specimen of lignite.	Forwards a parcel of lignite and requests him to analyse it and to report the result.	No. 76.
64	No. 377, dated 3rd April 1853 .. From—Brigadier Sir J. Tennant, K.C.B., Commanding at Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sanitation of Lahore.	Submits his opinion on the measures proposed by the Sanitary Commissioner for improving the healthiness of Lahore.	Nos. 79—82.
	No. 313, dated 8th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto Lowering of citadel walls.	Forwards the above and requests to be favoured with any remarks he may deem necessary on the different points noticed, especially that relating to the lowering of the citadel walls.	
	No. 1475, dated 30th March 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Buildings in Anarkali.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 99, dated the 12th March 1853; sanctions Rs. 5,660-11-8 for repairing some of the buildings in Anarkali and authorizes the levelling of others. Approves also of the rent proposed and the sale of such buildings as are not required.	
	No. 314, dated 9th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that Government have omitted to sanction the conservancy establishment, an omission which need not be supplied till he has reported on Mr. Montgomery's suggestion that that department should be with the Deputy Commissioner.	

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65	No. 315, dated 9th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Ambala.	Grant of Rs. 40,000 for a church at Ambala.	Informs the Deputy Commissioner that Government have granted Rs. 40,000 towards the erection of a church at Ambala, and requests that he will advance, on the receipt of the Chaplain at that station, such sums as may be required from time to time, up to that limit.	Progs. for the week ending 9th April 1853— Nos. 83-4.
	No. 316, dated 9th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Reverend F. W. Ellis, Ambala.	Ditto	Informed accordingly.	
66	No. 317, dated 9th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.	Grant of Rs. 47,000 for a church at Mian Mir.	Conveys similar instructions regarding the grant of Rs. 47,000 for the church at Mian Mir.	Nos. 85-6.
	No. 318, dated 9th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Church Building Committee, Mian Mir.	Ditto	Informed accordingly.	
67	No. 319, dated 9th April 1853 .. From—The Secetary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar.	Grant of Rs. 41,305 for a church and chapel at Peshawar.	Conveys similar instructions with reference to the grant of Rs, 41,305-11-1 for the church and chapel at Peshawar.	Nos. 87-8.
	No. 320, dated 9th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chaplain at Peshawar.	Ditto	Informed accordingly.	
68	No. 328, dated 12th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Accommodation for the treasury in the Lahore fort.	Requests the Commissioner to direct the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore to place himself in communication with Captain Baker, Executive Engineer, in charge of the fort, and to arrange what changes are necessary for the treasury, as the Moti Mundir in which the bulk of the money is kept at present has not sufficient space for large remittances of specie. Besides that ; the guard house which adjoins it is hot, unhealthy and liable to be flooded in the rains. Gives certain directions by which the Deputy Commissioner may be guided.	Progs. for the week ending 16th April 1853— No. 12.
69	No. 276, dated 6th April 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reduction of irregular levies in Kohat.	Submits a letter from the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Kohat reporting a reduction in the irregular levies of his district. Mentions their present strength and adds that their monthly cost is Rs. 816. Solicits sanction to the men being kept as a Military Police to guard the salt mines road, watch-towers and the jail of his district.	Nos. 29—32.

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69—*concld.*	No. 335, dated 13th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Reduction of irregular levies in Kohat. Guards for watch-towers, jail and salt mines.	Informs the Commissioner that the guards, as detailed in the Deputy Commissioner's list, can be retained for the present and that the sanction of Government has been requested to the jail guard being brought on the permanent establishments. Requests that he will call on the Deputy Commissioner of Kohat to submit a report of all establishments of a permanent nature required for the salt mines of that district.	Progs. for the week ending 16th April 1853— Nos. 29—32.
	No. 335½, dated 13th April 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the above letter.	
	No. 193-336, dated 13th April 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the foregoing letter from the Commissioner of Peshawar, with its enclosures, and requests sanction to the jail and havalat guard at a monthly cost of Rs. 206 being added to the permanent establishments of the Kohat district from 1st May next.	
70	No. 18, dated 2nd April 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road through the Beas valley.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 239, dated the 29th ultimo, regarding the road through the valley of the Beas, states that he has requested the Ahluwalia Raja to have that portion of it put in immediate order which runs through his territory. Adds that the difficulty experienced in the matter arises from the want of estimates, for the preparation of which there is not sufficient data.	Nos. 33—6.
	No. 194-337, dated 13th April 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the foregoing letter and recommends that definite orders be issued for the road to be kept up by the Executive Engineer's Department of the Trans-Sutlej States, in like manner as the continuation of it in the Punjab proper is kept up by the Civil Engineer's Department.	Nos. 33-4.
	No. 338, dated 13th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner of the above reference and adds that the Chief Commissioner considers that the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur should attend to that part of the road which lies in the valley of the Beas, and see that the Ahluwali Raja makes periodical repairs to it.	
	No. 339, dated 13th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Postmaster-General.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter from the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States, and informs him of the reference to Government on the subject.	

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71	No. 14, dated 7th April 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of timber from Kashmir.	Solicits instructions with reference to an extract from a report by Lieutenant Heath, relative to the charge of the wood in the river Jhelum being made over to the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum.	Progs. for the week ending 16th April 1853— Nos. 52-3.
	No. 351. dated 14th April 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the extract received with the above letter, and requests him to state whether, in his scheme of a monopoly for supplying timber, it was intended that Lieutenant Heath's dealings with Maharaja Gulab Singh's agent were to cease. Calls also for a report on the working of the scheme.	
72	No. 353, dated 15th April 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Drainage of Lahore. Removal of squatters.	Forwards an extract from a report by Colonels Tremenhere and Napier on the drainage of Lahore and its environs, and requests him to remove all squatters from the vicinity and prevent any similar occupation. Observes that parties making holes or erecting huts on the land should be considered a nuisance and summarily punished.	No. 56.
73	No. 6, dated 9th April 1853 .. From—The Geological Surveyor. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Specimen of lignite.	Reports on the specimen of lignite forwarded with Chief Commissioner's letter dated 8th instant. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 63.
74	No. 852, dated 5th April 1853 .. From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of linseed.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 125, dated 22nd January last, regarding the cultivation of linseed, forwa ds copy of a letter from the Collector of Karachi on the subject. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 65-6.
75	No. 2-256, dated 8th April 1853.. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road through the Beas valley.	States that the plans and sections of the Beas valley survey were forwarded on the 16th ultimo to the Executive Engineer, Jullundur Division. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 70.
76	Nos. $\frac{26}{429}$; dated 12th April 1853. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Buildings on the Grand Trunk Road.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, proposing the erection in that territory of certain public buildings along the Trunk Road, and recommends the suggestions of the Commissioner, with certain modifications.	Nos. 78—82.
	No. $\frac{27}{430}$; dated 13th April 1853 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the foregoing, submits further proposals on the same subject.	
	No. 203-354½; dated 16th April 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits copies of the above letters, and their enclosures, and recommends the measures proposed as necessary for the establishment of a good system of police protection and for facilitating the collection of supplies along the road.	

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77	No. 356, dated 18th April 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Sanitation of Lahore.	Acknowledges the receipt of his and Colonel Tremenhere's report on the causes of the insalubrity of Lahore, and comments on the various recommendations contained therein.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd April 1853— No. 1.
78	Dated 15th April 1853 .. From—H. Cope, Esquire To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Seam of coal in Kashmir.	Requests to be permitted to work a seam of coal recently discovered in the territories of Maharaja Gulab Singh, and solicits an introduction to that Chief, with a view to his obtaining a lease, reasonable export duty, etc.	Nos. 2-3.
	No. 357, dated 18th April 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esquire.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner does not think that Mr. Cope has sufficiently considered the nature of the project on which he is desirous of embarking. Points out the great expense that the experiment involves and the great risk of failure, and the serious drawback which will arise from the operations being carried on in foreign territory.	
79	No. 1639, dated 8th April 1853 .. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Attock bridge	In reply to Chief Commissioner's No. 137 dated the 23rd ultimo, conveys the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the employment, on a staff salary of Rs. 500 per month, of Lieutenant Crommelin in designing the bridge over the Indus at Attock.	Nos. 9-10.
	No. 360, dated 18th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, for his information.	
80	No. 361, dated 18th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Drainage of Lahore.	Forwards an extract from a letter and recommends that those streets in the city of Lahore which have not yet been paved should be carefully levelled and subsequently paved and the drainage so constructed as to fall into the nearest large sewer, whether it be that known as the Akbari or Bhatti.	Nos. 13-14.
	No. 362, dated 18th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Fagan, Superintendent, Civil Buildings, Lahore.	Ditto Hira Mandi drain.	Forwards an extract from Chief Commissioner's letter No. 356 (paragraph 8) to the Civil Engineer, and requests him to commence upon the work of making the drain by the Hira Mandi of pakka masonry throughout.	
81	No. 2-268, dated 11th April 1853. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conservancy of Anarkali.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 288, dated the 5th April 1853, states that he is of opinion that the conservancy arrangements would be better managed if they were placed in the hands of the European Overseer under Lieutenant Fagan.	Nos. 17—19.

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81—*concld.*	No. 368, dated 18th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Conservancy of Anarkali.	In reply to above, informs the Civil Engineer that all the arrangements connected with the repair and rent of houses, and the removal of all such as may not be required, should be placed in the hands of the Superintendent of Civil Buildings, the conservancy department being under the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore to whom the former should furnish a monthly account of all collections and expenditure.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd April 1853— Nos. 17—19.
	No. 20-320, dated 30th March 1853. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Recommends that the conservancy department of Anarkali be made over to the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.	
	No. 369, dated 18th April 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the letter above, addressed to the Civil Engineer.	
82	No. 25, dated 11th April 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Management of the Lodhran estate.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's No. 132, dated 15th ultimo, states that Rs. 27,000 may be assumed as the annual value of the jagir held by the Lodhran Sardars, and that if the Chief Commissioner still considers Nabha entitled to compensation, he would recommend a fixed sum of Rs. 3,000 being paid and the claim bought off, but trusts earnestly that the claim will be ignored *in toto*.	Nos. 34—7.
		The Nabha claims.		
	No. 213-380, dated 20th April 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the above letter, and, with reference to the facts detailed therein, states that the Chief Commissioner thinks that the claim ought to be rejected altogether.	
83	No. 2-330, dated 15th March 1853. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Buildings in Anarkali.	Submits a copy of his letter to Lieutenant Fagan, on the subject of the Anarkali buildings.	Nos. 51—3.
	No. 387, dated 21st April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Fagan, Superintendent, Civil Buildings, Lahore.	Ditto Conservancy arrangements.	Informs Lieutenant Fagan, with reference to Colonel Napier's letter to his address, that the conservancy department will rest with the Deputy Commissioner.	
84	No. 1724, dated 12th April 1853.. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Enlargement of Gobindgarh cantonment.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Quartermaster-General of the Army, and requests that the necessary orders may be issued for the additional ground being given up for the enlargement of the cantonment of Gobindgarh.	Nos. 75—8.

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84—*concld.*	No. 396, dated 23rd April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Enlargement of Gobindgarh cantonment.	Requests the Commissioner to instruct the District Officer at Amritsar to make over to the Military authorities on their requisition land averaging 800 yards on all sides of the cantonment.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd April 1853— Nos. 75—8.
85	No. 1801, dated 15th April 1853 .. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Roads in Hazara.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's No. 161, dated the 2nd instant, conveys sanction to Rs. 2,045-6-0 spent on the construction of roads in the Hazara district being charged to the general revenues of the State.	Progs. for the week ending 30th April 1853— Nos. 13—16.
	No. 407, dated 28th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
	No. 408, dated 28th April 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Hazara.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the Government letter above and of the letter to the Civil Engineer.	
86	No. 303, dated 15th April 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sanitation of Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 313, dated 8th April last, submits his remarks on the strictures of Brigadier Sir J. Tennant on the Committee's report on the sanitary requirements of Lahore.	Nos. 49-50.
	No. 238—431, dated 30th April 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the above and of former correspondence, and conveys the opinion of the Chief Commissioner on the report in question.	
87	No. 23—594, dated 22nd April 1853. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of forage in Kartarpur.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 235, dated the 28th ultimo, regarding forage at Kartarpur, submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur, to the effect that the supply still continues abundant and is likely to remain so.	Progs. for the week ending 7th May 1853— No. 13—16.
	No. 242—444, dated 2nd May 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply to letter No. 1262, submits a copy of the above.	
	No. 445, dated 3rd May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Returns the original correspondence received with the foregoing letter.	
88	No. 39—501, dated 27th April 1853. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Accident to the church at Peshawar.	Submits copy of correspondence relative to the accident which has befallen the church at Peshawar which was in course of erection. Adds that he has directed Captain Sale, Executive Engineer at Peshawar, to design a fresh plan and to submit it for Colonel Tremenhere's opinion.	Nos. 17—19.

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88—*concld.*	No. 446, dated 4th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Accident to the church at Peshawar.	Enquires what amount has been expended on the church, what portion of the outlay will be lost if a new church is built, and whether the loss will be met by the funds derived from private contribution or be debited against the sum of Rs. 41,305-4-1, lately granted by Government.	Progs. for the week ending 7th May 1853— Nos. 17—19.
89	No. 1935, dated 26th April 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reduction of Irregular Levies in Kohat.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 193, dated 13th instant, conveys the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the retention by the Commissioner of Peshawar as Jail and Havalat Guards, of a portion of the Irregular Levies lately disbanded, from the 1st May, in addition to the permanent establishment of the Kohat district.	Nos. 28-9.
	No. 451, dated 6th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information and guidance.	
90	No. 382—2, dated 19th April 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	House for Dr. Hathaway, Inspector of Prisons.	Forwards a demi-official letter from Dr. Hathaway, Inspector of Prisons, and suggests that Dr. Hathaway be prohibited from removing any additions that he may have made to his house; that he be allowed the option of purchasing it, or that, in the event of his declining to do so and another party becoming the purchaser, he be allowed the difference between the average rate of sale of other similar bungalows and the amount for which his own is sold, as remuneration for the expense he has incurred.	Nos. 30—3.
	No. 453, dated 7th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner thinks his propositions very fair and that Dr. Hathaway will be informed accordingly. Adds that if it is intended to allow Dr. Hathaway to hold his present quarters in lieu of office rent, no further demand on him for rent should be made.	
	No. 453-A, dated 7th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. Hathaway, Inspector of Prisons.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing correspondence.	
91	No. 1064, dated 23rd April 1853 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Relative merits of *kacha* and *pacca* brickwork in excluding heat.	Encloses extract from a letter from the Executive Engineer, Upper Sind, and solicits the opinion of the Engineering officers in the Punjab as to the relative merits of *kacha* and *pacca* brickwork in excluding heat.	Nos. 34—7.

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91—*concl'd.*	No. 454, dated 7th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle. No. 455, dated 7th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Relativemerits of *kacha* and *pacca* brick-work in excluding heat.	Forwards copies of the foregoing letter and requests them to favour the Chief Commissioner with their opinions on the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 7th May 1853— Nos. 34—7.
92	No. 3187, dated 21st April 1853.. From—The Officiating Superintendent of Stationery. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Local purchase of country paper.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 256, dated 31st March 1853, states that the Board of Revenue having acquiesced in the views of the Chief Commissioner, he is therefore at liberty to issue the necessary instructions to the officers in the Punjab to supply themselves with paper of local manufacture; and requests to be furnished with a list of those officers for whose use the Chief Commissioner may direct the purchase of such paper.	Nos. 44—8.
	No. 460, dated 7th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	With reference to the foregoing letter, requests them to issue necessary instructions to their subordinates that they may discontinue their indents for Serampore paper, and, in future, provide their vernacular offices with the paper of the country, and to exercise strict control over the purchase and expenditure of the paper.	
	No. 462, dated 7th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of Stationery, Calcutta.	Ditto	Furnishes a list of the officers who have been authorized to purchase country paper, and sends him also a copy of the circular which has been issued on the subject.	
93	No. 39, dated 18th April 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Memorandum of routes.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 154, dated 17th ultimo, submits a Memo. of stages from Multan towards Bahawalpur, Mithankot, Leiah, Dera Ghazi Khan, Dera Ismail Khan and Jhang.	Nos. 49—51.
	No. 463, dated 7th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the statement received with the foregoing letter and requests him to complete the routes to the stations therein named in his division and furnish a list of the stages.	

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94	No. 1806, dated 15th April 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of iron-works in Northern India. Iron mines near Simla.	Forwards copies of a letter and pamphlet by Major Drummond, on the importance of establishing iron-works in Northern India, and requests that the attention of M. Marcadieu may be drawn to the subject, with a view to his examining and submitting a report on the iron mines stated to exist in the hills about Simla.	Progs. for the week ending 7th May 1853— N.s. 52—8.
	No. 464, dated 7th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	Informs M. Marcadieu that the Hon'ble Court of Directors and the Government of India are desirous of receiving accurate information on the subject of the iron ore which exists in the hills of Kangra Mandi, and the Government district of Kotkhai, as the question of establishing iron-works in Northern India is one of great importance. As it is essential for determining it that we should have the most precise information, both as to the extent of the iron resources and the quality of the ore, the Chief Commissioner requests that he will at once direct his enquiries to the iron resources first of the hills where he now is and then of Kotkhai, and requests him to submit a report on the subject as early as possible.	
	No. 465, dated 7th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. No. 466, dated 7th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Hill States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter addressed to M. Marcadieu and begs them to give all the assistance in their power in prosecution of his researches.	
95	No. 1889, dated 22nd April 1853. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Exchange of presents between the Commander-in-Chief and Native Chiefs.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 158, dated 31st ultimo, states that the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to pass the sum of Rs. 450, being the amount expended by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in presents made to the Agent of the Raja of Patiala, and adds that, as the question of the Commander-in-Chief giving and receiving presents at interviews with Native Chiefs is one of importance, it will be referred for the orders of the Hon'ble Court of Directors.	Nos. 59-60.
	No. 467, dated 7th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej states.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	

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96	No. 33, dated 18th April 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pamphlet on sericulture.	Acknowledges the receipt of 21 copies of a pamphlet on the cultivation of the mulberry tree and the rearing of silk worms, and states they have been distributed to the District Officers. MEMO:—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 7th May 1853— No. 70.
97	No. 93, dated 18th April 1853 .. From—The Superintendent, Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber from Bashahr for Ferozepore cantonment.	Furnishes information regarding the timber cut in Bashahr for the Ferozepore cantonment. MEMO:—NO ORDER.	No. 74.
98	No. 1746, dated 15th April 1853.. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Amalgamation of Accounts Department in North-Western Provinces and Punjab.	Transmits extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors on the subject of uniting the offices of audit and account for the North-Western Provinces and for the Punjab. MEMO:—NO ORDER.	Nos. 79-80.
99	No. 32, dated 26th April 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Phillaur - Beas road.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Superintending Engineer, intimating that, in communication with Colonel Boileau, he is preparing an estimate for metalling the road from Phillaur to the Beas, and solicits sanction to the entertainment of Gunner John Whayman (an invalid) as an Overseer.	Progs. for the week ending 14th May 1853— Nos. 12—15.
	No. 270-474, dated 9th May 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Transmits a copy of the foregoing letter, with the Chief Commissioner's observations, regarding the importance of the road in question, and recommends the appointment of Gunner Whayman, on a monthly salary of Rs. 55, and that he be allowed a free passage from Chunar to Jullundur by the Government bullock train. Suggests that the road be placed under the charge of the Executive Engineer's Department.	
	No. 475, dated 9th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner of the above reference.	
100	No. 41, dated 19th April 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber agency on the Jhelum.	Submits a report from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum, on the working of the timber agency on that river, and adds that he considers the results of Captain Brown's operations satisfactory.	Nos. 24—31.
	No. 44, dated 20th April 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the foregoing, submits a list of establishment entertained for the Jhelum timber agency and solicits sanction to the same.	

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100—*concld.*	No. 483, dated 9th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Timber agency on the Jhelum.	In reply to above, informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner agrees with him in considering Captain Brown's report as very satisfactory, and that he sanctions the entertainment of the establishment required. Requests him to place himself in communication with the Deputy Commissioner of Hazara and to arrange with that officer for the cutting of timber in the Khagan glen on the most economic principles.	Progs. for the week ending 14th May 1853— Nos. 24—31.
	No. 484, dated 9th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazara.	Ditto Felling of timber in Khagan.	Forwards an extract from the foregoing letter and requests his zealous co-operation in the arrangements proposed for felling timber in Khagan.	
	No. 485, dated 9th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply to Commissioner's letter No. 14, dated 7th ultimo, forwards an extract from the above report, from which it will be perceived that Lieutenant Heath's connection with Maharaja Gulab Singh's people for the supply of timber on the Jhelum is not to cease.	
	No. 486, dated 9th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, for communication, to Lieutenant Taylor, Executive Engineer, Peshawar Road, an extract from the Jhelum Commissioner's letter, recording his conviction that the officers who purchased timber in the Jhelum through their own agents were not aware that the practice was open to objection.	
101	No. 479, dated 2nd May 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Seam of lignite coal near Jhelum.	Submits a report from Mr. Purdon on the seam of lignite coal discovered in the Jogi Tillah Mount, near Jhelum, and recommends the excavation of 500 maunds, as it will be a useful material in making up iron work when it can be procured at a less cost than charcoal.	Nos. 34—6.
	No. 488, dated 10th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the report of M. Marcadieu on the quality of the coal is as unfavourable as Mr. Purdon's report, but the Chief Commissioner has no objection to 400 or 500 maunds being excavated. It should not be procured, however, before it is actually required for use.	
102	No. 25, dated 4th May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Enlargement of the Gobindgarh cantonment.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar, stating that he will, on the requisition of the Military authorities, make over 800 yards of land for the enlargement of the cantonment of Govindgarh.	Nos. 40-41.

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102—*concld.*	No. 491, dated 11th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.	Enlargem-nt of Govindgarh cantonment.	With reference to his letter to the address of the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, regarding the enlargement of the cantonment of Govindgarh, informs the Quartermaster-General that the necessary orders have been issued to the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar to make over land averaging an extent of 800 yards on all sides and that the Deputy Commissioner will carry out these orders on a requisition being made by the Military authorities at Govindgarh.	Progs. for the week ending 14th May 1853— Nos. 40-41.
103	No. 636, dated 28th April 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of tea in Kangra.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2920, dated 8th September last, submits copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Kangra, furnishing the additional information called for regarding lands available in his district for tea cultivation, together with a statement of outlay on the plantation, and expresses his own opinion on the subject.	Nos. 49—54.
	No. 1775, dated 12th April 1853.. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of a letter from Dr. Jameson, Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, North-Western Provinces, with a statement of detailed accounts connected with the tea plantations in the Kangra valley, and requests to be favoured with any suggestion the Chief Commissioner may have to offer on the subject.	
	No. 278—497, dated 11th May 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the foregoing letter from the Commissioner and states that the Chief Commissioner concurs in all or nearly all the views of Mr. McLeod. Adds that the Chief Commissioner thinks that the most popular, as well as the most economical, plan for growing tea in the hills, would be to retain the Government plantations, mainly as nurseries, the people being encouraged to grow tea by the Government officers pledging themselves to purchase all grown at a given remunerative price. Observes that the plan of giving prizes for tea is judicious, but suggests that the number of prizes be increased and value of the larger ones diminished.	
104	No. 13, dated 9th May 1853 .. From—M. Marcadieu Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Geological research in the hills.	Reports the direction to which he intends to devote his researches and states that it is his intention to proceed to the Himalaya range, after he has satisfied himself that an examination of the Kangra hills is not likely to lead to any discoveries or results of interest.	Progs. for the week ending 21st May 1853— Nos. 1—3.

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104—*concld.*	No. 508, dated 16th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Geological research in the hills. Iron mines.	In reply, informs M. Marcadieu that the Chief Commissioner approves of his proceedings, and calls his attention to letter No. 464, showing the importance which Government attach to the iron ore of the hills. It is the desire of the Chief Commissioner that he should make it one of his primary objects to ascertain the extent to which that ore exists and its value for practical purposes.	Progs. for the week ending 21st May 1853— Nos. 1—3.
105	No. 2059, dated 6th May 1853 .. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Buildings on the Grand Trunk Road.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 203, of the 16th ultimo, regarding public buildings required along the highways of the Cis-Sutlej States, conveys sanction to an expenditure of Rs. 33,596 for constructing the requisite buildings on the Grand Trunk line, and states that sanction for the buildings on the other roads will be communicated in a separate letter.	Nos. 14—16.
	No. 2061, dated 6th May 1853 .. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Buildings on roads in Cis-Sutlej States.	In continuation of the foregoing, sanctions the expenditure of Rs. 19,600 for the construction of public buildings along certain lines of road in the Cis-Sutlej States.	
	No. 516, dated 16th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of both the foregoing letters, for his information.	
106	No. 2054, dated 6th May 1853 .. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Management of the Lodhran estates. Nabha claims rejected.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 213, dated 20th ultimo, directs the rejection of the claim of the Nabha State to any further tribute from that of Lodhran.	Nos. 17-18.
	No. 517, dated 16th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
107	No. 384, dated 9th May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Court language of Hazara changed from Persian to Urdu.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Hazara, requesting sanction to the language of his courts being changed from Persian to Urdu.	Nos. 25—7.
	No. 521, dated 17th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Sanctions the proposition.	
	No. 522, dated 17th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner and Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	

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108	No. 1213, dated 5th May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Postal arrangements between Bahawalpur and Multan.	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Postmaster in Sind, recommending that the line of post between Bahawalpur and Multan, including the dâk stations at Bahawalpur and Khanpur, be placed under him; and requests to be informed if the Chief Commissioner has any objection to the arrangement.	Progs. for the week ending 21st May 1853— Nos. 35—9.
	No. 525, dated 17th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner has no objection personally to the arrangement, but as he is not at all sure that the Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces, would not demur, it is necessary to consult that officer on the subject. Adds that, with reference to the delay in the conveyance of the dâk between Bahawalpur and Multan, the Chief Commissioner hopes that the new arrangements made by the Judicial Commissioner, by which a couple of light boats will be available for the transport of the post, will increas the average speed betwaen the two places.	
	No. 526, dated 17th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Postmaster-General.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the letter from the Commissioner in Sind, and requests he will favour the Chief Commissioner with his opinion as to the expediency or otherwise of the proposed arrangement.	
	No. 527, dated 17th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Enquires when the two boats ordered for the transport of the post over the Sutlej, opposite Bahawalpur, will be ready.	
109	No. 145, dated 9th May 1853 .. From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Relative merits of *kacha* and *pacca* brickwork in excluding heat.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter of the 7th May, requesting his opinion on the comparative power of *kacha* and *pacca* brickwork in excluding heat, observes that it is a common remark that the advantages are in favour of the former, but in his own opinion the temperature of a house does not in any way depend on the kind of bricks of which its walls are constructed. Recommends buildings of a certain structure.	Nos. 40—42.
	No. 533, dated 11th May 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 455, states that there is a general impression that *kacha* buildings are cooler than *pacca* ones, but he does not believe that there would be any material difference between the temperature of a building enclosed with *kacha* walls and one, similarly circumstanced, enclosed with well plastered burnt brick.	

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109—*cont'd.*	No. 528, dated 18th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Relative merits of *kacha* and *pacca* brick-work in excluding heat.	Forwards copies of the foregoing letters and adds that the Chief Commissioner himself is inclined to think that there is no advantage in favour of *kacha* bricks as buildings of such materials require constant repair and great attention.	Progs. for the week ending 21st May 1853— Nos. 40—42.
110	No. 2088, dated 6th May 1853 .. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Phillaur-Beas road.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 194, dated 18th ultimo, states that the Military Board have been requested to issue the necessary instructions to the Engineers' Department to take charge of the road from Phillaur to the Beas, in the Trans-Sutlej States.	Nos. 44-5.
	No. 530, dated 18th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
111	No. 712—28, dated 6th May 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Principle governing promotion of Extra Assistant Commissioners.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Mr. Kavanagh, Extra Assistant, Jullundur, requesting that it might be distinctly ascertained, for the satisfaction of himself and others holding that office, on what principle the promotion of Extra Assistants is in future to be regulated.	Nos. 46—8.
	No. 299-531, dated 18th May 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the above letter and adds that the Chief Commissioner concurs in the view taken of the subject by Mr. McLeod, but as it is necessary for the satisfaction of those in the position of Mr. Kavanagh that the doubt caused by the terms used in the Hon'ble Court of Directors' despatch should be removed, the subject is submitted for the orders of the Governor-General in Council.	
112	Dated 13th May 1853 .. From—Lieutenant A. H. Heath, on special duty, Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber duties on the Chenab.	Submits a Memo. of the duties levied by Maharaja Gulab Singh on timber on the river Chenab.	Nos. 51-2.

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112—*concld.*	No. 533, dated 18th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Leiutenant A. H. Heath, on special duty, Sialkot.	Timber duties on the Chenab.	Analyses the various classes of wood, their respective prices, including duty, and the percentage taken by the Maharaja as his share. Requests Lieut. Heath to offer any remarks that may occur to him in connection with the subject, and to state, more especially, if the Chief Commissioner is correct in supposing that the Maharaja has monopolized the wood trade on the Chenab. Also requests that he (Lieutenant Heath) will in no way alter the old rates without instructions from the Chief Commissioner. Observes that, though it is quite true that our necessities are so great as to render us willing to pay the enhanced prices proposed by him (Lieutenant Heath) for the long timber described in classes II, III, IV, yet, as there is no free-trade in wood, but on the contrary a closed monopoly, the question resolves itself into this, whether we are not justified in requiring the Maharaja to fix reasonable prices, such as will remunerate him without putting us to great loss.	Progs. for the week ending 21st May 1853— Nos. 51-2.
113	No. 14, dated 13th May 1853 .. From—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Examination of iron mines in Kangra, Simla Hills, Mandi, etc.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner s No. 464, dated 7th instant, and states that the directions conveyed therein for his operations coincide with his own views, and requests that a spot may be pointed out at Dharamsala, Kotkhai or Mandi where he may build a place for his re-agents.	Nos. 53—5.
	No. 534, dated 18th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner approves of his proposal to build a small place for his re-agents, but before he does so, it would be as well for him to make a cursory examination of the different localities, in order to ascertain what would be the most desirable site (it should be in British territory). Recommends his visiting Kotkhai before he determines on the site. Adds that the Deputy Commissioner or Assistant of the district wherever he may be will be directed to afford him every assistance in his power, and refers him to that officer accordingly.	
	No. 535, dated 18th May 1853 .. F om—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Kangra.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and requests himto afford M. Marcadien all the aid in his power.	

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114	No. 542, dated 12th May 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Price of bungalows in Anarkali.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Garrison Executive Engineer, Anarkali, showing the average cost of the Captains' and Subalterns' bungalows in the Anarkali lines, and enquires whether half of the original cost is a fair price for purchasers.	Progs. for the week ending 21st May 1853— Nos. 59—61.
	No. 537, dated 18th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner thinks the terms fair, and would be glad to see them bought at that price.	
115	No. 44, dated 11th May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a kacheri at Kasauli.	Reports the completion of the main building of his katcheri at Kasauli, at a cost of Rs. 2,723, and solicits sanction to the expenditure of a further sum of Rs. 500, to cover the rooms containing his English and vernacular records with a pent-roof and for the purchase of a few chairs, tables and carpets. Suggests that the building be put under the Executive Engineer of Public Works in the Ambala Division, in order that it may be looked after during his absence from head-quarters.	Nos. 70—72.
	No. 302—543, dated 18th May 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the above, and recommends an additional grant of Rs. 500 for the reasons given by Mr. Barnes. Adds that the Chief Commissioner concurs in the suggestion contained in the last paragraph of the letter regarding the placing the building under the Executive Engineer, Ambala.	
116	No. 168, dated 14th May 1853 .. From—The Revenue Surveyor, Bari Doab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Map of Lahore.	Encloses a map of Lahore and states that he will, if required, prepare one on the same scale from the right bank of the Ravi to the southern boundary of Mian Mir.	Nos. 75-6.
	No, 545, dated 19th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Revenue Surveyor, Bari Doab.	Ditto	In reply to above, conveys the thanks of the Chief Commissioner for the map and adds that he will be glad to receive the map of Lahore and its environs, whenever his leisure will admit of his preparing it.	
117	No. 1214, dated 5th May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Steamer service between Karachi and Aden.	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Postmaster in Sind and requests to be favoured with the opinion of the Chief Commissioner as to the advantage which would result to the Punjab from the proposal to run steamers from Karachi to Aden.	Nos. 87—9.

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117—*concld.*	No. 551, dated 20th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Steamer service between Karachi and Aden.	In reply, states that if such communication were available, it would, in the Chief Commissioner's opinion, be very generally resorted to, particularly if the accommodation in the river steamers were simultaneously improved. Adds that its advantages to the traveller from the Punjab to Europe are so manifest that nothing could counteract them, except the serious drawbacks of inconvenient accommodation, of uncertainly as to time, or of liability to detention.	Progs. for the week ending 21st May 1853— Nos. 87—9.
118	No. 2170, dated 11th May 1853 .. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Site for a sanitarium in the Chamba hills.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 192, dated 26th November last, states that the orders of the Governor General in Council, regarding the proposed sanitarium at Chamba, will be communicated hereafter.	Nos. 92-2.
	No. 553, dated 21st May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter, for his information.	
119	No. 53, dated 20th May 1853 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Care of buildings on the Grand Trunk Road.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 114, dated 18th instant, enquiring what arrangements he would make for the care of the buildings to be erected on the Grand Trunk Road in the Jullundur-Doab, states that he thinks that the Police, who may hereafter inhabit them, should be held responsible for their care.	Progs. for the week ending 28th May 1853— Nos. 9-10.
	No. 317—562, dated 24th May 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Buildings on road from Phillaur to Wazir Ghât.	Submits a copy of a letter No. 47, dated the 13th instant, from the Judicial Commissioner, regarding public buildings which it is proposed to erect on the road between Phillaur and Wazir Ghât. Observes that Mr. Montgomery has modified the proposition of the local authorities at Jullundur, especially in regard to *bardasht khanas* and solicits sanction to construction of 13½ *chokis* and 8 *bardasht khanas*, at an outlay of Rs. 2,550.	
120	No. 565, dated 25th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Contract for Government printing.	Enquires if he has any objection to engage the *Lahore Chronicle* Press for all the printing work of the Punjab, provided it is as well and as cheaply done as by any other press.	No. 13½.
	No. 566, dated 25th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	The same as the foregoing.	

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121	No. 576, dated 26th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Cultivation of tea in Kangra.	Forwards for record in his office; copy of a letter from Government, enclosing Dr. Jameson's report on the tea plantations in the Kangra district.	Progs. for the week ending 28th May 1853— No. 38.
122	No. 584, dated 28th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant R. Fagan, Superintendent, Civil Buildings.	Repairs to gateways of Badshahi Masjid, Lahore.	Informs him that it has been brought to the notice of the Chief Commissioner that one of the gateways of the Badshahi Masjid, adjoining the Hazuri Bagh, is in a dilapidated state, and requests him therefore to issue the necessary orders for pulling down at once the part which is dangerous and to submit an estimate of the cost of repairs.	Nos. 51-3.
	No. 585, dated 28th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter.	
	No. 586, dated 28th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Colonel Caley, Commanding, 64 N. I.	Ditto	Informs Colonel Caley of the instructions contained in the foregoing letter to Lieutenant Fagan.	
123	No. 634, dated 21st May 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fives Court in Lahore fort.	Forwards a letter from the Officiating Executive Officer at Lahore, and requests permission to pull down the Fives Court in the citadel.	Progs. for the week ending 4th June 1853— Nos. 2 *a*-2 *b*.
	No. 591, dated 30th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of Captain Baker's letter and states that the Chief Commissioner hopes it will not be necessary to pull down the Court which is a place of resort for many men of the two European companies in the fort.	
124	No. 653, dated 27th May 1853 .. From—The Brigadier-General Commanding at Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Temporary withdrawal of European troops from Lahore fort.	Forwards a letter from the Quartermaster-General of the Army, and requests to be favoured with the Chief Commissioner's opinion regarding the withdrawal of the company of His Majesty's 96th Regiment and of the artillery from the citadel during the sickly season.	Nos. 3—6.
	No. 592, dated 30th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Brigadier-General Commanding at Lahore.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner does not see any immediate necessity for sending the company of His Majesty's 96th Regiment into the fort, though at the same time he considers that it would doubtless be more secure if the company were present. Suggests that itbe moved into the fort, if the barracks are ready, and remain there till the commencement of the sickly season when it can be moved into Mian Mir, but recommends that the company of artillery remain throughout the season, unless it becomes very sickly.	

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124—*concld.*	No. 339—593, dated 30th May 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.	Temporary withdrawal of European troops from Lahore fort.	Transmits copy of the foregoing letters and recommends the retention of the 96th Infantry in the fort up to the 1st of August and the artillery altogether.	Progs. for the week ending 4th June 1853— Nos. 3—6.
125	No. 48, dated 20th May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of local Commissioners (Municipality) in Simla.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 100, dated the 5th March last, submits copies of the revised set of rules and resolutions of the local Commissioners at Simla, framed at a meeting held on the 30th ultimo, and observes that nearly all the suggestions of the Chief Commissioner have been adopted.	Nos. 7—11.
	No. 594, dated 30th May 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto Framing of rules. *Ex-officio* members.	In reply; observes; with reference to the large sums of Government money which will be at the disposal of the local Commissioners, that the Chief Commissioner considers it incumbent on him to see that the rules contain an emphatic declaration of the conditions upon which the money is to be available. Directs a modification of Rule VIII to the effect that the collection of the revenue shall rest, as heretofore, with the Deputy Commissioner of Simla. Directs also certain alterations in Rule X, and adds that the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that there should be two Government Commissioners in the Committee, *viz.*, the Deputy and the Assistant Commissioners of Simla.	
126	No. 60, dated 27th May 1853 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Church at Peshawar.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 446, dated the 4th May 1853, furnishes the further information called for regarding the amount already expended on the church at Peshawar, and states that the Committee are of opinion that the present structure should not be materially altered and they wish to make as much use as possible of the present structure as it stands.	Nos. 23—5.
	No. 340-601½, dated 31st May 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Suggestion that all churches be constructed under supervision of Engineers.	Forwards a copy of the annexed letter and of previous correspondence on the subject, and states that the Chief Commissioner recommends that the present design for the church at Peshawar be abandoned and an entirely new one adopted, and that as the misfortune has occurred from no professional opinion having been taken on the plans and designs of Lieutenant Newmarch, orders be issued that the construction of all the churches in the Punjab be under the supervision of the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle.	

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127	No. 420, dated 23rd May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Epidemic of fever in Eusafzai.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar, reporting the result of the quarantine at the ferries of Abozai, Charsadda, and Nowshera, to check the spread of the Eusafzai fever.	Progs. for the week ending 4th June 1853— Nos. 46-7.
	No. 613, dated 1st June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Commissioner that he can exercise his own discretion in maintaining or doing away with the quarantine rules.	
128	No. 2887, dated 18th May 1853 ... From—The Secretary to the Bombay Government. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of linseed in the Punjab.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Bombay Chamber of Commerce, showing that the cultivation of linseed might profitably be extended in the Punjab.	Nos. 51—4.
	No. 615, dated 2nd June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the enclosure of the annexed letter, and requests he will circulate it to the Commissioners subordinate to him.	
	No. 616, dated 2nd June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary to A. H. Society, Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the letter.	
129	No. 346—617, dated 2nd June 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.	Trunk road through the Beas valley.	Submits copies of correspondence with the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, regarding an advance of Rs. 20,000 which the Chief Commissioner has authorised to be made in order to commence at once the raised causeway for the trunk road through the valley of the Beas. Adds that he did so in anticipation of Government sanction; as the work is of the greatest public importance.	No. 55.
130	No. 306, dated 26th May 1853 .. From—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Postal arrangements between Bahawalpur and Multan.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 526 of the 17th May 1853, states that he does not consider it desirable that the line from Multan to Bahawalpur should be placed under the charge of the Post Master at Karachi.	Nos. 62-3.
	No. 621, dated 3rd June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the annexed letter, for information.	
131	No. 542, dated 31st May 1853 From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fives Court in the Lahore fort.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 591 of the 30th May 1853, states that the application to pull down the Fives Court in the citadel was made without his concurrence and that he has directed the Executive Engineer at Lahore to refrain from applying to the Civil Department for the demolition of any buildings without his consent.	Nos. 72-3.

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131—*concld.*	No. 627, dated 4th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Fives Court in the Lahore fort.	Replying to his letter No. 634, dated the 21st April 1853, forwards a copy of the annexed letter, for information.	Progs. for the week ending 4th June 1853— Nos. 72-3.
132	No. 21, dated 30th May 1853 .. From—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mineral resources of Dharmsala.	M. Marcadieu submits to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner a report on the ferruginous resources of the country about Dharmsala and states that he is about starting for Mundi.	Progs. fort he week ending 11th June 1853— Nos. 4—7.
	No. 634 dated 6th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, informs M. Marcadieu that a copy of his report will be sent to the Government of India and, as it appears clear that he is not likely to discover any mineral wealth where he now is, suggests that he might as well proceed to the iron mines at Kotekhai, Government being anxious for his opinion on those particular mines.	
	No. 357—635 dated 6th June 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter from M. Marcadieu, and of the report that accompanied it, and of previous correspondence on the subject, and observes that the report appears to be conclusive as to the supply of iron being too scanty for any work upon a large scale. Adds that a box of specimens sent by that officer will be despatched at once and that he will now proceed to examinethe Kotekhai mine near Simla.	
133	No. 32, dated 2nd June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Records connected with the Jhelum timber agency.	Enquires whether the Chief Commissioner would wish to have all the papers to and from Lieutenant Health, which have been recorded in his (Commissioner's) office, transferred to Chief Commissioner's office.	Nos. 16-17.
	No. 641, dated 7th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner would wish to have all the correspondence for record in this office.	
134	No. 2368, dated 27th May 1853 .. From—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Alterations and improvements in the Lahore citadel.	Forwards a copy of a report by the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, on the progress made in altering and improving the citadel of Lahore during the past year, and requests to be favoured with the Chief Commissioner's opinion on the proposition made to remove the mass of old buildings attached to the Diwan-i-Am.	Nos. 22—4.
	No. 359—643, dated 7th June 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Secretary the Government of India.	Ditto The Diwan-i-Am.	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner concurs in the proposition of the Superintending Engineer to open out the north side of Dewan-i-Am, so as to give a free current of air.	

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135	No. 2400, dated 27th May 1853 From—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Geological collections made by Dr. Fleming.	States that Dr. Fleming's report on the geology of the Punjab has been received and forwarded to the Asiatic Society for publication in their Journal.	*Progs.* for the week ending 11th June 1853— Nos. 35-6.
	No. 650, dated 8th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. Fleming.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, for information.	
136	No. 33, dated 2nd June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lead for Amritsar church windows.	Submits copy of an application from the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar, on behalf of the members of the Church Building Committee, for five maunds of lead once destined for bullets, but now proposed to be converted into church windows.	Nos. 37-8.
	No. 363—651, dated 8th June 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the annexed letter and adds that the Chief Commissioner considers the application reasonable, as the church is being built by private contributions alone.	
137	No. 17, dated 12th January 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishme n t of dispensaries.	In reply to Board's Circular No. 68, dated the 13th September last, reports the result of the enquiries of the district officers as to the aid which European residents of the divisions are disposed to render towards the establishment of dispensaries.	Nos. 49—65.
	No. 41, dated 15th January 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	The same as above.	
	No. 67, dated 14th February 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Ditto ditto.	
	No. 731, dated 13th November 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Ditto ditto.	
	No. 576, dated 15th November 1853. From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Ditto ditto.	
	No. 592, dated 29th September 1853. From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Ditto ditto.	

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137—*concld.*	No. 370—656, dated 9th June 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.	Establishment of dispensaries.	States that the Board, by a Circular dated the 20th February last, enquired at what stations in each division Commissioners would recommend the establishment of hospitals and dispensaries, and whether the residents would subscribe for the maintenance of indoor patients. Encloses an abstract of the correspondence which ensued and communicates the opinions of the Chief Commissioner in detail.	Progs. for the week ending 11th June 1853— Nos. 49—65.
	No. 657, dated 9th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Enquires, with reference to previous correspondence on the subject, in what manner the dispensary at Jhelum is supported at present, as Captain Browne, in his letter to the address of the Commissioner, says that the charge for house-rent will not be required, as he has removed the dispensary into a Government building, whereas in his letter to this office, Commissioner applies for a dispensary at Jhelum to be supported by Government.	
138	No. 53, dated 30th May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mamdot subscription to Wellington Memorial.	Encloses an order for Rs. 500, being the amount subscribed by the Raja of Mamdot to the Wellington endowment and a *khareeta* to the address of the Chief Commissioner.	Nos. 87-8.
	No. 667, dated 10th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the order, and sends a letter to the address of the Raja.	
139	No. 2276, dated 20th May 1853 .. From—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Army Commissariat system.	Forwards a printed copy of the report of the Commission appointed to enquire into the system of the Army Commissariat.	Nos. 91—227.
	No. 377—670, dated 11th June 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the report.	
140	No. 36, dated 27th May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suket subscription to Wellington Memorial.	Forwards a *khareeta* from the Raja of Suket, to the address of the Chief Commissioner, together with a draft for Rs. 200 as a contribution to the Wellington endowment.	Nos. 233 35.
	No. 37, dated 3rd June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Sends the *khareeta* which he omitted to forward with the foregoing letter.	
	No. 673, dated 11th June 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft and sends a Persian letter to the address of the Raja.	

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141	No. 433, dated 27th May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Progress of vaccination.	Submits monthly statements from the Deputy Commissioners of Kohat and Hazara, reporting the result of vaccination operations in their districts.	Progs. for the week ending 11th June 1853— Nos. 239½-240.
	No. 441 dated 31st May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the foregoing, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar, reporting the result of the proclamation inviting the people in his district to bring their children to be vaccinated. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	
142	No. 24, dated 23rd May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Leiah, Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Routes and stages.	Forwards a statement of stages from Multan towards Mithankot, Leiah, Dera Ghazi Khan and Dera Ismail Khan, in the Leiah Division.	Nos. 242-43.
143	No. 679, dated 14th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Bhati Gate drain, Mian Mir road and Shalamar road, Lahore.	Informs him that the Chief Commissioner has passed certain bills, with the exception of those for the Bhati Gate drain and the Mian Mir road, both of which have considerably exceeded the estimate. Calls for a report on the necessity for the extra expenditure for the former, and a revised estimate for the latter. With reference to the bill for the Shalamar road, states that the Chief Commissioner has passed it under the impression that it is a part of the Lahore and Amritsar road, but observes that if this impression is incorrect, the Civil Engineer should intimate the same, pointing out the authority under which the work was undertaken.	Progs. for the week ending 18th June 1853— No. 14.
144	No. 464, dated 9th June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Epidemic of fever in Eusafzai.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 613, dated the 1st June 1853, reports that the district of Hustnuggur having been reported free from the Eusafzai fever, the quarantine rules have been discontinued at Abozai and Charsudda.	Nos. 30-31.
	No. 389—688, dated 15th June 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the above letter, for submission to the Governor-General in Council.	
145	No. 693, Circular No. 7, dated 15th June 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions	Charge certificates. Instructions for filling up of leave applications.	Requests all officers in future to furnish the Civil Auditor with certificates of the dates on which they make over and resume charge of their duties when proceeding on or returning from leave of absence. Adds that, on applying for leave under section 11 of the Absentee Rules, officers should invariably state when they last had leave under that clause, and whether they have had any leave on medical certificate in the interim.	Nos. 38—42.

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145—*concld.*	No. 694, dated 15th June 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Charge certificates Instructions for filling up of leave application. Distribution list of officers.	Forwards a copy of the foregoing circular and a distribution list of Punjab officers as on the 1st May last.	Progs. for the week ending 18th June 1853— Nos. 38—42.
	Nos. 695, 696, and 697, dated 15th June 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial and Judicial Commissioners and Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing circular.	
146	No. 2529, dated 17th June 1853.. From—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Buildings on the Grand Trunk Road in Jullundur.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 317, dated the 24th May 1853, conveys sanction to the expenditure of Rs. 2,550 on certain public buildings to be erected on the Grand Trunk Road through the Jullundur District, between Phillaur and Wazirghat.	Nos. 56-7;
	No. 706, dated 16th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter, for information.	
147	No. 2559, dated 9th June 1853 .. From—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Principles governing the promotion of Extra Assistant Commissioners.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 299, dated the 18th May 1853, regarding the salary to be drawn by Extra Assistants, states that the Governor-General in Council thinks that the Hon'ble Court of Directors cannot have meant that no Extra Assistants of whatever standing shall receive a salary of more than Rs. 250 per month, but is of opinion that the remark is intended to apply only to Extra Assistants on their first appointment.	Nos. 70-71.
	No. 713, dated 18th June 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
148	No. 2584, dated 10th June 1853.. From—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sanitary condition of Lahore citadel.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 238, dated the 30th April 1853, submitting correspondence having reference to various measures proposed for improving the sanitary condition of the Lahore citadel, states that the Governor-General in Council awaits the further report promised therein.	Progs. for the week ending 25th June 1853— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 717, dated 20th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, together with an extract (paragraph 10) from the letter of the Chief Commissioner to which it is a reply, and requests that he will furnish the report called for as early as possible.	

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149	No. 863, dated 13th June 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bhati Gate drain, Lahore.	Submits Lieutenant Fagan's bill for the construction of the Bhati Gate drain for October 1851, and adds that its earlier transmission was delayed pending the receipt of a statement of the work done, which statement now accompanies.	Progs. for the week ending 25th June 1853— Nos. 3—6.
	No. 718, dated 21st June 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, requests him, with reference to the 8th paragraph of the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 679, to furnish a revised estimate, for submission to Government. The Chief Commissioner does not think that he has the power to pass bills (without reference to Government) when the estimates have been exceeded.	
150	No. 2489, dated 27th May 1853 .. From—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea cultivation in Kangra.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 278, dated the 11th May 1853, directs that Dr. Jameson's report on tea cultivation in the Kangra district, together with the correspondence which accompanied it, may be printed as a number of the Punjab Selections.	Nos. 10—12.
	No. 720, dated 21st June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and of that to which it is a reply, for record in his office.	
	No. 721, dated 21st June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. Jameson, Saharanpur.	Ditto	Enquires whether any orders have been lately received by him from the Government, regarding the extension of tea cultivation in the Kangra district, and if so, requests that a copy may be supplied to this office.	
151	No. 66, dated 16th June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Forests on the Jhelum.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum, to the effect that in consequence of Mr. Arratoon being permitted by Maharaja Gulab Singh to cut timber and float it down the Jhelum river, frequent squabbles are occurring between his people and the establishments of Government and the Raja. Suggests that the Maharaja be requested not to grant such permission again, as it is detrimental to a scheme which gives promise of being beneficial to the people of the Sind Sagar and Chuj Doabs. Recommends that an officer of Government be appointed to manage the forests and that the net profit be given to the Maharaja.	Nos. 30—32.

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151—*concld.*	No. 731, dated 23rd June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Forests on the Jhelum. Mr. Arratoon.	In reply, states that, after discussing the matter with Diwan Jowala Sahai, the Chief Commissioner believes that the Maharaja would be averse to make his forests on the Jhelum over to our management. As regards Mr. Arratoon, the Chief Commissioner is unwilling to urge the Maharaja to exclude him from cutting wood, as he cannot exactly see what harm Mr. Arratoon can do. If his mark leads to mistakes, he can be requested to adopt another method. Requests Commissioner will state what harm can arise from that individual being allowed to cut wood on the Jhelum. Adds that the Maharaja has already excluded him (Mr. Arratoon) from carrying wood down the Chenab, so that he will be gradually driven from all sources of earning a livelihood in the timber agency, and this the Chief Commissioner would deprecate.	Progs. for the week ending 25th June 1853— Nos, 30—32.
152	No. 736, dated 23rd Juue 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Suitability of Gurdaspur for district head-quarters. Batala as an alternative.	Requests that he will direct the Deputy Commissioner of Gurdaspur to suspend the erection of any Government buildings at that place until the cold weather, as there seems to be some doubt as to its sa'ubrity. Directs that on the 1st November next a report may be submittted, with a recommendation based on the experience of the preceding 5 months, either in favour of retaining or abandoning Gurdaspur. Adds that in the event of its being considered advisable to abandon it, the Commissioner and the Deputy Commissioner should state whether they would retain Batala as the Civil Station or select some other spot.	No. 38.
153	No. 41, dated 13th June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Clearing a space of 200 yards round the city of Lahore.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 353, on the subject of clearing a space of 200 yards round the city of Lahore, submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, with a statement of compensation, amounting to Rs. 4,216-7-0, to be paid to the owners of buildings proposed to be demolished.	Nos. 44-5.

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153—*concld.*	No. 738, dated 24th June 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Clearing a space of 200 yards raund the city of Lahore. Care to be exercised in demolition of buildings.	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner would not wish that any building should be destroyed which does not affect the salubrity of the city, and great discretion should be exercised in deciding what buildings should be destroyed. Requests that the statement be reconsidered and that a rough field map, showing the buildings proposed to be removed in one colour and those to stand in another, be submitted, together with two lists, one for each of the two descriptions of buildings, the map and the lists showing corresponding numbers.	Progs. for the week ending 25th June 1853— Nos. 44-5.
154	No. 914, dated 18th June 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Boats for the Kabul and Swat rivers.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Taylor, Executive Engineer, Peshawar Road, stating that the boats hitherto constructed for the Kabul and Swat rivers have cost Rs. 242-9-9 each, instead of Rs. 200, and showing a total excess of Rs. 3,000 over the sum sanctioned. Recommends that Government be applied to for sanction to cover the additional expense.	Nos. 52-4.
	No. 417—741, dated 24th June 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India,	Ditto	Forwards a copy and enclosures of the above letter and states that Lieutenant Henderson, the officer employed on the construction of the boats, attributes the excess, compared with that at which he built country boats in 1850, to the greater variety of hard wood and to the boats now built being of a more solid construction. Under this explanation, recommends that the expenditure be sanctioned.	
155	No. 43, dated 16th June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Records of the Jhelum timber agency.	In compliance with the request contained in Chief Commissioner's letter No. 641, dated the 7th June 1853, forwards all the correspondence that has passed between his office and Lieutenant Heath,	Nos. 60—62.
	No. 745, dated 25th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Calls for all the correspondence between his office and Mr. Prinsep previous to Lieutenant Heath.	
156	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd June 1853 .. From—Mr. M. Arratoon .. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Complaint against the agents of Maharaja Gulab Singh in connection with timber cutting.	Complains that his Munshi has been prevented by the agents of the Maharaja Gulab Singh from cutting and storing his timber at Aknour. Adds that the consequence of such proceeding will be to ruin him, and solicits the interference of the Chief Commissioner in his behalf.	Nos. 68-9,

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158—*concld.*	No. 749, dated 25th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. M. Arratoon.	Complaint against the agents of Maharaja Gulab Singh in connection with timber cutting.	Informs Mr. Arratoon, in reply that the Chief Commissioner has addressed the Maharaja on the subject and has also requested Lieutenant Heath to proceed to the spot and enquire into the circumstances.	Progs. for the week ending 25th June 1853— Nos. 68-9.
159	No. 68, dated 17th June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary at Jhelum.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 657, dated the 9th June 1853, supplies the required information relative to the dispensary at Jhelum, and sends an extract from a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum on the subject. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 70.
160	No. 2543, dated 8th June 1853 .. From—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Punjab affairs. (Despatch from Court of Directors.)	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, No. 11, dated the 13th April 1853, on Punjab affairs. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 71-2.
161	No. 915, dated 18th June 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bridges in Anarkali.	Forwards a report by Lieutenant Fagan, Superintendent, Civil Buildings, on the state of the bridges in Anarkali and its vicinity. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 74-5.
162	No. 69, dated 17th June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations in the Jhelum Division.	Forwards papers relative to vaccine operations in the Jhelum Division for April and May 1853.	Nos. 82-3.
163	No. 2707, dated 17th June 1853.. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Government printing.	Intimates that Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co. having contracted for the Government printing work from the 1st of July next, no other establishment *in Calcutta* is to be employed.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd July 1853— Nos. 14—16.
	Nos. 757 and 753, dated 27th June 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner and the Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
164	No. 2739, dated 17th June 1853.. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Peshawar church Construction of the churches to be supervised by Superintending Engineer.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 340, dated the 31st May 1853, approves of a new design being prepared for the Peshawar church and submitted for approval to the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, and that the supervision of all the churches in course of erection should be under the same authority.	Nos. 20*a*-20*b*.
	No. 762, dated 28th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	

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165	No. 2665, dated 10th June 1853.. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations in Simla hills.	Forwards a copy of the annual report on the Simla Vaccine Establishment, and requests that the approbation of Government may be conveyed to those Hill Chiefs who offered no opposition to the Deputy Commissioner's efforts to diffuse the vaccine views.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd July 1853— Nos. 20c—20e.
	No. 763, dated 28th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Hill States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above; together with letters adressed to the Chiefs who either aided or offered no opposition to Deputy Commissioner's operations.	
166	No. *Nil*, dated 24th June 1853 .. From—Mr. M. Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Complaint against the Agents of Maharaja Gulab Singh in connection with timber cutting.	Requests return of his letter of yesterday's date, complaining that the Maharaja Gulab Singh's Kardar had prevented his Munshi from storing his timber at Aknour, as he finds that the loss is not so serious as was first reported to him.	Nos. 21-2.
	No. 764, dated 28th June 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. M. Arratoon.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Arratoon that the Chief Commissioner will not notice his first letter. but that it has been placed on record in the Chief Commissioner's office.	
167	No. 2734, dated 17th June 1853 .. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Trunk road through the Beas valley.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 346, dated the 2nd June 1853, conveys sanction to an advance of Rs. 20,000 to the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, to commence at once the raised causeway for the trunk road through the valley of the Beas.	Nos. 23-4.
	No. 765, dated 28th June 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Jullundur.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
168	No. *Nil*, dated 28th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to cross Punjab sheep with merino sheep. Purchase of 24 merino rams at public expense.	Forwards an extract from a report from the Wool, Cotton and Sugar Committee, regarding the expediency of crossing the breed of Punjab sheep with merino sheep, and requests that an application may be made to Government to sanction the purchase, at the public expense, of twenty-four merino rams from N. S. Wales for that purpose.	Nos. 58—60.
	No. 430-783, dated 30th June 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner. Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the annexed letter and enclosures, and as the object in view is a commendable one and the experiment appears worth trying, recommends that the proposition be sanctioned.	

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169	No. *Nil*, dated 24th June 1853 .. From—Captain J. Vaughan, Commanding 5th Punjab Infantry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Estimated cost of printing Pushto grammar.	In continuation of his letter of the 3rd ultimo, states the estimated cost of printing his Pushto grammar and that he intends having it printed at the Baptist Mission Press at Calcutta.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd July 1853— Nos. 61-2.
	No. 784. dated 30th June 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain J. Vaughan, Commanding 5th Punjab Infantry.	Ditto	In reply, forwards a copy of the Government order prohibiting the employment of any other printing establishment in Calcutta than that of Messrs. Samuel Smith and Co. for the execution of any Government work.	
170	No. 82, dated 25th June 1853 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Peshawar church	In continuation of his letter No. 60, forwards copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer, Peshawar, stating that he has suspended the preparation of a plan of the church at Peshawar on which he was engaged, and trusts that something will now be finally determined on.	Nos. 72—4.
	No. 788 dated 1st July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that the decision of Government regarding the Peshawar church has been communicated to him by letter No. 762, dated 27th May 1853.	
171	No. 88, dated 27th June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Measures to check the spread of Eusafzai epidemic.	Submits correspondence regarding the measures necessary to check the spread of the Eusafzai epidemic in the Chuch Doab.	Nos. 75-*a-b*—76.
	No. 789, dated 1st July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Commissioner that if Native Doctors are available, they should be sent out to visit a few of the infected villages. Brief proclamations should be issued to the tahsildars, explaining the great advantages of cleanliness and the necessity of separating the sick from the healthy.	
172	No. 59, dated 27th May 1853 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Arrangements for printing work of various departments in the Punjab. Monopoly proposed for *Lahore Chronicle* Press.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 565, dated the 23rd May 1853, regarding the offer made by Mr. Cope to undertake, on certain conditions, the printing work of the various departments of the Punjab, states that, in his opinion, the arrangement would be very advantageous and convenient.	Nos. 77—80.

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172—*concld.*	No. 790, dated 1st July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Arrangements for printing work of various departments in the Punjab.	In reply, states that, on further consideration, the Chief Commissioner has resolved that it would not be expedient to oblige the local officers to resort to one press for their forms and returns, and he would, therefore, leave it to the discretion of the Commissioners of Divisions, only requiring that the forms laid down in the Judicial and the Financial Departments be strictly adhered to and that Deputy Commissioners be strictly informed that it is not competent for them to make any modifications.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd July 1853— Nos. 77—80.
	No. 94, dated 28th May 1853 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 566, dated the 25th of May 1853, states that he considers it very advantageous to have all the permanent forms printed at the *Lahore Chronicle* Press, but only for the Punjab proper, leaving it optional with the authorities in the Cis- and Trans-Sutlej States to obtain their forms from other presses.	
	No. 791. dated 1st July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, forwards a copy of letter No. 790, dated the 1st July 1853, addressed to the Judicial Commissioner on the subject.	
173	No. 26, dated 21st June 1853 .. From—Monsieur Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on iron mines in Kangra.	Submits his report on the ferruginous resources of the mines in the vicinity of the village of Biri, Kangra district, and forwards specimens of the schists from the different mines.	Nos. 81—3.
	No. 792, dated 1st July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and requests that he will inform the Chief Commissioner of the situation of these mines, whether on Government or jagir land, and respecting the parties who at present work them.	
174	No. 2824, dated 23rd June 1853.. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lead for Amritsar church windows.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 363, dated the 8th June 1853, conveys sanction to the grant of 50 maunds of lead from the civil magazine at Govindgarh to the Amritsar Church Committee.	Nos. 95-6.
	No. 798, dated 2nd July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for compliance.	
175	No. 956, dated 25th June 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Boats for Kabul and Swat rivers.	States that 28 boats out of 70 ordered to be built for the Kabul and Swat rivers were made over to the Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar, on the 9th June 1853. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 107.

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176	No. 911, dated 18th June 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant Fagan's bills for Shalamar road.	Explains the charges made in Lieutenant Fagan's bills for the Shalamar road. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd July 1853— No. 110.
177	No. 61, dated 8th June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of a kutchery for Assistant Commissioner at Murree.	Forwards a plan and estimate, prepared by Colonel Napier, for the Assistant Commissioner's kutchery at Murree and solicits sanction to the erection of the building. Suggests that the Murree Branch Treasury be allowed to grant drafts and that an English clerk be allowed for the Assistant Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 9th July 1853— Nos. 8-9.
	No. 444-804, dated 4th July 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, with enclosures, and states that the Chief Commissioner concurs in the opinion as to the necessity for providing office accommodation for the officer-in-charge of the civil duties at Murree and, therefore, recommends the proposition for sanction.	
178	No. 689, dated 27th June 1853 .. From—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Statement of uncovenanted assistants of the Chief Commissioner's office.	With reference to the orders of Government sanctioning the division of the office establishment consequent on the abolition of the late Board, requests to be supplied with a detailed statement of the uncovenanted assistants of the Chief Commissioner's office as they stood on the 1st May 1853.	Nos. 10—13.
	No. 805, dated 5th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards the statement asked for in the above letter.	
179	No. 755, dated 7th June 1853 .. From—The Officiating Junior Secretary to the Revenue Board, Calcutta. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles contributed by Major Abbott for the Great Exhibition.	Forwards enclosure of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, relative to certain articles contributed by Major Abbott from Hazara to the Great Exhibition and disposed of in accordance with his wishes.	Nos. 14-15.
	No. 806, dated 5th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major Abbott, Boundary Commissioner.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, together with enclosures, for his information.	

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180	No. 64, dated 27th June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pension of Sardar Nihal Singh, of Chappur.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Thanesar, and enquires whether the pension of Sardar Nihal Singh, of Chappur, lately deceased, is to descend to his sons, Jassa Singh and others. Observes that in the original orders of Government granting the Sardar a pension, the reversion is allowed to Jassa Singh, the eldest son, but it was not then noted that there were other sons who, by the custom of the family, would be entitled to equal shares. Solicits, therefore, instructions as to whether the pension is to be considered hereditary, and secondly whether it should be equally divided among all the three sons.	Progs. for the week ending 9th July 1853. Nos. 29—31.
	No. 452—812, dated 6th July 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, with enclosures, and recommends that the full amount of the pension be continued and that it be divided into four shares, two of them being assigned to Jassa Singh and one to each of the other sons.	
181	No. 67, dated 28th June 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Objection of Simla Local Committee to the Deputy Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner both being members.	Submits a copy of the reply of the Local Commissioners at Simla to the proposition contained in letter from this office No. 594, dated 30th May 1853, and, with reference to their objection to the Assistant Commissioner having a seat in the meeting as well as the Deputy Commissioner, observes that, as it is essential for the independence and efficiency of municipal bodies that they should be left as much as possible to themselves, it would be as well to avoid any measure which would wear the appearance of dictation.	Nos. 57—9.
	No. 459—824, dated 7th July 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the above letter and of previous correspondence on the subject, and states the reasons of the Chief Commissioner for considering it advisable that both the Government officers should have seats at the meetings of the Local Commissioners, but, at the same time, he is quite willing that the management of one Government member should be tried.	
182	*No. Nil*, dated 4th July 1853 .. *From—The Secretary to the Agri-Horticultural Society.* *To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.*	Experiments in seri-culture.	Reports regarding the experimental cultivation of the silk-worm in the country by the Society and, as the results already obtained encourage the continuance of the experiments, requests that the assistance of Government might be obtained to an establishment costing Rs. 54 per month, to the construction of racks, the purchase of the machinery required for winding the silk, and to the travelling expenses and wages of two qualified men proposed to be procured from Murshidabad.	Nos. 62-3.

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182—*concld.*	No. 460—826, dated 8th July 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Experiments in seri-culture. Assistance from Government.	Forwards a copy of the above letter and states that the Chief Commissioner recommends the request contained in it to the favourable consideration of His Lordship in Council, deeming the object worthy of promotion.	Progs. for the week ending 9th July 1853— Nos. 62-3.
183	No. 2862, dated 24th June 1853.. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Administration of the Punjab for 1849-50 and 1850-51.	Acknowledges receipt of the Board's report on the administration of the Punjab for the year 1849-50 and 1850-51 and conveys an acknowledgment of the obligations of the Government of India to the gentlemen constituting the Board and to those several officers who have been specially recommended in the report.	Nos. 64—77.
	Nos. 827-828-29, dated 8th July 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant-Colonel Sir H. M. Lawrence, K.C.B., Rajputana; C. G. Mansel, Esq., late Senior Member, Nagpur; R. Montgomery, Esq., Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the letter from Government.	
	Nos. 830-840, dated 8th July 1853	Ditto	Extracts from the foregoing Government letter also sent to all Commissioners, the Officiating Military Secretary, the Commandant of Police and the Civil Engineer, Punjab, for their information, and that of officers under them.	
184	No. 48, dated 4th July 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Records of the Jhelum Timber Agency.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 745, dated the 25th June 1853, transmits all the correspondence that has passed between his office and Assistant Commissioner E. A. Prinsep, regarding the supply of timber. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 82-3.
185	No. 75, dated 1st July 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Jhelum Timber Agency.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 731, dated 23rd ultimo, relative to the Timber Agency, explains his reason for thinking that the Government monoply should be maintained and that Mr. Arratoon should be prevented from felling timber and floating it down the Jhelum.	Progs. for the week ending 16th July 1853— Nos. 1—5.
	No. 844, dated 11th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Replying to the above, states that the Chief Commissioner admits that it would perhaps be better to exclude Mr. Arratoon from the timber trade, but the Chief Commissioner would not wish him to be interfered with this year, more especially as he is a man of energy and spirit and has done good service in attempting to benefit himself; besides which he is well spoken of by Lieutenant Heath and others.	

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186	No. 49, dated 20th May 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Progress of vaccination in Cis-Sutlej States.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 3, dated 10th March 1853, submits a report on the progress of vaccination in his Division.	Progs. for the week ending 16th July 1853— Nos. 7—9.
	No. 846 dated 11th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply to the above, informs the Commissioner, that the success which has attended Dr. Connon's exertions in the districts round Simla is highly honorable to that gentleman and that a copy of his report has been laid before Government. The Chief Commissioner cannot admit that the Vaccine Depôt at Simla is not already on a permanent and liberal footing and he, therefore could not ask Government for an Assistant Surgeon for vaccine alone, though he is willing to request that Dr. Connon be continued for two years more, as an acknowledgment of his services.	
	No. 847, dated 11th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the foregoing correspondence and observes that the favourable results therein reported are attributable to the personal endeavours and ardent interest with which Dr. Connon applied himself to the work before him. The Chief Commissioner being deeply sensible of the vast benefits which have ensued to the people, would be very glad to see Dr. Connon continued at his post for a further period of two years, and, therefore, recommends the measure for the favourable consideration of Government.	
187	No. 848, dated 12th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Heath, on special duty.	Price of wood coming down the Chenab.	Informs Lieutenant Heath that Maharaja Gulab Singh has consented to fix the price of all wood coming down the Chenab at the uniform rate of 3½ *tassus* for the rupee, and requests his careful attention that the Raja's servants do not evade this arrangement.	No. 10.
188	No. 78, dated 17th July 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Measures to check the progress of the Eusafzai fever.	With reference to his letter No. 789, to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, forwards copies of correspondence with the Deputy Commissioner of Rawalpindi, and solicits the Chief Commissioner's approval of the measures adopted to check the progress of the Eusafzai fever.	Nos. 17—19.
	No. 852, dated 12th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner approves of the guarantee given to the Medical Officers of receiving Rs. 100 a month and their *bonâ fide* travelling allowance while employed in Chach. With reference to the 7th paragraph, suggests that Mr. Carnac should himself go to Attock and while there look after the left bank of the Indus, which is not in a satisfactory state.	

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188—*concld.*	No. 469-853, dated 12th July 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Measures to check the progress of the Eusafzai fever.	Forwards a copy of the foregoing correspondence and solicits the approval of His Lordship in Council to the instructions given and to the employment of Drs. Farquhar and Adley in Chach, on a remuneration of Rs. 100 per month, besides their travelling allowances.	Progs. for the week ending 16th July 1853— Nos. 17—19.
189	No. 93, dated 7th July 1853 .. From—Dr. A. Fleming, 4th Punjab Cavalry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Notes on the Kerana iron ore.	Submits notes on the Kerana iron ore and requests that they may be sent for publication in the Asiatic Society's Journal. States that he drew these up in consequence of observing in the Asiatic Society's proceedings an analysis by Mr. Paddington of a specimen of the ore, which appears to be different from that of Kerana.	Nos. 29—31.
	No. 856, dated 13th July 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, for any remarks he may have to offer.	
190	No. *Nil*, dated 9th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal for increasing the library of the Agricultural and Horticultural Society.	Submits a proposal for increasing the Society's library by applying for certain works, relating to the natural history, geography, history, etc., of India.	Nos. 82-3.
	No. 470—857, dated 13th July 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the above letter and states that the Chief Commissioner supports the application, to the extent of recommending that if there are spare copies available, they may be supplied to the Society.	
191	No. 928, dated 28th June 1853 .. From—The Superintending Engineer, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report of Committee on Simla kutchery.	Submits a copy of the report of a Committee on the Simla kutchery, held under orders of the Military Board.	Nos. 49—51.
	No. 865, dated 13th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Engineer, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply; requests that the Superintending Engineer will furnish a plan and estimate of the new kutchery which, he says, could be built for Rs. 8,000. The plan should be shown to the Superintendent, Hill States, in order that he may record his opinion as to the sufficiency of accommodation.	
192	No. *Nil*, dated 14th July 1853 .. From—H. Davidson, Esq., Settlement Officer, Ludhiana. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suspension of Mr. H. Davidson, Settlement Officer, Ludhiana.	With reference to a Government letter received by him, intimating his suspension from office, Mr. Davidson requests that the Chief Commissioner will exert his powerful influence to obtain a modification of the order.	Nos. 78—81.

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192—*concld.*	No. 879, dated 16th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Suspension of Mr. H. Davidson; Settlement Officer, Ludhiana.	Informs the Commissioner of Mr. Davidson's suspension from office and directs him to instruct Mr. Campbell to assume charge of the Settlement office, Extra Assistant Mehtab Rai to proceed to Thanesar, and Extra Assistant Madho Pershad to attend to the Ludhiana district.	Progs. for the week ending 16th July 1853— Nos. 78—81.
	No. 880, dated 16th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Davidson, Esq.; Settlement Officer.	Ditto	In reply to his foregoing letter, informs Mr. Davidson that the Chief Commissioner can afford him no aid and that his only course is to proceed to Lahore and submit such explanation of his conduct as his case admits of.	
193	No. *Nil*, dated 13th July 1853 .. From—Captain J. L. Vaughan, Dera Ghazi Khan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Printing of the Pushto grammar.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 784, dated the 30th ultimo, enquires whether, in the event of Messrs. S. Smith and Co. declining to print his Pushto grammar, he is at liberty to entrust the work to the Baptist Mission Press.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd July 1853— Nos. 51-2.
	No. 911, dated 20th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain J. L. Vaughan, Dera Ghazi Khan.	Ditto	In reply, informs Captain Vaughan that if Messrs. S. Smith and Co. refuse to undertake the printing of the work, he can employ the Baptist Mission Press.	
194	No. 1108, dated 14th July 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of four officers on Peshawar road.	States that the services of four officers are required for the Peshawar road, as the whole of the work in a division is liable to be stopped in case of the officer falling sick, if there be only one. Recommends the appointment, on a salary of Rs. 200 each per month of Lieutenants Warrans; Hamilton and Anderson, and Ensign McKenzie.	Nos. 53-4.
	No. 912, dated 20th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests that the Civil Engineer, Punjab, will name two other officers in place of Lieutenant Hamilton and Ensign McKenzie, as the Chief Commissioner apprehends that Government will refuse to detach them, as the corps to which they belong has already the full number of officers absent.	
195	From—Mr. M. Arratoon, Timber Merchant. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Imprisonment of labourers by Maharaja of Kashmir.	Intimates that two of his staff have recently returned from the hills with the information of the imprisonment of all his men by the Maharaja of Kashmir, because they happen to be his subjects.	Nos. 55-6.
	No. 918, dated 20th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Arratoon, Timber Merchant.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner regrets that it is out of his power to give him any redress, as the Chief Commissioner cannot interfere in the Maharaja's proceedings towards his own subjects in his own territory.	

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196	No. 350, dated 9th July 1853 .. From—The Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea cultivation in the Kangra valley.	Encloses a copy of the orders of Government on his report on the tea plantations in the Kangra valley and states that he has despatched samples of the teas manufactured. Adds that he will order the overseer at Holta to proceed to Nurpur early in November with all the tea in store and to sell it by public auction.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd July 1853— Nos. 61—3.
	No. 916, dated 21st July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the annexed letters and requests that he will give early publicity to the intended sale of tea at Nurpur.	
197	No. 1875, dated 5th July 1853 .. From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Postal arrangements between Bahawalpur and Multan.	Forwards copy of a letter and enclosures from the Postmaster at Sind, relative to the postal arrangements on the line from Bahawalpur to Multan, and states that the contractor for the conveyance of the Multan mail, etc.; far from having failed, has been eminently successful in his exertions. Points out the difficulties he has had to contend against in the bad state of the roads, the number of water-courses which have not been bridged over, and the inefficiency of Bahawalpur ferry boats.	Nos. 64—73.
	No. 917, dated 21st July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, and of its enclosures, and states that the Chief Commissioner has directed the Deputy Commissioner of Multan to place himself in communication with the Postmaster at Sind, with the view of improving matters as far as may be possible, and that instructions have been given for the provision of efficient boats for the Sutlej ferry.	
	No. 918, dated 21st July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Requests that he will issue instructions to the Deputy Commissioner of Multan to place himself in communication with the Postmaster of Multan, with a view of ascertaining what is necessary for improving the transit of the mail from Multan to Bahawalpur, as it appears from a representation from the latter functionary that the boats at the Sutlej ferry are very inefficient, that they have been removed from the Ghât in the direct line, and that there are several water-courses requiring bridging over.	

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197—*concld.*	No. 919, dated 21st July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Postal arrangements between Bahawalpur and Multan.	Refers the Judicial Commissioner to the correspondence from the Postmaster, Sind, and requests that he will instruct the Multan Commissioner to have boats provided at the ferry on the Sutlej at once, until those under construction by the Postmaster are ready, and that he will cause an enquiry to be made why the ferry has been changed and an indirect line adopted.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd July 1853— Nos. 64—73.
198	No. 84, dated 12th July 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application of Murree residents for a grant from Government for constructing a church.	Submits copies of correspondence relative to an application from the residents at Murree for a grant from Government to enable them to build a church at that station. Forwards also the necessary estimates, and remarks that the amount is large and the church, therefore, could not have been undertaken by the residents, who would have to give up all hope of obtaining a suitable place of worship.	Nos. 83—8.
	No. 924, dated 21st July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply to the above letter, observes that for a church like the one contemplated at Murree, to hold 200 persons, the sum of Rs. 23,745 seems a very extravagant sum, and that decent church accommodation for that number could be provided at a considerably smaller cost. Observes that it might be expected from the residents at Murree to show their earnestness in the matter by liberal contributions and, in the opinion of the Chief Commissioner, a much larger proportion of the cost than is anticipated in the Committee's proposal should be looked for from visitors, because every year brings new-comers who might as fairly be expected to subscribe as those who are now at Murree. The Chief Commissioner regrets his inability to support the recommendation in its present form, as he considers it unreasonable to expect that Government should grant so large a sum as Rs. 17,000 or that the claims of Murree to a church should be treated as the claim of a large military station.	
199	No. 929, dated 22nd July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.	Suspension of Mr. Davidson, Settlement Officer.	Directs the Deputy Commissioner to relieve Mr. Davidson of the charge of the Ludhiana Settlement Office.	No. 95.
200	No. 1036, dated 7th July 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the forests on the Beas and Sutlej.	Submits Major H. E. Longden's report on the forests on the Beas and Sutlej with its accompanying plans.	Nos. 97—101.

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200—*concld.*	No. 930, dated 23rd July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner. Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Report of the forests on the Beas and Sutlej.	Informs the Civil Engineer that the Chief Commissioner has been much interested in the report. States that there are portions which he has deemed it advisable to communicate to the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej, and requests that Major Longden may be instructed to send his report for the future through that officer, in order that he might have an opportunity of making his observations thereon.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd July 1853— Nos. 97—101.
	No. 931, dated 23rd July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Hill States.	Ditto Timber from Bushahr. Establishment of an agency.	With reference to previous correspondence on the subject of making Bushahr timber available for works on the plains, forwards an extract from Major Longden's Report on the practicability of floating timber down the Sutlej, and requests that he will report in detail the result of his predecessor's experiments in the matter. Further requests he will state whether he would advocate the establishment of a Government agency in the Hills for the purpose of dealing with native states for a regular supply of timber.	
	No. 932, dated 23rd July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto.	Forwards extracts from Major Longden's report, and requests that Commissioner will state, with reference to the number of deodar trees which have been destroyed by the Hill people, by firing the forest to clear the grounds for cultivation, whether the orders of the Deputy Commissioner of Kangra, to prevent the practice, have been effected. Calls for his opinion as to Major Longden's suggestions for planting deodars, which might be done at small cost with great prospective benefit, and adds that Captain Hoy, as Assistant Commissioner, might be charged with the superintendence of the work and might cut and send down wood from Kulu. Wazir Gussain should be required to fell and send down timber from Mandi, submitting an annual return, the profit and loss being his own.	
201	No. 1093, dated 13th July 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of timber from the Jhelum agency.	Forwards copy of a letter from Lieutenant Taylor, Executive Engineer, Peshawar Road, regarding the supply of timber received since the establishment of the Jhelum Timber Agency. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 105.

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202	No. 295, dated 21st July 1853 .. From—Captain Sharp, Executive Engineer, Lahore, To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Anarkali Church furniture.	Asks for a duplicate of his receipt for furniture received from the Anarkali Church.	Progs. for the week ending 30th July 1853— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 934, dated 25th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, To—Captain Sharp, Executive Engineer, Lahore,	Ditto.	Forwards the required receipt.	
203	No. 48, dated 14th July 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Progress of vaccination.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 3, forwards an abstract of returns received from District Officers of the number of persons vaccinated from February to June 1853. Adds, with reference to the report from the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur, of the eagerness with which parents bring their children for the purpose of being vaccinated, that such indication of confidence is mainly attributable to the mode in which the Native Doctor Zaffar-ul-Hussain has ingratiated himself with the people generally by his benevolence and kindness of disposition.	Nos. 11—15.
	No. 939, dated 26th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner, of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto.	In reply observes that the result apparent from the vaccination returns, especially for the Jullundur District, appears satisfactory. With reference to the high testimony borne by him to the services of the Native Doctor, requests him to furnish a statement of his services and pay, together with a certificate from the Chief Surgeon and Assistant Surgen, as to his character and professional ability, on receipt of which the Chief Commissioner will consider whether the circumstances justify a special application to Government on behalf of the Native Doctor. In conclusion suggests the advisability of his applying for a certain number of qualified vaccinators whose pay will be Rs. 8 per mensem.	
204	No. 941, dated 27th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Davidson, Esq.; Ludhiana.	Suspension of Mr. H. Davidson, Settlement Officer.	With reference to his letter to the Secretary to Government, stating his intention of proceeding to Calcutta and there replying to such charges as may be preferred against him, enquires from Mr. Davidson whether he is prepared to obey the orders of Government and proceed to Lahore forthwith and appear before the Chief Commissioner.	No. 17.

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205	No. 942, dated 27th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner, of the Division.	Church to be built at Murree.	In continuation of letter No. 924, dated 21st instant, regarding the proposed church at Murree, requests the Commissioner to address his reply to the Judicial Commissioner, as all ecclesiastical matters belong to his department.	Progs. for the week ending 30th July 1853— No. 18.
06-07	No. 3061, dated 14th July 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Chappar estate.	Forwards extract from a despatch from the Honourable Court of Directors and requests the opinion of the Chief Commissioner as to the propriety of releasing the third share also of the Chappar estate.	Nos. 44—6.
	No. 527—954, dated 28th July 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Confiscation of Nihal Singh's share justified.	In reply, refers to previous correspondence on the subject and gives a sketch of the facts connected with the affray. Under the circumstances thus detailed the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that the confiscation of ⅓rd of the estate was a punishment justly merited by Nihal Singh. With reference to Jassa Singh (his son), the Chief Commissioner conceives it is the natural consequence of the father's punishment.	
208	Circular No. 8—958, dated 28th July 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Financial Commissioner and Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Instructions regarding dating correspondence and completing references.	Requests that all officers may be instructed to date their official correspondence on the first page under the address instead of, as is often done, at the conclusion of the letter, and to make all references as complete as possible in themselves, so as to admit, as far as possible, a decision in the case from the papers furnished.	No. 52.
209	No. 247, dated 25th July 1853 .. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suspension of Mr. Davidson, Settlement Officer.	Reports that notwithstanding the orders issued to him, Mr. Davidson refuses to make over the Settlement office to him.	Nos. 55—8.
	No. 960, dated 28th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Davidson, Esq.	Ditto	Requests that he will make over his office without further delay to Major Goldney.	
	No. 961, dated 28th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major Goldney.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the above letter.	
	No. 962, dated 28th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter for information.	

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210	No. 1051, dated 8th July 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of timber from Chamba.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 704, dated the 23rd June 1853, gives a detail of Lieutenant Hill's proceedings with reference to the supply of timber from the hills of the Chamba State. Major Longden was of opinion that the appointment of an honest Overseer in Chamba would be advantageous, but as it would be difficult to find one with discretion and character suited to such a situation, exposed as he would be to templations and misrepresentation, suggests the appointment of an officer to superintend the felling of the timber on a salary of Rs. 200 per month.	Progs. for the week ending 30th July 1853— Nos. 59—61.
	No. 963, dated 29th July 1853 .. Form—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner does not perceive from the correspondence in the late Board's Office, that the Wazir in Chamba absolutely bound himself to supply 10,000 logs annually, nor can he find that any regular returns were received from the Agency, showing the supplies which were furnished. Observes that nothing but continued supervision and constant importunity will suffice to make the officials of Native States punctual in their engagements. Suggests that Lieutenant Hill should simply limit his exertions to making advances of money to parties on good security, to be repaid within a given period, on the single condition of their collecting at Shahpur or any other convenient spot, a given quantity of certain kinds of timber periodically, which they or their agents would guard and retail at fixed prices, as by this arrangement the cost of supervision on our part would be trifling. Calls for his opinion on the arrangement thus sketched, and adds that the Chief Commissioner will write to the Wazir of Chamba and Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States. Requests that the Superintendent of Timber on the Ravi will send to this office direct a monthly return of the quantity of timber in store on the 1st, of their different lengths, and of the quantity received from various parties.	

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210—*concld.*	No. 964, dated 29th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Supply of timber from Chamba.	Forwards copy of the foregoing letter from the Civil Engineer, and requests his opinion on the subject of obtaining an adequate supply of timber from Chamba. Observes that the Chief Commissioner would be inclined to encourage adventurous parties (like Mr. Arratoon) by stipulating with the Chamba authorities, the prices they should pay for each tree and for facilities for securing labourers, and he would also encourage these even by moderate advances through the timber agent. Requests that he will write to the Wazir of Chamba, warning him of the consequesnces of his failure to perform the engagements of 1851, unless by great energy and zeal, he redeems the past.	Progs. for the week ending 30th July 1853— Nos. 59—61.
211	No. 86, dated 18th July 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Subsidence of Eusufzai epidemic.	Reports that, owing to the rain which has lately fallen, the Eusufzai epidemic has nearly disappeared, and states the measures he has consequently taken. With reference to the direction to the Deputy Commissioner of Rawalpindi to proceed to Attock, states that Lieutenant Cracroft has been there and is on his return. Unless Mr. Carnac were at Domel (the station now occupied by the Tahsildar of Pindi Gheb, whose reports come in in the course of the night), he had better be at Rawalpindi, as he has revenue duties which could not well be made over to Lieutenant Cracroft.	Nor. 62—4.
	No. 965, dated 29th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that Mr. Carnac need not now go to Attock, but the Chief Commissioner can not help thinking that an officer of the Rawalpindi District should be at that station.	
	No. 529—966, dated 29th July 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the annexed letter for the information of the Governor-General in Council.	
212	No. 3130, dated 15th July 1853.. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Boats for Kabul and Swat rivers.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 417, sanctions an additional expenditure of Rs. 3,000 for constructing boats for the ferries in the Peshawar District.	Nos. 65-6.
	No. 967, dated 29th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter for his information.	

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213	No. 105, dated 26th July 1853 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Inconvenience resulting from slow progress in construction of Grand Trunk Road.	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, relative to the slow progress being made on the construction of Grand Trunk Road, and states that communication was stopped in the early part of this month for 6 days owing to the overflowing of the Markunda Hill Torrent, and again last week for 3 days the dâks were cut off. Emphasises the absolute necessity for the Engineer authorities being roused to additional exertion.	Progs. for the week ending 30th July 1853— Nos. 67—9.
	No. 531—963, dated 29th July 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the above letter, with enclosures, and states that under the circumstances detailed, the Chief Commissioner cannot too strongly urge the necessity of speedily completing such work as are indispensable for keeping up the communication at all seasons.	
214	No. 45, dated 22nd July 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Floods in the Indus.	Reports that there has been a repetition this year of the high floods of the Indus which occurred in 1851.	Nos. 72-3.
	No. 970, dated 29th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the above letter and enquires whether he can depute any Engineer Officer during the ensuing cold season for the purpose of devising measures for protecting Leiah from future inundations of the Indus.	
215	No. 62, dated 25th July 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Return from leave of Assistant Commissioner Dennison.	The Commissioner, Lahore Division, reports to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner the date on which Assistant Commissioner Dennison returned from leave of absence. No ORDERS.	No. 79.
216	No. 1281, dated 20th July 1853.. From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repairs to Kangra Kutchery.	The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, in continuation of letter No. 1152 of 9th instant, to the address of the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, states that the estimated cost of the repairs required to the Kangra Kutchery amounts to Rs. 1,034 and that he has authorized Lieutenant-Colonel Boslean to proceed with the work. No ORDERS.	No. 81.
217	No. 29, dated 18th July 1853 .. From—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the Mandi mines.	Encloses a report on the mines of mandi. MEMO.—No ORDERS.	Nos. 82-3.

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218	No. 980; dated 2nd August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant R. Fagan, Superintendent; Civil Buildings, Lahore.	Earthquake of 30th July 1853.	Requests Lieutenant Fagan to make a careful inspection of the Residency Buildings as there is reason to fear that they received damage from the violent earthquake which occurred on the 30th ultimo.	Progs. for the week ending 6th August 1853— No. 11.
219	No. 258; dated 30th July 1853 .. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suspension of Mr. Davidson, Settlement Officer.	States that Mr. Davidson still refuses to give over charge of his office.	Nos. 12—18.
	No. 981; dated 2nd August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.	Ditto	In reply; directs the Deputy Commissioner to take over charge of the office and to use his powers as a Magistrate so to do.	
	No. 159; dated 30th July 1853 .. From—H. Davidson, Esq. .. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 960, dated the 28th instant, considers himself justified in retaining charge of his office until receipt of the further orders of Government on a reference he has made for leave.	
	No. 158; dated 29th July 1853 .. From—H. Davidson, Esq. .. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Again states that his proceeding or not to Lahore depends on the reply which he will receive to the communication to Government referred to in the above letter.	
	No. 982; dated 2nd August 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Davidson, Esq. ..	Ditto	Again directs Mr. Davidson to make over charge; as Major Goldney, Deputy Commissioner at Ludhiana, has been directed to assume it if there is any demur.	
220	No. 983; dated 3rd August 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Supply of timber from the Chamba forests.	Forwards copy of Lieutenant Hill's report of his proceedings, with reference to the supply of timber from the Chamba forests, and states that the Chief Commissioner is still of opinion that one is bound to make every effort to obtain a supply from those forests through the authorities there, before interfering directly by the establishment of an Agency. Adds that the Chief Commissioner is apprehensive of there being difficulties in getting the timber down to Shahpur which Lieutenant Hill has not observed. Observes that as he has directed Major Longden to visit these forests, the Chief Commissioner will be glad to have that officer's report on them.	Nos. 19—21.
	No. 984; dated 3rd August 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter, for information.	

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221	No. 3200, dated 22nd July 1853 .. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams for cross-breeding with Punjab sheep.	States that application has been made to the Colonial Secretary at Sydney for the rams required by the Agri-Horticultural Society and that they will be sent to the Punjab without any charge to the Society.	Progs. for the week ending 6th August 1853— Nos. 30-31.
	No. 989, dated 3rd August 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq.; Secretary; Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter for his information.	
222	No. 167, dated 30th July 1853 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mian Mir church.	Submits copy of a letter from the Assistant Chaplain at Mian Mir, recommending that one large church instead of a smaller one and a chhapel be erected there. Observes that no reasons have been advanced for the change, whereas those adduced by the Board for the adoption of the latter course appear unanswerable.	Nos. 32—4.
	No. 990, dated 3rd August 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner would be very unwilling to oppose in any way the wishes and feelings of the residents at Mian Mir, but he does not perceive in Mr. Farrer's letter sufficient grounds for a recommendation to Government to alter the decision already passed. Adds that if the reasons given by the late Board for their recommendation can be proved to have no force or to be founded on incorrect information, the Chief Commissioner will be happy to have the question reconsidered.	
223	No. 90, dated 29th July 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations.	In continuation of his letter No. 69, dated 17th ultimo, submits a general vaccine return for June 1853.	Nos. 46—8.
	No. 995, dated 5th August 1853.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, observes that vaccination might with advantage be suspended from April to October, as the number of failures is likely to render the people incredulous.	
224	No. *Nil*, dated 28th July 1853 .. From—Mr. T. Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Demand of Raja Tej Singh on timber.	States that Raja Tej Singh demands ½ of his timber floating down the nullahs and streamlets to Bajawah, and solicits the interference of the Chief Commissioner.	Nos. 55-6.
	No. 1000, dated 5th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. T. Arratoon.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Arratoon that the Raja has been written to, prohibiting his taking any duty on the timber.	

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225	No. N6; dated 30th July 1853 .. From—Mr. T. Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fraudulent change of marks by Kashmir State servants on Mr. Arratoon's wood.	States that he has received information from various quarters that a regular system has been adopted by the servants of the Maharaja of Kashmir of taking away his marks from his timber and substituting their own marks.	Progs. for the week ending 6th August 1853— Nos. 57—9.
	No. 1001; dated 5th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. T. Arratoon.	Ditto	In reply, informs him that the Chief Commissioner has written to the Maharaja requiring him to prevent his people from interfering with Mr. Arratoon's timber.	
226	No. 53, dated 25th July 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Experiments in silk-worm rearing and silk manufacturing.	Forwards copy of a letter from Major Abbott, Deputy Commissioner, Hoshiarpur, soliciting sanction to an outlay of Rs. 35 for the purchase of silk-worms' eggs and for the entertainment of two men on Rs. 5 per month *pro tem.* for the purpose of rearing worms and manufacturing silk by way of experiment.	Nos. 63—5.
	No. 1004; dated 5th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, informs Commissioner that a similar experiment is being tried at Lahore and that it would be as well to wait and see the result of it.	
227	No. 790, dated 7th June 1853 .. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary, Revenue Board. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Medals and certificates awarded by the Royal Commissioners of the Great Exhibition.	Intimates the despatch of nine medals and certificates, with a set of illustrated catalogues, awarded by the Royal Commissioners of the Great Exhibition to the parties mentioned in the list enclosed. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 68.
228	No. 3243, dated 27th July 1853 .. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suspension of Mr. Davidson, Settlement Officer.	Forwards copy of a letter addressed to Mr. Davidson, refusing him leave or furlough or any modification of the orders already issued to him. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 80—82.
	No. 264, dated 2nd August 1853.. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commmissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports having assumed the charge of Mr. Davidson's office. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	
229	No. 3259, dated 27th July1853 .. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of a kutchery and guard room at Murree.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 444, dated the 4th instant, sanctions the erection of a kutchery and guard room for the Assistant Commissioner; Murree, at a cost of Rs. 4,890-11-9.	Progs. for the week ending 13th August 1853— Nos. 13-14.

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229—*concld.*	No. 1011-A; dated 9th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Erection of a kutchery and guard room at Murree.	Forwards copy of the above letter, for his information.	Progs. for the week ending 13th August 1853— Nos. 13-14.
230	No. 2956, dated 5th July 1853 .. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suspension of Mr. Davidson; Settlement Officer. Bribe offered to Military Secretary.	Reports the conduct of Mr. Davidson; Settlement Officer, in having offered a bribe to Major Ramsey, Military Secretary to the Governor-General, in order to obtain for him the higher allowances of a Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Class.	Nos. 24—6.
	No. 1017, dated 9th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, states the result of the investigation into Mr. Davidson's conduct and of that gentleman's suspension.	
231	No. 3293, dated 29th July 1853 .. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sardar Nihal Singh's pension continued to his sons.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 452, dated the 6th instant, states that the Government sanctions the full amount of the pension of Sardar Nihal Singh of Chappar being continued to his three sons, in proportion of half to the eldest and the remainder in equal shares to the others, the share of each lapsing at his death.	Nos. 29-30.
	No. 1018, dated 10th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, for his information.	
232	No. 974, dated 29th June 1853 .. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Drainage of Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 356, dated the 18th April last; communicates his opinions on the remarks made by the Chief Commissioner on the project for the drainage of Lahore.	Nos. 33-4.
	No. 1021, dated 10th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that after the Chief Commissioner has given his best attention to the Civil Engineer's remarks, he is still not satisfied that Lieutenant Glover's proposals are the best and most economical of which the ground about Lahore admits. Adds that, on receipt of his reply, the whole correspondence will be sent up to Government, as the Chief Commissioner feels he has not the knowledge which would enable him to judge decisively on so difficult a subject as the drainage of a large city and he would wish to see an able Engineer Officer appointed for this sole duty.	

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233	No. 636, dated 4th August 1853.. From—The Quarter Master-General of the Army. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Formation of a Sanitary Depôt at Nowshera.	Forwards copies of extracts relative to the formation of a Sanitary Depot at Nowshera for the Peshawar troops, and states that His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief trusts the Chief Commissioner will have no objection to Lieutenant Gulley superintending the construction of the buildings.	Progs. for the week ending 13th August 1853— Nos. 35-6.
	No. 1022; dated 10th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and requests that, if he has no objection to Lieutenant Gulley's being employed, he will issue the necessary instructions to that officer, reporting the same to his office.	
234	No. 1027, dated 11th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Samples of Kangra tea.	Intimates the despatch to his address of a box containing a sample of the tea grown at Kangra and requests that he will use it or distribute as he thinks expedient.	No. 43.
235	No. 113; dated 8th August 1853.. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a church at Murree.	Submits copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, with a revised scale of the outlay (Rs. 16,450) which will be required for the erection of a church at Murree, and states that, in his opinion, if Government were to grant a sum of rupees five or seven thousand it would be liberal.	Nos. 44—9.
	No. *Nil*, dated 29th July 1853 .. From—The Secretary, Murree Church Building Committee. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits a plan and estimate for a church proposed to be built at Murree and solicits the recommendation and support of the Chief Commissioner.	
	No. *Nil*, dated 28th July 1853 .. From—Revd. J. H. Pratt; Archdeacon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the plan and elevation of the church proposed to be built at Murree.	
	No. 570-1028, dated 11th August 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter from the Judicial Commissioner, with enclosures and previous correspondence, and states that the Chief Commissioner concurs in opinion with the Judicial Commissioner and therefore recommends a grant of Rs. 7,000 for the church.	
236	No. 3358, dated 29th July 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Monsieur Marcadieu's report on iron ore near Dharmsala.	States that the report of Monsieur Marcadieu on the iron ore in the vicinity of Dharmsala, has been forwarded to the Honourable the Court of Directors. Requests that the further reports of that gentleman may be regularly submitted to Government.	Nos. 63-4.

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236—*concld.*	No. 1036, dated 13th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Monsieur Marcadieu's report on iron ore near Dharmsala.	Informs Monsieur Marcadieu of the transmission of his report on the iron ore near Dharmsala to the Honourable the Court of Directors.	Progs. for the week ending 13th August 1853.— Nos. 63-4.
237	No. 1037, dated 13th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Iron mines in Kangra.	Calls the attention of the Commissioner to letter No. 792, dated the 1st ultimo, regarding the iron mines in the Kangra District, and requests an early reply, as the transmission of M. Marcadieu's report to Government is delayed for want of it.	No. 65.
238	No. 82, dated 3rd August 1853 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suspension of Mr. Davidson, Settlement Officer.	States that, in consequence of Mr. Davidson's refusing to make over charge of his office, the Extra Assistant and Head of the office have been directed to wait on Major Goldney and receive their orders from him only. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 75—7.
	No. *Nil*, dated *nil* 1853 .. From—H. Davidson, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports his arrival at Lahore to stand his trial. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	
239	No. 116, dated 11th August 1853 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Postal arrangements on Bahawalpur-Multan line.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 919, dated the 21st ultimo, relative to the want of proper arrangements for crossing the mails at Bahawalpur, sends a copy of a letter from the Officiating Commissioner, of Multan, and states that he is of opinion that the passage of the mails should be confined to the regular ferry as the approaches to it will always be kept up which cannot be the case if the Post-Master changed the place for crossing. Trusts that with the two boats now on their way from Sind there will exist no further ground for complaint.	Progs. for the week ending 20th August 1853— Nos. 15—17.
	No. 1047, dated 16th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	With reference to previous correspondence on the subject, forwards a copy of the above letter and that to which it is a reply, and states that the Chief Commissioner is not aware that any further measures can be taken for improving the route between Bahawalpur and Multan. Adds with reference to the obstacles between Bahawalpur and the Sutlej, that the Native agent at that station has been requested to point out to the Nawab the hindrances that exist to the easy transit of the mail.	
240	No. 1647, dated 10th August 1853 From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber supplied through the Ravi agency.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer, Mian Mir, representing the great waste which occurs owing to the uniform description and short lengths of Deodar timber supplied through the Ravi agency.	Nos. 18-19.

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240—*concld.*	No. 1049, dated 16th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle.	Timber supplied through the Ravi agency.	In reply, informs the Superintending Engineer that the matter is now under investigation with a view to a better system of supply for the future, and that it is not easy to establish a regular effective system with due regard to the independence of the Chief of Chamba. Adds that Maharaja Gulab Singh has agreed to deliver timber at 3½ *tussoos* per rupee at the ghat opposite Sialkot. Captain Sharpe might get some from there.	Progs. for the week ending 20th August 1853— Nos. 18-19.
241	No. *Nil*, dated 11th August 1853 From—Mr. M. T. Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber from Chamba forests.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letters Nos. 1000 and 1001, encloses the deposition of a man detected in sawing a piece of timber belonging to him, and requests he may be tried in the Deputy Commissioner's court at Sialkot. Solicits instructions as to the payment of certain duties, and states that unless his timber, which has been stopped at Akhnoor, is released within a few days, he will be completely ruined.	Nos. 22—4.
	No. 1051, dated 16th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Hawes, acting for Lieutenant Heath.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the above letter and requests he will go to Akhnoor and get the timber released, taking a list of it, and that he will ascertain on the spot the circumstances under which the Kardars and Motee Ram stopped the wood or what excuses they make for so doing.	
	No. 1052, dated 16th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. M. T. Arratoon.	Ditto	Informs Mr. Arratoon that Lieutenant Hawes has been directed to proceed to Akhnoor and have his timber released. The question of duty which he should pay will be settled when Lieutenant Heath returns. Remarks that his (Mr. Arratoon's) constant collisions with the Jummu authorities would seem to render it inadvisable that he should continue his transactions on the Chenab river.	
242	No. 3396, dated 5th August 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Measures to check the Eusafzai fever.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 469, dated 13th ultimo, approves of the steps taken to check the Eusafzai fever and sanctions an especial allowance of Rs. 100 each per month to Drs. Farquhar and Hudley, besides their *bona fide* travelling expenses.	Nos. 40-41.
	No. 1061, dated 17th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter for information.	
243	No. 3392, dated 5th August 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Silk-worm rearing.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 460, dated 8th ultimo, sanctions the proposals of the Lahore Agri-Horticultural Society, as well as the expenditure that is required for the better conduct of the experiment for introducing silk-worms in the Punjab.	Nos. 61-2.

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243—*concld.*	No. 1075, dated 17th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary; Agri-Horticultural Society.	Silk worm rearing.	Forwards a copy of the above letter, for his information.	Progs. for the week ending 20th August 1853— Nos. 61-2.
244	No. 1257, dated 11th August 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Measures to prevent future damage to Leiah by inundations of the Indus.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 970, dated the 30th July1853, relative to the inundation at Leiah, states that he will instruct Lieutenant Medley, Superintendent, Indus Canals, to visit Leiah during the ensuing cold season, with a view to devise measures to prevent future inundations.	Nos. 71-2.
	No. 1080, dated 18th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, for his information.	
245	No. 31, dated 27th July 1853 .. From—Lieutenant A. H. Heath, on special duty. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The timber trade	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 599, dated the 31st May 1853, forwards a memo. of his proceedings since the 27th April 1853.	Nos. 73-4.
	No. 1081, dated 18th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. H. Heath, on special duty.	Ditto Mr. Arratoon's complaints.	In reply, requests that, in future, his report may be sent monthly and with punctuality. The Chief Commissioner has received several complaints from Mr. Arratoon of the ill-treatment of his people and the marks being erased from his timber by the agents of Maharaja Golab Singh and requests he will represent these matters to His Highness in person, adding that unless he controls his servants they and he will get into trouble. The Chief Commissioner thinks that Mr. Arratoon should not be required to pay more than 13 per cent. on his Chenab wood.	
246	No. 1258, dated 11th August 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant Hill's report on timber forests.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 963, dated the 29th July 1853, relative to the Ravi Timber Agency, forwards Lieutenant Hill's report on his visit to the timber forests.	Nos. 78-9.
	No. 1084, dated 18th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns the report forwarded with the above letter, as Lieutenant Hill has already furnished his office with a copy of it.	
247	No. 1268, dated 11th August 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Quarters used as a reading room and book club.	States that a set of quarters in Bungalow No. 11, Anarkali, is used as a reading room and book club. Enquires whether Lieutenant Fagan, Superintendent; Civil Buildings, is to demand rent for it or not.	Nos. 92-3.

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247—*concld.*	No. 1090, dated 18th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Quarters used as a reading room and book club.	In reply, requests that the rent may not be demanded.	Progs. for the week ending 20th August 1853— Nos. 92-3.
248	No. 104, dated 15th August 1853 From—The Superintending Engineer, Trans-Ravi Circle. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dismissal of all vaccinators.	Encloses copy of Medical Board Circular directing the dismissal of all the vaccinators employed in his division and states that he is unable to carry out these orders as he is not aware at what stations vaccinators have been entertained.	Nos. 108—110.
	Circular No. 10—1098, dated 19th August 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and enclosures, and directs them to dismiss all vaccinators employed by them, as the Medical Board are making arrangements to employ regular vaccinators at each Government dispensary.	
	No. 1099, dated 19th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Trans-Ravi Circle.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Superintending Surgeon that instructions have been issued for the discharge of all vaccinators.	
249	No. 74, dated 17th August 1853.. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Destruction of certain buildings near the city of Lahore.	In continuation of his letter No. 41, dated the 13th June 1853, submits copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, relative to the destruction of certain buildings near the city of Lahore.	Nos. 113-14.
	No. 1101, dated 20th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto Sanitary improvements.	In reply, requests that the Commissioner will himself inspect the buildings and decide as to what should be removed, the object being to destroy nothing which is not insalubrious or obnoxious. States that the cost of the buildings that have already been pulled down should be paid at once from the Nazul Fund which can be re-imbursed when Government pass the whole charge for these arrangements.	
250	No. 85, dated 6th August 1853 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Postal arrangements on Bahawalpur-Multan line.	Submits copy of a letter to the address of the Judicial Commissioner and trusts that the explanation there given regarding the complaint of the Post Master in Sind of the public mails being detained at Multan and at the Bahawalpur Ferry, will suffice. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 132.
251	No. *Nil.* dated 18th August 1853 From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of Railways in the Punjab.	Forwards to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner an extract from the Society's proceedings, relative to the desirability of introducing Railway communication into the Punjab. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 137-8.

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252	No. 3451, dated 5th August 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of dispensaries at principal stations.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 370, dated the 9th June last, sanctions the establishment of dispensaries at 15 of the principal stations in the Punjab at an annual charge of Rs. 6,840 for establishment and Rs. 1,080 for bazar medicines. Encloses a letter from the Medical Board on the subject, and authorizes an expenditure of Rs. 500 from the Local Funds for erecting a dispensary at any station where it may be required.	Progs. for the week ending 27th August 1853— Nos. 22—6.
	Circular No. 11—1124, dated 22nd August 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners in charge of Divisions.	Ditto	With reference to previous correspondence, informs Commissioners of the arrangements and allotments sanctioned by Government in the above letter for the establishment of dispensaries in certain stations of their Divisions. Sends extract, paragraphs 7 and 8, of the Chief Commissioner's letter to Government on the subject, and requests that they will observe that the dispensary must always be near the jail, in order that the Sub-Assistant Surgeon or Native Doctor who attends to the jail should attend to the dispensary also.	
	No. 1125; dated 22nd August 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing Government letter and of the circular, for his information.	
	No. 622—1126, dated 22nd August 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to paragraph 3 of the above Government letter, relative to the allowance of Rs. 20 per month to Sub-Assistant Surgeons and Rs. 10 per month to Native Doctors for attendance at the dispensaries, states that the Chief Commissioner is glad that His Lordship in Council has complied with the recommendation of the Medical Board and that it was solely the desire of the Chief Commissioner to make his scheme as economical as possible that influenced him in not making some such recommendation himself.	
253	No. 3512, dated 12th August 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	A jheel near Jullundur placed at the disposal of military authorities.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 242, dated 3rd May 1853, forwards a copy of a letter and enclosures from the Quartermaster-General of the Army and requests that the jheel alluded to in the vicinity of Jullundur may be placed at the disposal of the military authorities, should there be no objection to the measure.	Nos. 35—7.

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253—*concld.*	No. 1131, dated 23rd August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	A jheel near Jallundur placed at the disposal of military authorities. Formation of a grass preserve.	Forwards a copy of the above letter and enclosures, and requests he will submit an early report on the jheel and lands in the vicinity of Jullundur alluded to by Brigadier Penny required by the military authorities as a grass preserve.	Progs. for the week ending 27th August 1853— Nos. 35—7.
254	No. 1343, dated 16th August 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Analysis of the Korana ore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 856, encloses copies of the analysis by Mr. Piddington, of the Korana ore (received from Mr. Purden) Curator of the museum of Economic Geology, Calcutta, and by Dr. Baddely, Surgeon of the Artillery at Mian Mir.	Nos. 43—5.
	No. 1135, dated 24th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. A. Fleming, Dera Ghazi Khan.	Ditto	In reply to letter No. 93, dated 7th ultimo, relative to the iron ore of Korana, forwards a copy of the above letter and enclosures and observes that he had better himself communicate with the Asiatic Society regarding the publication of the paper which is herewith returned.	
255	No. 1351, dated 17th August 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sanitary Depôt at Nowshera.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1022, regarding Lieutenant Gully's undertaking the constructions of the buildings required for the Sanitary Depôt at Nowshera, states that, in his opinion, the employment of that officer in the manner proposed would be very injurious to the progress of the works already entrusted to him which have hitherto been carried on very slowly. Adds that Lieutenant Gully has nearly 40 miles of road to attend to, and to impose on him a duty which will fix his attendance at one spot when his presence might be required elsewhere, must interfere with the proper performance of his own duties. Suggests, therefore, the appointment of a separate officer for the depôt at Nowshera.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd September 1853— Nos. 37-40.
	No. 641—1171, dated 30th August 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Dit o	Forwards a copy of correspondence and states that the Chief Engineer agrees with the Civil Engineer that Lieutenant Gully will not be able to do justice to both duties, and that he would, therefore, support Colonel Napier's suggestions that a separate officer be employed on the Nowshera works.	
	No. 1172, dated 30th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 636, dated the 4th instant, forwards a copy of the above letter from the Civil Engineer, and states that as the Chief Commissioner concurs in the opinion of the Civil Engineer, he has addressed Government in support of the suggestion for appointing a separate officer to the Nowshera buildings.	

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255—*concld.*	No. 1173, dated 30th August 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Sanitary Depôt at Nowshera.	In reply, states that as the Chief Commissioner concurs with him in thinking that Lieutenant Gully will be unable to do justice both to his duties on the Peshawar road as well as the superintendence of the buildings at Nowshera, he has addressed Government in support of the suggestion of having a separate officer for the latter work.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd September 1853—Nos. 37—40.
256	No. 1354, dated 18th August 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed auction of three bungalows in Anarkali.	Submits copy of a letter from Lieutenant Fagan, Superintendent, Civil Buildings, regarding offers made for the purchase of three of the Anarkali bungalows and recommends that they may be sold by auction, the offers made for them already being considered the upset price.	Nos. 60—62.
	No. 1186, dated 1st September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply sanctions the proposition.	
257	No. 1357, dated 18th August 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application of Lieutenant Hickey for a piece of ground opposite his house at Lahore.	States that a reference having been made to him relative to an application from Lieutenant Hickey of the Irregular Cavalry for a piece of ground opposite his house, states that, provided no buildings are erected on it and the enclosure is not made more than four feet high, there can be no objection to the application being granted.	Nos. 70-71.
	No. 1189, dated 1st September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner thinks it better that the ground be retained in our own hands.	
258	No. 66, dated 19th August 1853.. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines of Bir Bengahal.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 792, enclosing Monsieur Marcadieu's report on the iron mines of Bir Bengahal, forwards copy of a letter from the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Kangra, furnishing all the information he possesses relative to those mines and offering certain suggestions on the subject.	Nos. 76—9.
	No. 645—1193, dated 1st September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of M. Marcadieu's report and of the above letter and enclosures. Adds that the Chief Commissioner has much hesitation in passing an opinion on a subject which he knows little about, but he is disposed to concur in the Commissioner's opinion that European enterprise is not likely to find remuneration by working the mines to which M. Marcadieu has now drawn attention. States that Chief Commissioner has called for estimates for bridging the streams alluded to by Mr. McLeod.	

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258—*concld.*	No. 1194, dated 1st September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Iron mines of Bir Bengahal.	In reply, informs the Commissioner that a copy of his letter and of its enclosures has been sent to Government. Requests he will submit estimates of the probable cost of bridging over the 10 or 12 streams in and about the neighbourhood of Nurpur which are such hindrances to the conveyance of hill produce to the plains.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd September 1853—Nos. 76—9.
259	No. 3569, dated 12th August 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Customs duty on medicines and instruments coming into the Punjab for private charitable dispensaries.	Calls for a report on the practice obtaining in the Punjab in regard to customs duty levied on the supply of medicines and surgical instruments to dispensaries established and supported by private charities.	Nos. 86-7.
	No. 649—1199, dated 2nd September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto No private charitable dispensaries in the Punjab.	In reply, states that there are no dispensaries in the Punjab supported by private contributions, and that though the Simla Dispensary is mainly dependent on private charities, it is supplied with medicines and surgical instruments by Government.	
260	No. 2302, dated 12th August 1853 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Improving the harbour of Karachi.	Forwards copy of a letter and four pamphlets on the subject of improving the harbour of Karachi.	Nos. 88—90.
	No. 1200, dated 2nd September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Conveys the Chief Commissioner's thanks for the pamphlet.	
261	No. *Nil*, dated 27th August 1853 From—The Superintending Surgeon, Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dismissal of vaccine establishment.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Medical Board, authorizing him to discharge the vaccine establishment of his division.	No. 102.
262	No. 3664, dated 19th August 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disappearance of Eusafzai epidemic from Chuch Doab.	Expresses the satisfaction of the Governor-General in Council at the disappearance of the Eusafzai epidemic from the Chuch Doab.	No. 108.
263	No. 3735, dated 24th August 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Progress of vaccination in Cis-Sutlej States.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 464, dated 11th ultimo, relative to the progress of vaccination in the Cis-Sutlej States, states that an application has been made to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief to appoint Dr. Cannon for a further period of two years at Simla.	Progs. for the week ending 10th September 1853—Nos. 20-21.
	No. 1213, dated 5th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner, of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, for his information.	

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264	No. 9, dated 31st August 1853 .. From—Dr. H. M. Cannon, Civil Surgeon, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Protest against dismissal of vaccinators at Simla.	States, with reference to the Circular of the Medical Board, directing the dismissal of all vaccinators, that if the order is carried out at Simla, it will be fatal to the success and intentions with which the vaccine establishment at that station was instituted.	Progs. for the week ending 10th September 1853— Nos. 22—7.
	No. 658—1219, dated 5th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and, with reference to the circumstances therein stated, enquires whether it is imperative on Dr. Cannon to dismiss the vaccinators. The Chief Commissioner ventures to hope that the Simla institution may be made an exception to the order of the Medical Board, especially as the present season is a very favourable time for carrying on vaccine operations in the hills.	
265	No. 3772, dated 26th August 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Storage of Telegraph bamboos at dâk bungalows.	Requests that instructions may be issued to the local authorities at Jullundur, Amritsar and Lahore to store at every dâk bungalow 1,200 bamboos for the Electric Telegraph.	Nos. 35—7.
	No. 1225-26, dated 6th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Lahore Division and Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the above letter and requests that they will issue the necessary instructions.	
266	No. 3769, dated 26th August 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Extract from a despatch from Honourable Court of Directors. (Various subjects.)	Forwards extract from a despatch from the Honourable the Court of Directors on various subjects.	Nos. 53—5.
	No. 1236, dated 8th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto Preservation of Hoshiarpur town from a mountain torrent.	Forwards an extract from the enclosures of the above letter, for communication to Major S. A. Abbott, Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiarpur, relative to the measures adopted by him for preserving that town from the effects of a mountain torrent.	
267	No. 196, dated 31st August 1853 From—The Officiating Cantonment Joint Magistrate, Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber tax to be paid to Maharaja Gulab Singh.	Submits copies of correspondence on the subject of the timber tax to be paid to Maharaja Gulab Singh. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 67-8.
268	No. 187, dated 26th August 1853.. From—The Officiating Cantonment Joint Magistrate, Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Complaint of Mr. Arratoon against agents of Maharaja Gulab Singh for detaining his timber.	Reports on the complaint of Mr. Arratoon regarding the detention of his timber by the agents of Maharaja Gulab Singh. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 71-2.

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269	No. 3692, dated 19th August 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grant for metalling road from Phillaur to Jullundur.	In continuation of letter No. 3140, dated 9th September last, states that an advance of Rs. 22,500 has been sanctioned for metalling the road from Phillaur to Jullundur, the amount being placed at the disposal of the Executive Engineer, Jullundur Doab Division.	Progs. for the week ending 17th September 1853— Nos. 5-6.
	No. 1243, dated 12th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, for his information.	
270	No. 1496, dated 31st August 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Boats for bridges.	Submits Lieutenant Fagan's bills for boat building at Peshawar, with a revised estimate.	Nos. 32—4.
	No. 1256, dated 13th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto Lahore bridge of boats.	In reply, states that the bill has been sent to the Civil Auditor. Enquires if the boats could not be made available for the Lahore bridge of boats, as it would save a large monthly outlay.	
271	No. 3776, dated 26th August 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Periodical examination of Assistants in Revenue and Judicial Departments.	Forwards copy of a Circular letter addressed to the Government of the other Presidencies and the North-Western Provinces, with nine copies of printed papers regarding the periodical examination in Bengal of Assistants in the Revenue and Judicial Departments, and requests that the Chief Commissioner will submit his opinion as to the best mode of introducing the same into the Punjab.	Nos. 37—9.
	Circular No. 12—1258, dated 13th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial and Judicial Commissioners and all Commissioners.	Ditto	Circulates copies of the above letter and requests that they will state their opinions as to the best mode of introducing the system of periodical examination in the Punjab, together with such suggestions as may occur to them for its improvement and adaptation to the circumstances of this territory.	
272	No. 679-1263, dated 13th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Storage of Electric Telegraph posts in dâk bungalows.	In reply to letter No. 3772, dated the 26th August 1853, relative to posts for the Electric Telegraph, informs him that the necessary instructions have been issued and enquires whether posts will not be required in the districts of the Cis-Sutlej States.	No. 46.
273	No. 40, dated 26th August 1853.. From—The Geological Surveyor. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines of Kotkhai, Rampur and Jodbul.	Submits a report on the iron mines of Kotkhai, Rampur and Jodbul, and forwards certain specimens.	Nos. 49—51.

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273—*concld.*	No. 682—1265, dated 14th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Iron mines of kotkhai, Rampur and Jodbul.	Submits a copy of the above letter and enclosures and observes that the Chief Commissioner doubts if these mines will ever be worth working as, besides the want of fuel, they are situated at a great distance in the interior, so that the cost of carriage would make the metal very expensive.	Progs. for the week ending 17th September 1853— Nos. 49—51.
274	No. 97, dated 31st August 1853.. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal for a dispensary at Kahror.	Submits copy of corresp ndence with the Deputy Collector, Sutlej Preventive Line, and the Superintending Surgeon, Trans-Ravi Circle, relative to the erection at Kahror of a hospital and dispensary, now that a Sub-Assistant Surgeon has been attached to the place.	Nos. 61—5.
	No. 686—1272, dated 15th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits the above letter and enclosures and states that in the general proposal for the establishment of dispensaries submitted by the Chief Commissioner to Government, one place was purposely omitted (Kahror), the headquarters of the Sutlej Preventive Line, as it was not a sudder station, but, in submitting the present application from Major Hamilton, requests sanction to the same establishment for Kahror as has been granted for other dispensaries in the Punjab (with the addition only of a native doctor) and to the expenditure of Rs. 500 for the erection of the necessary buildings.	
275	No. 3861; dated 2nd September 1853. From—The Officting Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dismissal of Mr. H. Davidson, Settlement Officer, for an attempt to bribe the Military Secretary.	Intimates the dismissal of Mr. H. Davidson from his appointment of Settlement Officer, Ludhiana Distri t, and his suspension from the service in consequence of his having enclosed in a letter to Major Ramsay, the Military Secretary to the Governor-General, a cheque for Rs. 3,000 as a bribe to secure the success of his application.	Nos. 95-6.
	No. 1288, dated 17th September 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Davisdon, Esq.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter for information.	Progs. for the week ending 24th September 1853—
276	No. 108, dated 9th September 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Wellington endowment.	Forwards a draft for Rs. 1,100 being the subscription of the Raies of Maler Kotla to the Wellington endowment.	Nos. 26-7.
	No. 1301, dated 20th September 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the draft.	
277	No. 32; dated 1st September 1853 From—Lieutenant A. H. Heath; on special duty. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rate for Diar wood coming down the Jhelum.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 848, dated 12th July 1853, to the effect that the rate of Diar wood coming down the Chenab had been changed from 2¼ to 3½ *Tussus* per rupee, suggests that the same rate should be made to apply to the wood coming down the Jhelum; and submits a memo. of his proceedings.	Nos. 33-4.

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277—concld.	No. 1304; dated 20th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. H. Heath; on special duty.	Rate for Diar wood coming down the Jhelum.	In reply, informs Lieutenant Heath that the Chief Commissioner has written to the Maharaja Golab Singh, that the rate for wood on the Jhelum should be 8½ *Tussus* per rupee, as on the Chenab.	Progs. for the week ending 24th September 1853—Nos. 33-4.
278	No. *Nil*, dated 13th September 1853 From—The Secretary, Lahore Agri-Horticultural Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tree planting and the cultivation of sugar, cotton, etc.	Asks for information on the subject of tree planting in the country, and the cultivation of sugar, cotton, etc.	Nos. 80—82.
	Circular No. 13—1339, dated 22nd September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the annexed letter and requests that they will circulate it among their officers, in order that any of them who have given attention to the subject may supply such information as they may posse s.	
	No. 1340; dated 22nd September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	In reply, informs him that Commissioners have been requested to supply the information.	
279	No. 71; dated 24th August 1853.. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a dispensary at Kangra. Working of dispensaries in Jullundur and Hoshiarpur.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 11 , states that the subject of establishing a dispensary at Kangra will receive his early consideration and that he will call upon the Officiating Deputy Commissioner to state what he would recommend. Forwards copies of the reports of the District Officers of Jullundur and Hoshiarpur on the operations of the dispensaries in those districts during the past official year, with his own opinion on the subjects mooted therein.	Nos. 86—95.
	No. 1312, dated 23rd September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply; informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner concurs with him in thinking that the management of the dispensary at Hoshiarpur is unsatisfactory and trusts the change of Native Doctors will prove beneficial. Observes that great credit is due to native doctor Zahur-ul-Hussain for the management of the Jullundur Dispensary.	
280	No. 70; dated 2nd September 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Return of Mr. Henderson from leave.	Reports the return of Mr. Henderson from leave. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 117.
281	No. 1614; dated 12th September 1853. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road between Lahore and Gujranwala.	Submits copies of correspondence with the Commissioner, Lahore Division, relative to that portion of the Lahore-Peshawar road lying between Lahore and Gujranwala. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 118.

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282	No. 82, dated 12th September 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Storage of electric telegraph posts in dâk bungalows.	With reference to the instructions relative to the storing of posts for the Electric Telegraph at Jullundur, states that he has directed the Assistant Commissioner at Jullundur to collect them also at Phillaur and Kartarpur. States that he has done so in order to meet the spirit of Dr. O'Shaughnessy's letter who appears to be under the impression that there are dâk bunglows in the Division similar to those stretching from the Hooghly to Meerut, whereas such is not the case.	Progs. for the week ending 1st October 1853— Nos. 11-12.
	No. 1352, dated 26th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Electric Telegraphs.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and enquires whether the Commissioner has rightly understood his wishes.	
283	No. 33, dated 15th September 1853 From—Lieutenant A. H. Heath, on special duty. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber disputes between Mr. Arratoon and Maharaja Gulab Singh's people.	Intimates his return to Akhnur, and reports on the points of dispute between Mr. Arratoon and the people of Maharaja Gulab Singh, regarding timber.	Nos. 27-8.
	No. *Nil*, dated 14th September 1853 From—Mr. Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Intimates his intention of submitting a memorial complaining of the stoppage of his timber and begs the Chief Commissioner will suspend his decision.	
	No. 1364, dated 27th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. H. Heath, on special duty.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner concurs with him in thinking that Mr. Arratoon's claim to all new unmarked logs lying at Riasi or Akhnur is quite inadmissible.	
284	No. 23, dated 17th September 1853 From—Lieutenant A. Heath, on special duty. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1081, dated the 18th ultimo, states that the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum declines to make over to the Agent of the Maharaja of Kashmir timber bearing the new marks, unless he receives orders direct from the Chief Commissioner.	Nos. 32—5.
	No. 1368, dated 27th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Jhelum.	Ditto	Requests that he will make over all logs bearing the particular mark shown him by Lieutenant Heath to the Maharaja's Agent.	
	Nos. 70-1369-70, dated 27th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Heath, on special duty, and the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Informs Lieutenant Heath and the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division of the instructions issued to the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum.	

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285	No. 1916, dated 24th September 1853. From—The Officiating Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revised plan of cantonment for Guide Corps. Modification of standard plan of tahsildaris on frontier.	Forwards certain papers, with a view to the orders of the Chief Commissioner being carried out, regarding a revised plan of a cantonment for the Guide Corps and a modification of the standard plan for tahsildaris, etc., on the frontier.	Progs. for the week ending 1st October 1853— Nos. 44—6.
	No. 1376, dated 28th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commisioner, Peshawar, in charge Commissioner's office.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from the above letter and requests that he will submit the proposals for uniting the thana and tahsil buildings with the fortified cantonment for the Guide Corps proposed to be built in Eusafzai.	
	No. 1377, dated 28th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns the papers received with his foregoing letter.	
286	No. 1672, dated 17th September 1853. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of certain buildings in Anarkali.	With reference to the sale of the Anarkali buildings, enquires whether the occupants are to be dispossessed when the offer for sale does not originate with them, and, if so, whether they are to have any notice previous to dispossession. Suggests that when any other house in Anarkali is procurable for rent, 15 days' notice be given to quit, and if no house is vacant, that a notice of 2 months' be given. Requests also to be informed if Dr. Hathaway's house is to be considered open for sale.	Nos. 64-5.
	No. 1391, dated 30th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that there can be no object in selling Dr. Hathaway's house, as in that case he will be in a position to claim office rent. As regards the occupants of the other bungalows, states that the Chief Commissioner would give, in the first instance, a notice of a month, and in the second, 2 months.	
287	No. 1675, dated 17th September 1853. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repairs to the gateway of the masjid adjoining the Hazuri Bagh.	Submits a specification and estimates of the cost of repairs required to the gateway of the masjid adjoining the Hazuri Bagh.	Nos. 66—8.
	No. 732-1392, dated 30th September 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and of the one to the address of the Superintendent, Civil Buildings, and states that the Chief Commissioner directed the dilapidated portion of the gateway, which was considered dangerous, to be pulled down, and solicits sanction to the expenditure incurred on its repairs.	

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288	No 4076, dated 16th September 1853. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Church at Murree.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 570, dated 12th ultimo, sanctions a contribution on the part of Government of Rs. 7,000 towards the erection of a church at Murree, but directs that the money should not be disbursed till the Chief Commissioner is satisfied that such subscriptions are forthcoming and such a style of building has been adopted as to secure the completion of a plain but substantial church, capable of accommodating 200 persons.	Progs. for the week ending 1st October 1853— Nos. 77-8.
	No. 1396, dated 1st October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and requests he will see that the instructions of Government are carefully carried out.	
289	No. 1405, dated 1st October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	List of officers in the Punjab on 1st October 1853.	Submits a Distribution List of Officers in the Punjab on the 1st October 1853.	No. 96.
290	No. 641, dated 27th September 1853. From—The Superintendent, Civil Buildings. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sentry for the Anarkali church.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Officiating Military Secretary to Chief Commissioner, and requests the withdrawal of the sentry from the Anarkali church. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 102.
291	From—F. F. Courtenay, Esq., Private Secretary to the Governor-General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Hints on the management and rearing of sheep.	Forwards a document containing hints on the management of sheep and the plan adopted in Mysore territory for rearing them.	Progs. for the week ending 8th October 1853— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 1409, dated 3rd October 1853... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq. Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto Merino rams from Mysore.	Forwards a copy of the above papers and, with reference to the number of Merino rams procurable from Mysore, requests that he will state how many of these the Society would like to have and what would be the best time for their arrival at Karachi.	
292	No. *Nil*, dated 19th August 1853 .. From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of agricultural improvements in the Punjab	Forwards an extract from the Society's proceedings, relative to a plan for the gradual introduction into the Punjab of certain improvements calculated materially to benefit the agriculturists.	Nos. 2½-3.
	No. 1410, dated 3rd October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Agri-Horticultural Society, relative to the gradual introduction of agricultural improvements in the Punjab, and requests that he will state his opinion on the several matters contained therein.	
293	No. 4091, dated 16th September 1853. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a convalescent depôt in the Chamba hills.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2170, dated 11th May last, states that it has been resolved to establish a convalescent depôt in the Chamba hills, and requests that steps may be taken for the selection of a site.	Nos. 6-7.

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293—*concld.*	No. 1413, dated 3rd October 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Establishment of a convalescent depôt in the Chamba hills. (Dalhousie.)	Forwards a copy of the above letter and requests he will communicate with the Chamba authorities and arrange with them for the surrender of a sufficient quantity of land and the most convenient site, and to report the result to the Chief Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 8th October 1853— No. 6-7.
294	No. 79, dated 3rd September 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Complaints of delay in disposal of work.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 928, dated the 22nd July last, remarks on the contents of the petition of complaint preferred by Khair-ud-din and others, residents of the Jullundur Doab, and submits statements showing the amount of work despatched in his office.	Nos. 8—10.
	No. 1414, dated 3rd October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto Mr. McLeod's methods criticised.	In reply, observes that the returns furnished certainly show a great increase of work, and the Chief Commissioner is aware of the exertions made during the past year to reduce the arrears, but, nevertheless, it appears that at the close of each year nearly a thousand cases remained for decision. Contrasts the state of work in the Trans-Sutlej States with the celerity and despatch of business in the Lahore and Cis-Sutlej Divisions, and states that the Chief Commissioner does so with unfeigned regret, inasmuch as he admits that for ability, temper, and knowledge of his duty, Mr. McLeod has no superior. The Chief Commissioner therefore cannot but lament that for want, perhaps, of a little more vigour, decision and method, those admirable qualities should fail to obtain their legitimate reward. Suggests certain measures for the classification of appeals and the more efficient conduct and despatch of work.	
295	No. 507, dated 15th September 1853. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mian Mir church.	Forwards copies of correspondence from the Quartermaster-General of the Army on the subject of church accommodation at Mian Mir, advocating the erection of one large church centrically situated, in preference to the construction of a church and a chapel, as originally proposed and sanctioned.	Nos. 11-12½.
	No. 1415, dated 3rd October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the [illegible] letter in original, on the subject [illegible]h accommodation for the station [illegible] Mir, and requests him to communi[illegible]h the Church Committee and furnish the required information. Observes that it would be as well if a sketch map could be furnished, showing the central site selected by the Brigadier Commanding and that which was originally recommended to Government.	

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296	No. 1417, dated 3rd October 1853... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Government school, Simla.	Requests that the Judicial Commissioner will call on the Deputy Commissioner of Simla to report on the Government school at that station, as it appeared to the Chief Commissioner on his last visit that the boys had fallen off since 1851 in their education and also in their numbers, and he would wish to know the circumstances which led to these results. Adds that the school building also is in so dilapidated a state as to be absolutely dangerous and should be looked to.	Progs. for the week ending 8th October 1853— No. 15.
297	No. *Nil*, dated 14th September 1853 From—Mr. Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber dispute with Kashmir officials.	With reference to Lieutenant Heath's report on his claim to all unmarked logs coming down the stream, states that as the clump of pine trees which are felled are much scattered over precipices and falls, he is obliged to leave it to the faith of the hill people to mark them and, in consequence, several are floated down without his mark on them. Adds that, though he has an assistant with an establishment of 16 men at Pangi, he cannot check the practice, and it is a circumstance which he finds himself unable to control, but which, having explained, he will leave to the decision of the Chief Commissioner.	Nos. 19-20.
	No. 1418, dated 4th October 1853... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Arratoon.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Arratoon that the Chief Commissioner cannot consent to his having the unmarked logs, as they are the lawful property of the ruler of the soil, and it is clearly the fault of his men that the logs are not marked. Adds that the Chief Commissioner has endeavoured to aid him, but nothing seems to satisfy him, and his complaints are increasing without advertence to his (Mr. Arratoon's) peculiar position and the rights of the Chief in whose territory he is. States that it is incumbent on Mr. Arratoon to conciliate him and his servants, and gives him (Mr. Arratoon) to understand that he must carry on his arrangements at his own risk for the future.	
298	No. 51, dated 9th September 1853 From—H. Carter, Esq., Secretary, Bombay Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Specimens of building materials from the Salt Range.	Acknowledges the receipt of valuable specimens of useful building materials obtained from the Salt Range in the Punjab and forwarded by Mr. Purdon, under directions of the late Board. Conveys the grateful thanks of the Society for the addition to their Museum.	Nos. 21-2.
	No. 1419, dated 4th October 1853.... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—W. Purdon, Esq., Assistant Civil Engineer.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, for his information.	

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299	No. 660, dated 23rd September 1853. From—The Agent to the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bad state of Sirsa-Bahawalpur road.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Superintendent, Bhatti territory, stating that, in consequence of the bad state of the road from Sirsa to Bahawalpur (and for which an establishment of Rs. 50 is kept up), the merchants have deserted it and have selected the safer, though more circuitous route, from Multan to the Sutlej, opposite Fazilka, whence there is a broad and well defined road with sarais, etc., at every halting station to Hissar, *vid* Sirsa. States that the establishment above alluded to ought to be dispensed with, though he would suggest that the Agent, Governor-General, Rajputana, and the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, might require the Chiefs of Bikanir and Bahawalpur to keep the road in good order.	Progs. for the week ending 8th October 1853— Nos. 44—6.
	No. 1434, dated 5th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the enclosures received with the above letter and requests the he will state what portion of the road passes through Bahawalpur territory, and that he will furnish a memo. of the distances and names of the stages.	
	No. 1434-A, dated 5th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, for his information.	
300	No. 3854, dated 24th September 1853 From—The Officiating Assistant Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Chinese tea manufacturers for employment in Kumaon and Kangra.	Forwards a copy of correspondence with the Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, North-Western Provinces, relative to the location of two parties of Chinese tea manufacturers expected in the cold season at Now Konchia Tal, in Kumaon, and at Holta, in the Kangra valley, and sanctions the erection of the necessary buildings, at an expense not exceeding Rs. 2,500.	Nos. 69-70.
	No. 1447, dated 6th October 1853... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and accompaniments and requests that he will place himself in communication with Dr. Jameson and ascertain when the arrival of the Chinese destined for the Kot Kangra valley may be expected. Directs that when they come, arrangements may be made to enable them to establish themselves comfortably.	
301	No. *Nil*, dated 1st October 1853 ... From—H. Davidson, Esq., Ludhiana. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dismissal of Mr. Davidson, I.C.S.	Asks for a copy of the letter from the Chief Commissioner to Government, reporting on the proceedings held at Lahore on 9th August last.	Nos. 77-8.
	No. 757-1451, dated 6th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and enquires whether there is any objection to the Chief Commissioner's complying with Mr. Davidson's request.	
302	No. 840, dated 23rd September 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bridges of boats across rivers in the Punjab.	State that the Governor-General in Council would be glad to learn what progress has been made in forming bridges of boats across the rivers of the Punjab.	Nos. 90-91.

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302—*concld.*	No. 1461, dated 7th October 1853... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Bridges of boats across rivers in the Punjab.	Forwards a copy of the above letter and requests that he will furnish the necessary report.	Progs. for the week ending 8th October 1853— No. 90-91.
303	No. 4151, dated 23rd September 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Furniture supplied to St. Luke's church, Jullundur, and to the church in Dhian Singh's Haveli at Lahore.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, enquiring whether the furniture supplied to St. Luke's church at Jullundur and to the church in Dhian Singh's Haveli in Lahore included all the seats, etc., in the said churches.	Nos. 92—5.
	No. 1462, dated 7th October 1853 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and requests he will furnish the necessary information.	
	No. 1463, dated 7th October 1853... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Calls for a similar report relative to St. Luke's church in Jullundur.	
304	No. Nil, dated 4th October 1853 ... From—The Secretary to the Agri-Horticultural Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams from Mysore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter of the 3rd instant, states that the Society will be happy to take all 24 merino rams from Mysore for distribution in the Punjab, and suggests that, on arrival at Multan, 4 be sent to Jhang, 4 may be kept at Multan and the rest sent on to Lahore for distribution at Shahpur, Pind Dadan Khan, Jhelum and Kot Kangra.	Nos. 113-14.
	No. 1472, dated 8th October 1853... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Intimates that the Chief Commissioner expects a batch of 24 merino rams to arrive at Multan in December or January and requests that, on arrival, Commissioner will retain 4 of them at Multan, send 4 to Jhang and forward the remainder to the Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society at Lahore.	
305	No. 1697, dated 20th September 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Boats for the bridge over the Ravi.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1256, states that he has directed Lieutenant Fagan to use the new boats for the bridge across the Ravi.	No. 121.
306	No. 4158, dated 23rd September 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment, classification and promotion of Civil and Military officers, Punjab.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, relative to the appointment, classification and promotion of Civil and Military officers in the Punjab. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 125.
307	No. 34, dated 1st October 1853 ... From—Lieutenant A. Heath, on special duty. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Settlement of Mr. Arratoon's timber disputes.	Submits a memo. of his proceedings from the 17th to the 30th ultimo. Adds that Mr. Arratoon's cases have all been decided and remarks on the exaggerated statements made by him.	Progs. for the week ending 15th October 1853— Nos. 14—61.

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307—*concld.*	No. 1484, dated 11th October 1853... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. Heath, on special duty.	Settlement of Mr. Arratoon's timber disputes. Disposal of unmarked logs.	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner concurs with him in thinking that Mr. Arratoon's statements are exaggerated and that he gives unnecessary trouble. Directs that the rule in regard to unmarked logs which may float into the Bajwat district becoming the property of Rajah Tej Singh, be adhered to.	Progs. for the week ending 15th October 1853— Nos. 14—16.
308	No. 123, dated 28th September 1853. From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Kohat. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Protection of roads in the Kohat district.	Forwards copy of a letter addressed to the late Commissioner of Peshawar (to which no answer has been received), together with a list of towers and chaukis required for the protection of the roads, etc., in the Kohat district, and requests that the sanction of Government may be obtained to relieve his Inefficient Balance of the sums which have been retrenched by the Civil Auditor for want of the necessary authority.	Nos. 21-2.
	No. 1488, dated 11th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Kohat.	Ditto	In reply, requests that he will state for what period the establishment of 136 men for the towers, chaukis and musafirkhanas has been kept up and the amount which has been already expended on account of it. Observes that he should make up the account to the 1st of October, from which date regular sanction will be solicited.	
309	No. 1489, dated 11th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Raja Bije Singh's dispute with the Singhpuria Sardars.	Forwards copy of a letter addressed to Raja Bije Singh, referring him to the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, and after him to the Financial Commissioner, in the case of the Raja's dispute with the Singhpuria Sardars, relative to the division and police jurisdiction of certain estates. Requests Commissioner will hear what the Raja has to state in his defence.	No. 23.
310	No. 1717, dated 22nd September 1853. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reconstructing Jamadar Khushal Singh's house.	Submits Lieutenant Fagan's bills for expenses incurred in reconstructing Jamadar Khushal Singh's house and converting it into a residence, and explains the circumstances under which the estimate as originally sanctioned has been exceeded by Rs. 4,107-10-1. Requests that Government authority may be obtained to admit the charge.	Nos. 63—7.
	No. 784—1512, dated 13th October 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and observes that of the grant of Rs. 12,500 made for the modernising of the building, Rs. 2,500 went to compensate the tenants then in possession, the balance being made over to the Civil Engineer. Adds that in the construction of buildings for guards and escort and raising the ground, together with reconstruction of the greater part of the building, the allowance sanctioned has been exceeded by Rs. 4,107-10-1, and requests that the amount may be passed.	
	No. 1513, dated 13th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In forms the Civil Engineer, in reply, that the sanction of Government has been solicited to the additional expenditure incurred on Jamadar Khushal Singh's house.	

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311	No. 4191, dated 30th September 1853. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Posts for telegraph line. Storage of telegraph posts in dâk bungalows.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 679, dated 13th instant, requests that bamboos and posts may be collected at every dâk bungalow in the Cis-Sutlej States through which the line of telegraph will run.	Progs. for the week ending 15th October 1853— Nos. 70-71.
	No. 1515, dated 14th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and requests he will issue the necessary instructions, care being taken that the bamboos be as strong and straight as possible.	
312	No. 4280, dated 7th October 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dismissal of all vaccinators except those in Simla.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 658, dated the 5th ultimo, states that the Medical Board have already exempted the Simla Vaccine Establishment from the operation of the orders discharging all vaccinators.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd October 1853— Nos. 18-19.
	No. 1537, dated 18th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H M. Connon, Esq., M.D., Civil Assistant Surgeon, Simla.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, for his information.	
313	No. 736, dated 7th October 1853 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary at Abbottabad.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Hazara, soliciting sanction to the erection of a dispensary at Abbottabad, with some suggestions of Dr. Farquher as to the plan of the building, together with a list showing the amount which the British residents are prepared to contribute.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd October 1853— Nos. 40-41.
	No. 1548, dated 19th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar.	Ditto Other dispensaries in the Division.	In reply, enquires whether any other dispensaries are required in the Peshawar Division, in order that the matter may be submitted to Government in a complete form.	
314	No. 1838, dated 8th October 1853... From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of houses in Anarkali.	Reports the names of certain parties who are anxious to purchase houses in Anarkali, with a statement of the sums offered.	Nos. 48-9.
	No. 1551, dated 19th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, enquires whether he would recommend that the houses should be sold at the upset prices offered for them, as some of these offers appear to be very low.	
315	No. 197, dated 12th October 1853 .. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bad state of Sirsa - Bahawalpur road.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1434, dated the 5th instant, states that a portion of the road from Fazilka to Sirsa passes through Bahawalpur territory. Adds that Fazilka belongs to Sirsa and all the stages between them are also in the Sirsa district.	Nos. 57-8.
	No. 1556, dated 20th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Bhuttee territory.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 21, dated the 17th ultimo, to the address of the Lieutenant-Governor's Agent at Delhi, enquires what road he alludes to as requiring repairs by the Nawab of Bahawalpur, as it does not appear that any portion of the road between Fazilka and Sirsa passes through Bahawalpur territory.	

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316	No. 807—1561, dated 21st October 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Recommendation for appointment of Pandit Manphool as Extra Assistant.	Forwards a nominal roll of the services of Pandit Manphool and recommends that he be appointed an Extra Assistant on Rs. 250.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd October 1853— Nos. 67-8.
317	No. 4223, dated 30th September 1853. From—The Offg. Under-Secretary to the Government of India To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Duties entrusted to Extra Assistants in the Punjab.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Honorable Court of Directors and requests the Chief Commissioner to explain the nature of the duties entrusted to Extra Assistants in the Punjab and for the reasons which exist for the promotion lately given to Bunsi Lall.	Nos. 74—6.
	No. 809—1564, dated 22nd October 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, explains that the question mooted in the above letter was the subject of letter No. 29 from his department, the reply to which conveyed the opinion of the Governor-General that the remarks of the Honorable the Court of Directors regarding the salary of an Extra Assistant being limited to Rs. 250 per month was intended to apply only to those on their first entering into office. Explains the origin of the two designations which formerly existed in the Punjab, of Deputy Collectors and Extra Assistants, and states the nature of the duties entrusted to them. Recommends that the rule by which Deputy Collectors are promoted after an approved service of 5 years, be extended to the class of Extra Assistants in the Punjab.	
318	No. 93, dated 8th October 1853 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rearing of silkworms.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Hoshiarpur, soliciting sanction to an advance which he made of Rs. 32 towards an experiment for the rearing of silkworms at that station. Submits his reasons for considering the encouragement of such experiments desirable where mulberry grows in such luxuriance as it does in the Trans-Sutlej Division. States that in Hoshiarpur some beautiful silks have this year been manufactured by a Kashmiri, who is anxious to establish a manufactory on a small scale at Pathankot.	Progs. for the week ending 29th October 1853— Nos. 9—11.
	No. 1570, dated 25th October 1853... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto ...	In reply, sanctions the advance.	
319	No. 114, dated 17th October 1853. . From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea plantations at Murree.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Dr. Jameson, Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, North-Western Provinces, on the subject of tea plantations at Murree, and solicits sanction to the entertainment of a mali on Rs. 12 per mensem and two coolies at Rs. 5 each.	Nos. 34-5.

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319—*concld.*	No. 820—1582, dated 26th October 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.	Tea plantations at Murree.	Submits a copy of the above and of previous letters and solicits sanction to the proposal of Mr. Thornton, as an experimental one for a year.	Progs. for the week ending 29th October 1853— Nos. 34-5.
320	No. 451, dated 20th September 1853 From—The Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, North-Western Provinces To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of tea.	Forwards a few notes on the best course to be adopted in the cultivation of tea, and recommends that they be translated into the vernacular and circulated among the zamindars who are willing to engage in it.	Nos. 39—42.
	No. 1584, dated 26th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply, thanks the Superintendent for the "notes" which appear to the Chief Commissioner as likely to be of much use, and enquires when civil officers will be authorized to tell the people that we will buy up the leaves at a given price.	
	No. 1585, dated 26th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and of the notes which accompanied them, and requests that he will have the latter translated into the vernacular and circulated.	
321	No. 92, dated 7th October 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of dispensaries.	Submits a report relative to the establishment of dispensaries in his division and gives his reasons for recommending one to be established at Nurpur.	Nos. 13—6.
	No. 1586, dated 27th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner is prepared to support his proposition, but, before doing so, he would wish to be clearly informed as to the amount to be applied for, as the total (Rs. 201) given in his 14th paragraph does not include the pay of Native Doctors, the payment of whose salaries, whether made from the General Revenues of the Local Funds, must be sanctioned by Government.	
322	No. 130, dated 15th October 1853. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a new dispensary at Ludhiana.	Reports that a new dispensary has been established at Ludhiana, and requests sanction to the expenditure of Rs. 500 for it.	Nos. 47 8.
	No. 1587, dated 27th October 1853... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto ...	Sanctions the expenditure of Rs. 500.	
323	No. 2972, dated 14th October 1853 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Production of *Tillee* in the Punjab.	Asks for information as to the production of *Tillee* in the Punjab, as the demand for it at Bombay appears heavy.	Nos. 58—60.
	Circular No. 16—1593, dated 29th October 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions. No. 1594, dated 29th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq.	Ditto ...	Forwards a copy of the above letter, and requests them to furnish the information required.	

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324	No. 1910, dated 11th October 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron ore in the Kirana hill.	Forwards a letter from Mr. Purdon, regarding the iron ore in the Kirana hill. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 29th October 1853— No. 62.
325	No. 717, dated 19th October 1853 ... From—The Superintendent, Civil Buildings, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repairs to the old Residency building after the earthquake.	Reports that the repairs to the old Residency building amounted only to Rs. 3,276, and that the building is now perfectly safe. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 64.
326	No. *Nil*, dated 31st August 1853 .. From—Mr. T. Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Raja Tej Singh to all unmarked logs which float down to Bijwat.	States that Raja Tej Singh lays claim to all the unmarked logs which float down to Bijwat, whereas a large number belong to him, and asks for redress.	No. 78.
327	No. 7, dated 2nd June 1857 ... From—Lieutenant A. Heath. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reasons for the higher rates proposed for long timber.	Explains his reasons for having proposed higher rates for long timber from Jammu territory.	No. 79.
328	No. 299, dated 19th October 1853... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of agricultural improvements in the Punjab.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1410, enclosing a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Lahore Agri-Horticultural Society on the subject of the gradual introduction of agricultural improvements in the Punjab, explains his reasons for thinking that the scheme advocated by Colonel Tremenhere would not succeed in persuading the native ryot to prepay, as it were, for contingent advantages, and suggests a plan which, with the aid of Government, appears to him to be better fitted to serve the agricultural interests of the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 5th November 1853— Nos. 4—6.
	No. 1597, dated 31st October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the annexed letter and adds that Government have been requested to procure and forward, at the expense of the State, parcels of seeds of the various products mentioned by him. Suggests that the society should correspond direct with the Financial Commissioner respecting the details of any plan they may desire to introduce.	
	No. 828-1598, dated 31st October .. 185 . From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of Mr. Cope's letter, dated the 19th October 1853, and of the annexed and states that the object of the present application is to obtain aid of Government in procuring supplies of different kinds of seeds from Europe, which supply the Chief Commissioner considers would be very useful Adds that whatever plan may eventually be submitted will receive mature consideration.	
329	No. 4456, dated 21st October 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repairs to one of the gateways of the masjid adjoining the Hazuri Bagh.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 732, dated the 30th September 1853, sanctions the expenditure of Rs. 218-8-0 for repairs to one of the gateways of the masjid adjoining the Hazuri Bagh.	Nos. 11-12.

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329—*concld.*	No. 1601, dated 1st November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Repairs to one of the gateways of the masyid adjoining the Hazuri Bag.	Forwards a copy of the above.	Progs. for the week ending 5th November 1853—Nos. 11-12.
330	No. 1976, dated 18th October 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lahore-Jhelum road.	Submits copy of correspondence with Lieutenant Taylor, Superintendent, Peshawar Road, stating that the road from Lahore to Jhelum through the Karrian pass has been open some time for the passage of mail carts and is sufficiently advanced to admit of the passage of troops.	Nos. 13-14.
	No. 829-1602, dated 1st November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the annexed letter and observes that the work (which the Chief Commissioner has himself seen) is excellent and the cutting through the rocks at Sohawa very good. Although the road from that place to Attock, and Rawulpindi, is not in a forward state, the Civil Engineer and his staff are exerting themselves to push on the work by increasing the number of labourers.	
331	No. 3007, dated 17th October 1853 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Respective merits of burnt and sun-dried brick walls in throwing off heat.	With reference to No. 528, dated the 18th May 1853, forwards a copy of correspondence showing the results of the experiment undertaken to test the respective merits of burnt and sun-dried brick walls in throwing off heat.	Nos. 24—7.
	No. 1606, dated 1st November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Conveys the Chief Commissioner's thanks for the report,	
332	No. 752, dated 15th October 1853... From—Captain H. James, Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant Raverty's Pashtu grammar.	Reports on the merits of Lieutenant Raverty's Pashtu grammar, which, as it now stands, he does not consider a work of much utility, but one which might be made so by certain omissions as well as additions.	Nos. 35-6.
	No 832-1611, dated 1st November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply to letter No. 2937, dated the 26th August 1853, forwards a copy of foregoing letter and suggests that, as Captain Vaughan's work on the same subject is already in the press, Lieutenant Raverty's grammar be sent to the Asiatic Society to be published in their Journal.	
333	No. 164, dated 21st October 1853 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of certain roads in the Punjab.	Submits, with his opinion, Lieutenant-Colonel Napier's letter No. 19 2, dated the 10th October 1853, with plans and estimates for the construction of certain roads in the Punjab, and recommends that Government sanction be obtained thereto, as the roads appear to be of great military and commercial importance.	Nos. 49—51.

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333—*concld.*	No. 834-1620, dated 2nd November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Construction of certain roads in the Punjab.	Submits a copy of the above letter and enclosures, and recommends the construction of these roads which, by opening up the country, will give an impetus to trade and enable us to move a body of troops to any point menaced.	Progs. for the week ending 5th November 1853—Nos. 49—51.
334	No. *Nil*, dated 27th October 1853... From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Labour for the Lahore and Peshawar road.	Reports that labour to the northward of Jhelum is unequal to the demand on the Lahore and Peshawar road, and suggests that the Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore and the Superintendent at Bhuttiana be authorized to entertain workmen on certain conditions and to send them to certain officers.	Nos. 52—4.
	No. 1621, dated 2nd November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and requests that they will do all they can to assist Colonel Napier with men to the extent required and despatch them in the mode proposed, making them the necessary advances, which will afterwards be remitted.	
	No. 1622, dated 2nd November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Bhatti Territory.			
335	No. 4530, dated 26th October 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaughan's and Raverty's Pashtu grammars.	Calls for information as to the progress made in the publication of Captain Vaughan's Pashtu grammar and for a reply to letter No. 2937, regarding Lieutenant Raverty's work.	Nos. 55-6.
	No. 837—1623, dated 3rd November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, reports that Captain Vaughan's work was completed in January last and that officer was authorized in June last to place it in the press of Messrs. S. Smith & Co., or in that of the Baptist Mission, if declined by the former; and refers to letter No. 832, dated the 1st November 1853, relative to Lieutenant Raverty's grammar.	
336	No. 4557, dated 28th October 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dismissal of Mr. Davidson, C. S.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 757, dated the 6th October 1853, authorizes compliance with Mr. Davidson's request to be supplied with copies of the documents therein alluded to, regarding the proceedings in his case.	Progs. for the week ending 12th November 1853—Nos. 1-2.
	No. 1637, dated 7th November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Davidson, Esquire.	Ditto	With reference to his letter of the 1st October 1853, forwards, under the authority of Government, the documents asked for by him.	
337	No. 1644, dated 7th November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major J. Abbott.	Medals and certificates awarded in connection with the London Exhibition.	Forwards to each a medal and a certificate awarded to him by the Royal Commissioners of the Great Exhibition of 1851, for his services on that occasion.	Nos. 15—17.
	No. 1645, dated 7th November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esquire.			
	No. 1646, dated 7th November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—R. Montgomery, Esquire.			

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338	No. 95, dated 15th October 1853 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road from the river Vinoa to Nurpur. Bridges over the streams.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Kangra, with a memo. by his Assistant, Mr. Forsyth, on the subject of a road from the river Vinoa (the Mandi boundary) to Nurpur, and submits an approximate estimate of the cost of bridging the streams which intersect the road.	Progs. for the week ending 12th November 1853—Nos. 31—5.
	No. 852—1654, dated 9th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the above letter and enclosures, proposing the construction of 10 bridges over as many streams, at a cost of Rs. 18,000. States that the Chief Commissioner considers the estimate to be moderate, and even if it should be somewhat exceeded, he cannot but think that the benefit from the works would be out of all proportion to the expenditure, since not a rainy season passes without several travellers being drowned in attempting to cross the streams. He, therefore, recommends that the proposition be sanctioned and that the work be entrusted to the district officers who take a lively interest in the success of such projects.	
339	No. 4164, dated 25th October 1853 From—The Secretary to the Government, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Receipts and disbursements of the Simla Municipal Fund from 1847 to 1850.	Forwards an abstract statement of the receipts and disbursements of the Simla Municipal Fund from 1847 to 1850. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 89.
340	No. 107, dated 17th October 1853 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fitting up Raja Dhian Singh's house at Lahore as a temporary place of worship.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1462, dated the 7th October 1853, submits copy of a bill procured from the office of the Garrison Engineer, detailing the items comprising the charge of Rs. 341-7-6 for fitting up Raja Dhian Singh's house at Lahore as a temporary place of worship.	Progs., for the week ending 19th November 1853—No. 1.
341	No. 179, dated 7th November 1853 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erecting public buildings in the Gujrat and Rawalpindi districts.	Submits, for the sanction of Government, copy of a letter from the Commissioner, Jhelum Division, on the subject of erecting public buildings in the Gujrat and Rawalpindi districts, along the Peshawar Trunk Road, at an estimated aggregate cost of Rs. 45,096.	Nos. 4—6.
	No. 871—1685, dated 14th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and its enclosure. States that the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that the division of stages along the Trunk Road, as arranged by Mr. Thornton, is the best that could have been made, and he agrees with that officer in thinking that stone and mortar will be found eventually much more economical material than unbaked brick and mortar.	
342	No. 4686, dated 4th November 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New Residency building at Lahore. (Jamadar Khushal Singh's haveli).	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 7841, of the 13th October 1853, sanctions the additional sum of Rs. 4,127-10-1 expended on the new Residency building at Lahore in excess of the sanctioned estimate.	Nos. 7-8.

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342—*concld.*	No. 1686, dated 14th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	New Residency building at Lahore. (Jamadar Khushal Singh's haveli).	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	Progs. for the week ending 19th November 1853—Nos. 7-8.
343	No. 27, dated 1st November 1853... From—The Superintendent, Bhuttee Territory. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bahawalpur road.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1556, dated the 20th October 1853, states that he referred to the "Bahawalpur road" which runs through the desert *viâ* Bhutnear, near Suratgarh, &c., and forwards a printed list of the route from Delhi to Bahawalpur.	Nos. 31—4.
	No. 102, dated 10th October 1853 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Route from Bahawalpur to Sirsa.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1434, dated 5th instant, forwards a table of the route from Bahawalpur to Sirsa.	
	No. 1696, dated 17th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Bhuttee Territory.	Ditto. Keeping up the wells and serais by the Nawab of Bahawalpur within his borders.	Informs the Superintendent that the Nawab of Bahawalpur has been addressed on the subject of keeping up the wells and serais within his borders on the road referred to by him and returns the printed route which accompanied his letter.	
	No. 1697, dated 17th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Agent, Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply to his predecessor's letter No. 660, dated the 23rd September 1853, informs the Agent that the Nawab of Bahawalpur has been requested to keep the wells, etc., on the road in good order.	
344	No. 882, dated 18th November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Removal of the civil establishment of Eusafzai from Gurhikapur to Hoti Mardan.	Forwards a copy of Captain James' letter No. 745, dated the 10th October 1853, and states that it is desirable to remove the civil establishment of Eusufzai from Gurhikapur to Hoti Mardan, the site of the new cantonment, though the movement involves the loss of the sum already expended on the buildings at the former place, and adds that the Chief Commissioner, in anticipation of the sanction of Government, has directed the construction of the new buildings in conjunction with the Guide Corps cantonment. Solicits sanction therefore to the sum of Rs. 3,439-8-9 being written off from the treasury accounts as loss, that amount having been expended on the buildings at Gurhikapur.	No. 52.
345	No. 4783, dated 11th November 1853. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Experimental cultivation of tea in the vicinity of Murree.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No 820, dated the 26th October 1853, conveys sanction of Government to the experimental cultivation of tea in the vicinity of Murree for one year, and authorizes the entertainment of an establishment for the purpose, at a cost of Rs. 22 per month, from the 1st October 1853.	Nos. 58-9.
	No. 1712, dated 19th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter.	

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346	No. 489, dated 5th November 1853 From—The Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of tea leaves by Government.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1584, dated the 26th October 1853, states that the Civil officers at Kangra ought at once to announce to the zamindars the conditions on which tea leaves will be purchased at the Government factory, and that a notice ought to be appended to the notes on tea cultivation, intimating that all raw leaves will be purchased by Government at the rate of Rs. 8 per maund. Lays down a scale of rewards for those who bring in specified quantities of tea leaves to the factory for sale.	Progs. for the week ending 19th November 1853—Nos. 64—6.
	No. 1715, dated 19th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and requests he will notify the conditions on which tea leaves will be purchased, in the manner suggested therein, and make known the rewards that will be given, in the manner indicated by Dr. Jameson.	
	No. 885—1716, dated 19th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the above letter and states that the necessary instructions have been issued to the Commissioner to carry out the suggestions therein contained.	
347	No. 341, dated 9th November 1853 From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiarpur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Papers relating to boundary settlements between the territories of Maharaja Gulab Singh and the British Government.	Solicits instructions as to the disposal of a box of papers relating to boundary settlements between the territories of Maharaja Gulab Singh and the British Government, left with him by Major J. Abbott.	Nos. 67-8.
	No. 1717, dated 19th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiarpur.	Ditto	In reply, requests that he will send the box to Lahore.	
348	No. 35, dated 1st November 1853... From—Lieutenant A. Heath, on special duty. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber trade	In continuation of No. 34, dated the 1st October 1853, reports his proceedings from that date to the 28th of the same month. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 74.
349	No. 75, dated 19th October 1853 ... From—The Officiating Superintendent, Ravi Timber Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber received and despatched in September 1853.	Forwards a return of timber received and despatched in September 1853. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 80-81.
350	No. 145, dated 7th November 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Control of independent States.	Submits a copy of correspondence with the Deputy Commissioner of Thanesar regarding the distribution of the independent States in the Division, and observes that, in his opinion, they should not be brought under any district jurisdiction, but should be held amenable only to the Commissioner in subordination to the Chief Commissioner and the Supreme Government.	Progs. for the week ending 26th November 1853—Nos. 3—6.

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350—*concld.*	No. 1719, dated 22nd November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Control of independent States.	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner entirely concurs with him in his opinion.	Progs. for the week ending 26th November 1853—Nos. 3-6.
351	No. 319, dated 8th November 1853 From—The Superintendent, Bhuttee Territory. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Labour for the Peshawar road.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1622, dated the 2nd November 1853, states that he will send off at once as many labourers as he can collect for employment on the Peshawar road, on the terms offered by Colonel Napier.	Nos. 11-12.
	No. 1723, dated 22nd November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Referring to his letter regarding want of labourers on the Lahore and Peshawar road, forwards a copy of the preceding letter.	
352	No. 183, dated 10th November 1853 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of St. Paul's church at Amritsar.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Amritsar Church Committee, with an estimate and plan of St. Paul's church at that station, soliciting a grant from Government of Rs. 3,086, to enable them to complete the building. In consideration of the liberality of the private subscriptions towards that object, recommends that the assistance of Government be solicited.	Nos. 18—21.
	No. 887—1725½, dated 22nd November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and enclosure, and states that, as the private subscriptions have gone so far towards the completion of the church, the Chief Commissioner thinks himself justified in recommending the grant of the amount applied for.	
353	No. 100, dated 10th November 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Furniture for St. Luke's church at Jullundur.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1463, dated the 7th October 1853, forwards a copy of a letter from the Chaplain of Jullundur, stating that Rs. 6,237-2-1 were expended in completing the edifice and in supplying furniture to St. Luke's church at that station.	Nos. 34-6.
	No. 880—1731, dated 23rd November 1853. *From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.* *To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.*	Ditto	Reports, for the information of the Hon'ble Court of Directors, with reference to letter No. 4151, dated the 23rd September 1853, that the bills passed for furniture supplied to St. Luke's church at Jullundur included all the seats, &c., required for it, but that Dhian Singh's haveli having been used only as a temporary place of worship, Rs. 341 were expended in the purchase of benches, punkhas and door screens.	
354	No. 1752, dated 23rd November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Sources of the Beas and Sutlej.	Calls attention to previous letters regarding the required report on the sources of the Beas and Sutlej, and requests that it may be submitted speedily.	No. 37.
355	No. 79, dated 15th November 1853 From—Lieutenant Hill, Superintendent, Ravi Timber Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber received and despatched in October 1853.	Submits a statement of timber received and despatched during October 1853. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 82-3.

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356	No. 351, dated 9th November 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tank in the fortress of Govindgarh. Drainge of the city of Amritsar.	Directs that the watercourse which feeds the large tank on the north-east face of the fortress of Govindgarh be placed under the control of the Civil Engineer, with a view to its banks being kept in such repair as to prevent inundation. Also requests that the supply of water to fill it may be regulated, and invites early attention to the subject of the drainage of the city of Amritsar, the present state of the ditch being highly detrimental to the health of the troops.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd December 1853—Nos. 1-2.
	No. 1753, dated 28th November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and requests that he will take charge of the watercourse therein alluded to, and directs his early attention to the adoption of measures necessary to drain the city ditch of Amritsar.	
357	No. 824, dated 9th November 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of dispensaries in the Peshawar Division.	Forwards the report of his District Officers on the subject of establishing dispensaries in the Division, and states that at Peshawar there are two dispensaries, one maintained by the Freemasons in the cantonments, and the other erected by private subscription with aid from the Local Agency in the city.	Nos. 3-4.
	No. 907-1754, dated 28th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To- The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, with enclosures, and recommends that a dispensary be instituted at Haripur with the establishment sanctioned for other dispensaries in the Punjab and an allowance of Rs. 10 per month (extra) to the native Doctor of the jail. Also recommends that another be established at Kohat, with the same allowance for medicines.	
358	No. 285, dated 17th November 1853 From—The Superintending Surgeon, Trans Ravee Circle. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	History of vaccination in Urdu and Punjabi.	Forwards manuscript of a history of and instructions relative to vaccination in Urdu and Punjabi, with an English translation, by Nibmaduh Mukerjee, Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Shahpur.	Nos. 19—21.
	No. 1764, dated 29th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. M. Connon, Esq, M. D. Civil Surgeon, Simla.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and the manuscript and calls for his opinion as to the general utility of the work.	
359	No. 4779, dated 11th November 1853. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Pandit Manphul to be an Extra Assistant Commissioner.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 867, dated the 21st October 1853, sanctions the appointment of Pandit Manphul as Extra Assistant Commissioner on a salary of Rs. 250 per month, the appointment to take effect from 1st January 1854.	Nos. 32—5.
	No. 1765, dated 29th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Fowards a copy of the preceding letter and informs him that the Chief Commissioner has attached the Pandit to the Rechna Doab Settlement under Mr. Temple.	

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359—*concld.*	No. 1766, dated 29th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Appointment of Pandit Manphul to be an Extra Assistant.	Forwards a copy of the preceding ...	Progs. for the week ending 3rd December 1853—Nos. 22—5.
	No. 1767, dated 29th November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Pandit Manphul.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, and informs him that he has been posted to the Rechna Doab Settlement under Mr. Temple.	
360	No. 185, dated 12th November 1853. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Church accommodation at Mian Mir.	Forwards copy of correspondence regarding church accommodation at Mian Mir, and states that, notwithstanding all that has been advanced against it, he still thinks that the plan proposed by the late Board of having a church and a chapel is preferable to that of having a central church only.	Nos. 26—9.
	No. 1768, dated 29th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and enclosure, and states that the Chief Commissioner, for the reasons assigned, concurs with the Judicial Commissioner in advocating, as originally proposed, the erection of a church and chapel in preference to a church centrically situated.	
361	No. *Nil*, pated 11th November 1853 From—The Superintendent of Cotton Experiments in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cotton seed from New Orleans.	Enquires whether any New Orlean's cotton seed, for planting in the Punjab next season, is required, as he expects from the Deccan and the South Maharatta country a larger quantity than will be required for Sind.	Nos. 30—32.
	No. 1769, dated 29th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of Cotton Experiments in Sind.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Superintendent that the Chief Commissioner will be glad if he can supply a quantity of the expected seed as the Agri-Horticultural Society have intimated that it would be of great advantage if 24 maunds of the seed could be furnished, as it would allow four maunds for each of six districts where the experiments are most likely to be successful.	
	No. 1770, dated 29th November 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information.	
362	No. 1781, dated 30th November 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Sanitarium in Chamba territory. (Dalhousie.)	In continuation of letter No. 1413, dated the 3rd October 1853, forwards a copy of a memo. from the Civil Engineer, showing the land which it will be expedient to take for the site of the sanitarium at Chamba, and observes that the Chief Commissioner is also of opinion that it will be well to take an amply sufficient quantity of land in the first instance, more especially as space will be required for roads, bazars and for buildings which officers, military and civil, will no doubt erect. Directs that the compensation to the Chamba Raja and the occupiers of the ground for the land which they will give up be calculated on a liberal scale, and the negotiations speedily brought to a close.	Nos. 51-2.

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363	No. 4944, dated 18th November 1853. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road from Lahore to Jhelum.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 829, dated the 1st November 1853, expresses the satisfaction of the Governor-General in Council at the excellent manner in which the road from Lahore to Jhelum is reported to have been executed.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd December 1853— Nos. 57-8.
	No. 1784, dated 1st December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information.	
364	No. 2135, dated 8th November 1853. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of houses in Anarkali.	Forwards a list received from Lieutenant Fagan, Superintendent of Civil Buildings, of the Anarkali bungalows, with the prices which, in his opinion, they ought to fetch. States that he agrees with that officer, and, therefore, recommends that the houses be sold for those prices and suggests that purchasers be considered subject to the same regulations by which purchasers of houses in a military cantonment are bound.	Nos. 59—62.
	No. 1785, dated 1st December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, sanctions the sale of the bungalows at the prices proposed and on the conditions suggested.	
365	No. 124, dated 19th November 1853. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Deputy Commissioner's kutchery to the Commissioner for his office.	Requests sanction to the transfer to him (for the accommodation of his office) of the Deputy Commissioner's kutchery which will shortly become vacant.	Nos. 75-6.
	No. 1793, dated 3rd December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, sanctions the transfer of the building, so soon as it is vacated by the Deputy Commissioner.	
366	No. 4854, dated 11th November 1853. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber grown and felled in Chamba and Kashmir.	Forwards a copy of a report submitted by Captain Hungerford of the Artillery, on the timber grown and felled in the territories of Maharaja Gulab Singh and the Raja of Chamba, and requests that the Chief Commissioner will submit his opinion on the various suggestions contained therein.	Nos. 77—9.
	No. 1794, dated 3rd December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and requests that he will report on the arrangements he would propose regarding the forests of Chamba.	

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367	No. 2134, dated 8th November 1853. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Bhati Gate drain, Lahore.	In obedience to directions contained in Chief Commissioner's letter No. 855, dated the 13th July 1853, forwards a revised estimate of the cost of constructing the Bhati Gate drain leading to the nullah.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd December 1853—Nos. 82—4.
	No. 928—1796, dated 3rd December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and explains the causes by which the estimate, as originally submitted in December 1850, was exceeded, and, under the circumstances, solicits sanction to the revised estimate amounting to Rs. 8,697-9-1.	
368	No. 101, dated 11th November 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the forests of Chamba and Pangi	Forwards copy of a report by Major H. E. [illegible], A. C. E., on the forests of Chamba and Pangi.	Nos. 98—101,
	No. 1803, dated 3rd December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the report, for record in his office.	
369	No. 1183, dated 21st November 1853. From—The Civil Auditor, North Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Uncovenanted Europeans, East Indians and Natives employed in the Punjab	Forwards a list of uncovenanted Europeans, East Indians and Natives employed in the Punjab on the 1st May 1853 ITEM.—NO ORDER.	No. 110.
370	No. 99, dated 5th November 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Jhil and grass land in the vicinity of Jullundur.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1131, dated the 23rd August 1853, relative to the jhil and grass lands in the vicinity of Jullundur, required by the military authorities at that place for a grass preserve, states that they are not in British territory, but in *pargunah* Phagwara belonging to the Ahluwalia Sardar. Encloses copy of a letter from the Sardar, with a translation of the same, from which it will be perceived that the Raja is unwilling to give up the land as he requires it for his own establishment.	Progs. for the week ending 10th December 1853—Nos. 64—7.
	No. 948—1839, dated 9th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and observes that the Chief Commissioner cannot recommend that the jhil should be taken from the Raja, and states that Brigadier Penny is under a misapprehension about the grass preserves in the Jullundur Doab available for cavalry, as these were not selected but are those which were kept up by the Sikh Darbar for their own purposes. When the Doab was ceded, they were made available for our cavalry, all other lands being occupied and owned.	
371	No. 1849, dated 10th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Sir H. M. Lawrence, K.C.B., Rjputana.	The Great Exhibition of 1851.	Forwards a medal and certificate received from the Commissioners of the Great Exhibition of 1851, for the Board of Administration of which he was President at the time of the Exhibition.	No. 80.

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372	No. 5079, dated 30th November 1853. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bridging of 10 streams between the Mandi boundary and Nurpur.	Sanctions an expenditure of Rs. 18,000 for bridging 10 streams between the Mandi boundary and Nurpur.	Progs. for the week ending 10th December 1853— Nos. 88-9.
	No. 1851, dated 10th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information, and observes that it is intended that these works should be undertaken by the District Officers.	
373	No. 5083, dated 30th November 1853. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of certain roads in the Punjab.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 834, dated the 2nd November 1853, submitting propositions for the construction of certain lines of roads in the Punjab, states that the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council fully approves of them, and will recommend their construction to the Hon'ble Court of Directors. Requests that the necessary preparations may be commenced, and the portion of the line of road from Khushalgarh to a point of junction with Rawalpindi and Kalabagh may be commenced at once.	Nos. 92-3.
	No. 1854, dated 10th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, for his information.	
374	No. 2270, dated 28th November 1853. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road from Jhelum to Packa Sarai.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Taylor, Superintendent, Lahore and Peshawar Road, reporting that the road from Jhelum to Packa Sarai is open for traffic of every description.	Progs. for the week ending 17th December 1853— Nos. 1—3.
	No. 958—1859, dated 12th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, for the information of the Governor-General in Council.	
375	No. 1860, dated 12th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	London Exhibition of 1851. Medals and certificates awarded to the Rajas of Patiala and Mamdot.	Forwards two medals and two certificates awarded by the Commissioners of the Great Exhibition to the Rajas of Patiala and Mamdot, and requests that he will forward them without delay.	No. 4.
376	No. 361, dated 28th November 1853 From—The Superintendent of the Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber from the States on the banks of the Sutlej.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 931, dated the 23rd July 1853, relative to the supply of timber from the States on the banks of the Sutlej, reports that although the Chiefs of those States are eager to dispose of their wood, they would prefer doing so through the agency of native merchants, and he is convinced that these men would supply timber as regularly and far cheaper than could be had through a European agent.	Nos. 7-8.

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376—*concld.*	No. 1862, dated 13th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of the Hill States.	Timber from the States on the banks of the Sutlej.	In reply, enquires how he would arrange so as to secure an adequate supply of timber, as the Chief Commissioner cannot understand (if the date in his letter is correct) why the supply at our markets at Ludhiana and Ferozepore is so scanty.	Progs. for the week ending 17th December 1853—Nos. 7-8.
377	Dated 10th December 1853 ... From—Right Reverend Dr. Carli, Catholic Bishop and Vicar Apostolic, Agra. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of wood for the Roman Catholic church at Sialkot.	Requests that the Chief Commissioner will cause a letter to be addressed to the Maharaja of Kashmir to supply the wood requisite for the building of the Roman Catholic church at Sialkot.	Nos. 12-13.
	No. 1864, dated 13th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Right Reverend Dr. Carli.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner regrets he cannot comply with the Bishop's request. The supply of wood for the erection of the Protestant church at Sialkot was given voluntarily by Maharaja Gulab Singh.	
378	No. 1884, dated 24th November 1853. From—The Postmaster General, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Postal arrangements in the interior of Peshawar.	Forwards correspondence, in original, relative to the non-transmission by the Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar of letters addressed to parties resident in the interior of that district. Requests that that officer may be directed to receive and forward such letters to the nearest thana or tahsil. If they are not called for, or cannot be otherwise delivered, they can be returned to the post office.	Nos. 14—16.
	No. 1865, dated 13th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	The Postmaster General having brought to the Chief Commissioner's notice the inconvenience arising from the Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar's not forwarding letters received for parties residing in the interior of the district, requests that Commissioner will arrange with Captain James for the delivery of letters which may be made over to him by the Postmaster of Peshawar for parties, whether in Government employ or not, through the Thana Dâks.	
	No. 1866, dated 13th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Postmaster General, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Returns the original enclosures of his letter and informs the Postmaster General that the necessary instructions have been communicated to the Commissioner of Peshawar for the delivery of the letters alluded to by him through the Thana Daks of the district.	
379	No. 4940, dated 18th November 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Experimental system of Vernacular education.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, relative to the proposed extension of an experimental system of Vernacular education, and requests to be favoured with Chief Commissioner's opinion on the subject.	Nos. 22—4.
	No. 1870, dated 14th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and states that the Chief Commissioner would wish to be favoured with his and the opinions of such of the Commissioners in the Punjab as he may think it expedient to consult.	

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380	No. 325, dated 12th October 1853... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New system of management for the Department of Public Works.	Forwards copies of correspondence, with the observations of the Governor-General in Council, relative to the introduction of a new system of management for the Department of Public Works, and requests to be favoured with the Chief Commissioner's opinion thereon.	Progs. for the week ending 17th December 1853— Nos. 29—31.
	No. 971—1873, dated 14th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Military Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Appointment of three Superintending Engineers proposed. Pay of Civil Engineer.	In reply, observes, with reference to the extensive works in progress in the Punjab as well as to those which it will probably be necessary to undertake, that the Chief Commissioner would recommend the appointment of three Superintending Engineers for the Punjab, one for the territories between the Jamna and the Ravi, the second for the countries west of the latter river, and the third for the supervision of canals, of which there are a large number and the amount of revenue dependent on them very great. With reference to the salary to be allowed to the Civil Engineer, recommends that it be fixed at a staff allowance of Rs. 2,000 per month, together with the pay and allowance of his rank, instead of simply his pay proper.	
381	No. 5167, dated 8th December 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Public buildings in the Gujrat and Rawalpindi districts.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No 871, dated the 14th November 1853, sanctions an expenditure of Rs. 45,091, for the construction of public buildings in the Gurrat and Rawalpindi districts to complete the arrangements for police and supplies along the Grand Trunk Road.	Nos. 39-40.
	No. 1881, dated 10th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, for his information.	
382	No. 846, dated 22nd November 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of roads in Hazara.	Forwards a scheme for the construction of roads in Hazara, at a cost of Rs. 3,19,200, the advantages of which will be to lay open the most distant valleys which traverse the heart of the district, and bring every part into free and easy communication.	Nos. 41-2.
	No. 1882, dated 15th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and requests that he will submit his opinion on the proposal, giving a rough estimate of the cost of each line of road and noting those which he would recommend should be first made. Requests also that he will state what time it will take to make the main road from Kala Serai by Haripur, Nowshera and Manserah, which is now being opened, and what it is likely to cost per mile.	
383	No. 2203, dated 30th November 1853 From—The Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Indigenous education in the Punjab.	Referring to a minute by the Governor-General in Council, dated the 25th October 1853, calls for copies of the reports therein alluded to, regarding the state of indigenous education in the Punjab.	Nos. 43-4.

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383—*concld.*	No. 1883, dated 15th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces.	Indegenous education in the Punjab.	In reply, states that no copy of the minute referred to has been received, and forwards, in original, all the reports on the subject that were received by the late Board.	Progs. for the week ending 17th December 1853— Nos. 43-4.
384	No. 4964, dated 18th November 1853 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Change in the system of promotion of Deputy Collectors.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 809, dated the 22nd October 1853, regarding the allowances of Extra Assistants in the Punjab, forwards copies of the entire correspondence connected with the change in the system of promotion of Deputy Collectors in Bengal and the North-Western Provinces, and requests that the Chief Commissioner will submit his views on the subject.	Nos. 45—7.
	No. 1884, dated 17th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Promotion of Extra Assistants.	In reply, observes that the Chief Commissioner concurs in preferring the new system for Bengal and the North-Western Provinces to that which now obtains, *viz*, the promotion of Extra Assistants after a service of a certain number of years, especially as the theory in the present system is that the officer who is recommended for promotion shall have thoroughly merited it by approved service, whereas, in practice, a very ordinary amount of merit is too often considered to deserve advancement.	
385	No. 5172, dated 8th December 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Building grant for the Amritsar church.	Intimates the grant for the church at Amritsar of Rs. 3,086, as recommended in Chief Commissioner's letter No. 887, dated the 22nd October 1853.	Progs. for the week ending 24th December 1853— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 1885, dated 19th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information.	
386	No. 1886, dated 19th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Administration of the Peshawar district.	Referring to the administration of the Peshawar district, observes, for the information of the subordinate officers, that, although the Chief Commissioner can freely admit that since his visit in the end of 1851, considerable improvements in various departments have been effected, yet he is constrained to record that he is by no means satisfied with the general administration of the country. Points out certain errors in the settlement of Momund, and states that the Chief Commissioner heard many complaints that land taken for Government purposes had not been paid for, more especially at Mutta and Abbuzai, although he is aware that a statement of the necessary compensation, etc., which was submitted to the Financial Commissioner, had been returned for further information by that officer, which information had not up to this time been supplied. Draws attention also to the irregularity in the payment of pensions granted to certain individuals by Government, and notices more particularly the case of Sikundra Khan of Mutta. Observes further that, in	No. 3.

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386—*concld.*		Unsatisfactory condition of Peshawar civil court.	the opinion of the Chief Commissioner, the civil court at Peshawar is the least attended to and, therefore, the worst managed, several claims for petty amounts having been kept on the file for months before decision, thus causing serious inconvenience and annoyance to parties, many of whom most likely, being unable longer to wait for a hearing, compromised their cases by the filing of *razinamahs*. Remarks that it appeared to the Chief Commissioner as singular that, though the Civil officers apparently had no time to go through their duties, they would not permit the tahsildars (who have but little to do) to decide the most trivial cases of debt, although these men exercised considerable influence and power on subjects connected with the land, and, if permitted, would speedily apprehend the merits of a case brought before them, and declare their decision on the spot. Observes that the Chief Commissioner looks to him (Major Edwardes) to insure a thorough reform in all these branches, calling attention, at the same time, to the want of vigor in the police administration of the district, to which fact the increase of heinous crimes bears witness. Adds, in conclusion, that the department of criminal justice is most obnoxious on enquiry, as the Chief Commissioner discovered on the 10th December 1853 that there were 100 prisoners under trial before Captain James, some of whom had been 18 months in custody, and many, a year. Requests he will go over the list of these individuals and issue, at an early date, necessary orders regarding them, exercising for some time to come a vigilant and effective system of supervision over all departments. Observes that Captain James, the Deputy Commissioner, has ability, knowledge and an extensive acquaintance with the people, that his demeanour is kindly and conciliatory, but that, with all these excellent qualities, he is wanting in vigor and energy.	Progs. for the week ending 24th December 1853—No. 3.
		Failure to utilize tahsildars for civil suits.		
		Thorough reform necessary.		
		Unsatisfactory working of the police and criminal courts.		
		Merits and demerits of Captain James.		
387	No. 1896, dated 19th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Brigadier Sir J. Tennant, K.C.B., Commanding at Lahore.	Withdrawal of a Rissala of the Irregular Cavalry now in Anarkali.	Referring to his letter respecting the proposed withdrawal of a Rissala of the Irregular Cavalry now in Anarkali for temporary duty at Gurdaspur, informs the Brigadier that the Chief Commissioner has no objection to the arrangement, though he does not think it necessary to withdraw any portion of the 8th Cavalry from Alian Mir to supply its place.	No. 22.
388	No. 139, dated 7th December 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Planting of trees in the Shahpur district. Production of sugar and cotton in 1852.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Shahpur, relative to the planting of trees in the district, with a statement showing the number of trees thus planted. Also submits an average price current of saccharine produce and cotton in his district for the past year 1852.	Nos. 23-4.

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388—*concld.*	No. 1898, dated 20th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Lahore.	Planting of trees in the Shahpur district.	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, for his information.	Progs. for the week ending 24th December 1853—No. 23.
389	No. 2281, dated 28th December 1853 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Labourers for the Lahore and Peshawar road.	Referring to the necessities for procuring labourers for the Lahore and Peshawar road, north of Jhelum, states that he has heard from the Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore to the effect that no assistance can be looked for from him as all the labourers of that district are engaged on the crops. Requests, therefore, that an application may be made to the authorities at Meerut and Delhi, and that, if the men will not come at the rate offered, the Civil Officer may be requested to mention what rates will suffice to enlist the workmen.	Nos. 44-5.
	No. 1908, dated 20th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of previous correspondence on the subject, and, as the Chief Commissioner is apprehensive that unless the want of labourers can be supplied, the road work may be seriously delayed, requests that His Honor will issue instructions to the Magistrates of Delhi and Meerut to procure the number of labourers required, on the terms offered, and that, if those terms are rejected, that they will state the rate of pay which will induce the men to enlist as labourers in the Punjab.	
390	No. 5205, dated 8th December 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Simla Local Fund.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 459, dated the 8th July 1853, submitting rules prepared by the Local Commissioners appointed at Simla under Act 26 of 1850, calls for full information as to the origin of the Simla Local Fund and the items of which it is composed.	Nos. 46-7.
	No. 1909, dated 21st December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests he will furnish the information therein called for, as the records in this office do not supply any particulars.	
391	No. 30, dated 4th December 1853... From—Dr. P. B. O'Shaughnessy, Superintendent, Electric Telegraph. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a telegraph line from the Sutlej, *vid* Lahore and Attock, to Peshawar.	Solicits the co-operation of the Chief Commissioner in carrying into effect the desire expressed by the Governor General in Council for the construction of a line of telegraphs from the Sutlej, *vid* Lahore and Attock, to Peshawar.	Nos. 70—4.

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391—*concld.*	No. 1918—9, dated 22nd December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab, and the Superintending Engineer, Punjab.	Construction of a telegraph line from the Sutlej, *via* Lahore and Attock, to Peshawar.	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, together with 5 copies of a pamphlet entitled "Road Instructions" which accompany it, and states that the Chief Commissioner is anxious that the same zeal and hearty endeavour with which the posts have been erected and trenches dug in Bengal should be displayed in the Punjab for the success of this most important work. Requests that they will instruct the officers under them to carry out, with all possible care and rapidity, Dr. O'Shaughnessy's instructions, and to report at an early date the arrangements which have been made.	Progs. for the week ending 24th December 1853—Nos. 70—74.
	No. 1920, dated 22nd December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Electric Telegraph.	Ditto	Informs the Superintendent that the Chief Commissioner has issued instructions to Lieutenant-Colonels Tremenhere and Napier to give immediate effect to the wishes expressed in his letter.	
	No. 985—1921, dated 22nd December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Reports that, in reply to a reference from Dr. O'Shaughnessy, the Chief Commissioner has issued instructions to Colonels Napier and Tremenhere to carry out, with all possible expedition, the construction of the telegraph line.	
392	No. 56, dated 13th December 1853 From—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Salt thermal spring near the mountains of Puttiah.	Reports the discovery of a salt thermal spring near the mountains of Puttiah, and states that so soon as his laboratory is finished, he will analyse the water and determine its medical virtues. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 105.
393	No. 88, dated 7th December 1853 From—The Superintendent, Ravi Timber Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber received and despatched during November 1853.	Forwards a statement of timber received and despatched during November 1853. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 110-110½.
394	No. 135, dated 6th December 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Traffic between Lahore and Amritsar.	Forwards a copy of the reports by the Deputy Commissioners of Lahore and Amritsar on the traffic carried on between those places. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 114-15.
395	No. 108, dated 3rd December 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a sanatorium in Chamba (Dalhousie).	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1413, dated the 31st October 1853, reports the arrangements which are considered by him, Major Longden and Lieutenant-Colonel Tremenhere necessary preparatory to the establishment of the proposed sanatorium in Chamba, and forwards a sketch map showing the area and the position which he would recommend as the most advisable site.	Progs. for the week ending 31st December 1853—Nos. 22—7.

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395—*concld.*	No. 110, dated 6th December 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishmen t of a sanatorium in Chamba (Dalhousie).	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1781, dated the 30th November 1853, forwarding a copy of a memo. by the Civil Engineer, on the subject of land to be taken up for the sanatorium at Chamba, states that he completed the arrangements connected with the sanatorium before the memo. reached him, and assigns his reasons for not including the peak of Dyan Khoond in the limits decided on.	Progs. for the week ending 31st December 1853.—Nos. 22—7.
	No. 113, dated 12th December 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a *kharita* from Raja Siri Singh of Chamba to the Governor-General on the subject of the erection of the proposed sanatorium within his territories, with a free translation of the same.	
	No. 992—1952, dated 27th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to Government, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding, and of previous letters, and observes that the Chief Commissioner concurs with Mr. McLeod in thinking that the extent of land selected will suffice, the area of which is 3 miles long and ½ broad. Recommends, as well, a reduction to the extent of Rs. 2,000 in the amount of the tribute paid by the Chamba State, as the Chief Commissioner considers that amount a sufficient remuneration for the land with advertence to the letter from Siri Singh, Raja of Chamba. Observes that if the proposed arrangements be carefully and judiciously carried out, the objections expressed will cease. Proposes the construction of a road from Chamba to the plains before any buildings are commenced, because the country being poorly and thinly peopled it could not afford the necessary number of hill porters for the conveyance of stores, etc., without much inconvenience and even suffering, and because, without such an arrangement, no precautions will suffice to prevent their seizure.	
396	No. 5206, dated 8th December 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of tea leaves.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's No. 885, dated the 19th November 1853, states that the Governor-General in Council approves of the authority given to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States to notify to zamindars at Kangra and Nurpur the conditions on which tea leaves will be purchased at the Government Factory and the rewards that will be given to the first parties bringing leaves in good condition for sale.	Nos. 42-3.
	No. 1960, dated 27th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for his information.	

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397	No. 998—1961, dated 27th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Dispensaries required for the Trans-Sutlej States.	Forwards copy of correspondence on the subject of dispensaries required for the Trans-Sutlej States, and recommends that the Jullundur and Hoshiarpur dispensaries be on the same footing as other dispensaries lately established, that Rs. 15 per month be allowed for a native doctor at Kangra, and that a dispensary be established at Nurpur, with a native doctor on Rs. 10 per month, and Rs. 500 be sanctioned for the building.	Progs. for the week ending 31st December 1853—No. 45.
398	No. 167, dated 13th December 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Loans from Patiala and Nabha during the 2nd campaign of 1848.	Referring to the loans made to Government during the second campaign of 1848 by the Sikh Chiefs of the Cis-Sutlej States, reminds the Chief Commissioner that there are still two of these loans unpaid, one of 30 lakhs to the Maharaja of Patiala and the second of 7 lakhs to the Raja of Nabha, and recommends that, if payment be determined, instructions may be issued to the Accountant, North-Western Provinces, to fix the dates at which it would be convenient to discharge them, the smaller loan being disposed of first in a single instalment, and the longer by yearly instalments of 10 lakhs each.	Nos. 46—7.
	No. 1962, dated 27th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and enquires what he would suggest.	
399	No. 107, dated 3rd December 1853... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Collection of waif timber for the Public Works Department on the Ravi.	Forwards copies of letters from the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Kangra, and from the Superintendent, Bari Doab Canal, from which it will appear that the result under the arrangements by which all waif timber collected above the canal head in the Ravi should be collected for the use of the Executive Engineer of the Bari Doab Canal and its price made over to the Deputy Commissioner of Kangra, has been a loss of Rs. 191-14-9 on the outturn of the two years 1851-52 and 1852-53. Observes that, by the system which formerly obtained, the Local Funds of the Kangra district benefitted to the extent shown in Mr. Bayley's letter, and recommends, therefore, that the present system be discontinued or that, if still persisted in, the Kangra Local Funds might be indemnified.	Nos. 57—60.
	No. 1968, dated 27th December 1853 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and requests he will call on Lieutenant Hill for an explanation on the subject. Adds that the Chief Commissioner proposes to revert to the old system, *viz.*, that the waif timber be collected and disposed of by the district officers. Remarks that no annual debit and credit account has as yet been received from Lieutenant Hill.	

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400	No. 207, dated 6th December 1853 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of the Multan road.	Forwards copies of correspondence with the Civil Engineer, together with the original surveys of the Multan road, for the construction of which Rs. 51,717-8-10 has been sanctioned by Government. Observes that it has since been discovered that the original line is faulty in some parts, as it runs through a part of the country liable to inundation, which renders the making of it passable at all seasons of the year very expensive. Recommends, therefore, that a portion of the line be retraced, and that Rs. 36,522-1-1 be disbursed in forming the necessary embankments and constructing culverts and drain bridges.	Progs. for the week ending 31st December 1853—Nos. 63—5.
	No. 1001—1970, dated 27th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and recommends that the amount stated (Rs. 36,522-1-1) be sanctioned, as the work in question is most important and the expenditure urgently necessary.	
401	No. 212, dated 13th December 1853 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road between Kartarpur and Phillaur.	Forwards a copy of correspondence relative to the state of the road between Kartarpur and Phillaur which is undesirably bad, the road being almost impassable. States that though Sergeant Prallman was appointed in September 1853 to superintend the line of road from Kartarpur to Wazira Ghat, nothing has been heard of him and no one appears to know where he is. Recommends the appointment of a special officer, as otherwise it will be years before the road will be finished.	Nos. 72—3.
	No. 218, dated 23rd December 1853 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Proposed transfer of control.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, proposing the transfer of the road between the Sutlej and the Beas to the Grant Trunk Road Department from the Executive Engineer of the district.	
	No. 1002—1972, dated 28th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Sutlej - Beas road.	Forwards copies of the preceding letters and enclosures, and observes that what appears to the Chief Commissioner to be essential to the completion of the road in question is that an officer should be appointed for the close and careful supervision of the main road from the Sutlej to the Beas, as it is clear that nothing is being done at present and that the road is getting worse every day. States that Captains Gordon and Farrington, of His Majesty's 75th and 29th Regiments, are both competent to undertake the work, and that if one or other was appointed, some progress would speedily be made.	

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402	No. 5342, dated 16th December 1853 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase and erection of posts or granite pillars for the telegraph line.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Dr. W. B. O'Shaughnessy, Superintendent, Electric Telegraph, regarding the purchase and erection by Executive Officers of Divisions of posts or granite pillars for the telegraph and requests the Chief Commissioner to take the necessary measures for carrying out the suggestions contained therein.	Progs. for the week ending 31st December 1853— Nos. 79—82.
	Nos. 1974—5, dated 28th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab, and the Superintending Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter to each, and requests him to carry out the suggestions therein contained.	
403	Nos. 1981-2 dated 28th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, and Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Administration of the Peshawar district.	Forwards to the former copies of paragraphs 1 to 13 and 26 to 28 and to the latter 1 to 3 and 14 to 28 of the Chief Commissioner's letter to the Commissioner of Peshawar, on the state of the administration of that district.	Nos. 93-4.
404	No. 217, dated 23rd December 1853. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Inspection of certain districts within the jurisdiction of the Commissioners of Lahore, Trans-and Cis-Sutlej States.	Forwards copies of letters addressed by him to the Commissioners of Lahore, the Trans and Cis-Sutlej States, remarking, after personal inspection, on the state of certain districts within their respective jurisdictions.	Nos. 109—11.
	Memo. No. 1989, dated 29th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copy of paragraph 16 of the letter addressed to the Commissioner of Lahore, remarking on the filthy state of the Sowar Stations on the line of the Trunk Road.	
405	No. 905, dated 22nd December 1853. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conversion of the Residency *Barah-Darri* into Commissioner's kutchery.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Civil Engineer, relative to the conversion of the Residency *Barah-Darri* into a Commissioner's kutchery, and observes that as a treasury building is also required by the Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar, it is a question whether the *Barah-Darri* should be converted into a kutchery and a new treasury built, or whether a new kutchery should be erected and the *Barah-Darri* turned into a treasury.	Nos. 120-20½.
	No. 1996, dated 30th December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	In reply, enquires whether there is land available for building a new kutchery within the enclosure referred to, without inconveniently crowding the space in the vicinity of the Deputy Commissioner's court and for the additions he proposes to make to the old *Barah-Darri* to convert it into a treasury. Observes that the repairs to the building in question have already cost Government nearly Rs 10,000 and to turn it now into an incommodious treasury does not seem good economy.	

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406	No. 128, dated 20th December 1853. From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Production and price of sesame.	States that the entire amount of sesame (*till*) produced in his Division is insufficient for home consumption and quotes the average price at which it is sold.	Progs. for the week ending 31st December 1853—Nos. 127—33.
	No. 171, dated 22nd December 1353. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports that sesame is extensively grown in his Division, but there is no great demand for it, the average price being about 20 seers per rupee.	
	Nos. 1999-2000-1-2-3, dated 31st December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Trans-Sutlej States, Lahore, Leiah, Jhelum and Peshawar Divisions.	Ditto	Calls attention to Circular No. 16, dated the 29th October 1853, regarding the quantity of *tillee* or "Sesamum orientale" produced in their Divisions.	
407	No. 2602, dated 23th December 1853. From—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New cantonment for the Guide Corps near Hoti Mardan.	Forwards a copy of a Government letter, sanctioning the construction of buildings for the new cantonment for the Guide Corps near Hoti Mardan, at an outlay of Rs. 15,309-10-3, and the erection of bungalows for the officers, at an expense of Rs. 7,105-15-7, provided they are within the fort.	Nos. 161-62.
	No. 2925, dated 31st December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the Government letter.	
408	No. 175, dated 17th December 1853. From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Kohat. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of towers, *chaukis* and *musafirkhanas* in the Kohat district.	Forwards detailed statements of the sums already expended on the towers, *chaukis* and *musafirkhanas* in his district, together with a statement of dâk runners in arrears from 10th June to 30th September.	Nos. 175—79.
	No. 1019-2036, dated 31st December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of previous correspondence, and states the reasons for the construction of these watch-towers and the means by which they are maintained. Solicits sanction to the disbursement of Rs. 408 per month to the watchmen, as it is essentially necessary for the protection of the roads that these towers should be kept up.	

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409	No. 5426, dated 23rd December 1853. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a masonry drain from the Bhati Gate of the city of Lahore to the nallah adjacent.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 928, dated the 3rd December 1853, sanctions the revised estimate, amounting to Rs. 8,697-9-1 for constructing a masonry drain from the Bhati Gate of the city of Lahore to the nallah adjacent.	Progs. for the week ending 31st December 1853—Nos. 182-83.
	No. 2038, dated 31st December 1853. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for his information.	
410	No. *Nil*, dated the 7th November 1853. From—Major Taylor, late Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ismail Khan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Memo. on the Dera Ismail Khan district.	Advises despatch of four copies of a memo. on the Dera Ismail Khan district. MEMO. —NO ORDER.	No. 194.

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Serial No.	No. and date of letter and address.	Subject.	Abstract.	Reference.
		1854.		
411	No. 5453, dated 23rd December 1853. From—The Offg. Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishmen t of dispensaries at Haripur and Kohat sanctioned.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 987, dated 28th November 1853, sanctions the establishment of dispensaries at Haripur and Kohat, at a cost of Rs 44 per month, chargeable to the local funds (exclusive of Rs. 500 for the erection of each), an increase from Rs. 30 to Rs. 50 to the allowance for native medicines at the Peshawar Dispensary, and the grant to Doctors Cox and Ross of the monthly allowance of Rs. 30 while in charge of dispensaries at Peshawar and Kohat.	Progs. for the week ending 7th January 1854— Nos. 17-18.
	No. 7, dated 5th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
412	No. 3—8, 10, 11, dated 5th January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Under-Secretary to the Government of India; Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces; Accountant, North-Western Provinces; and Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Distribu t i o n list of officers.	Forwards a copy of the distribution list of officers as it stood on the 1st January 1854.	Nos. 19—22.
413	No. 148, dated 30th December 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Formation of a D i s pensary Committee at Rawalpindi.	Reports on the dispensaries in his division and solicits sanction to the formation of a Dispensary Committee at Rawalpindi composed of the parties named in the letter from the Deputy Commissioner herewith submitted.	Nos. 37—9.
	No. 20, dated 6th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, sanctions the formtaion of the Committee as proposed.	
414	No. 2904, dated 26th December 1853 From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Preparations for the electric telegraph.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter of the 22nd December 1853, sends a copy of his instructions to the Executive Engineer of the Jullundur Division, relative to the preparations for the electric telegraph, and requesting him to expedite the work with all practicable speed and to report the progress of the same.	Nos. 40—42.
	No. 21, dated 6th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the thanks of the Chief Commissioner for his prompt compliance with the request contained in the lette to which his is a reply.	
	No. 22, dated 6th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. W. B. O'Shaughnessy, Superintendent, Electric Telegraph.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter for information.	

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415	No. 175, dated 28th December 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tree planting	Submits the reports of the District Officers of his Division on the subject of tree planting, and observes that he has reason to praise the exertions of the Deputy Commissioners of Ludhiana, Ambala and Thanesar, and remarks with regret that Mr. Brandreth at Ferozepore does not seem to take much interest in the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 7th January 1854— Nos. 46—50.
	No. 178, dated 30th December 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepore, regarding the planting of trees and observes that he is perfectly satisfied with Mr. Brandriths exertions.	
	No. 24, dated 6th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Expresses a hope that Mr. Brandreth will carry out his proposed arrangements for planting trees, and observes that the sheshum is a hardy tree and requires but little care and pruning while the mulberry is not so useful nor so ornamental.	
	No. 25, dated 6th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards a statement of the progress made in tree planting in the Cis-Sutlej States.	
416	No. 619, dated 17th December 1853 From—The Commissioner at Mysore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rams from the experimental flock at Mysore.	Submits copy of correspondence regarding a supply of 25 rams from the experimental flock at Mysore for the Punjab, and states that he will address the Commissioner in Sind, informing him that the rams may be expected to arrive at Karachi shortly.	No. 53.
417	No. 27, dated 6th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner at Mysore.	Ditto	Conveys the best thanks of the Chief Commissioner for the trouble he has taken in the matter, and observes that if a memo. of the advances made on account of the rams could be furnished, the money would be remitted to any place to which he may wish it to be sent.	Nos. 55-6.
	No. 28, dated 6th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Intimation having been received of the despatch of rams to Karachi, requests that he will arrange for their reception and for proper men to be entertained to take them on to Multan, if possible by steamer, or at least by a good boat.	
418	No. 224, dated 30th December 1853 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Peshawar Church.	In continuation of former correspondence relative to the Peshawar church, forwards a copy of a letter from the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, together with a fresh design and estimate for a church at Peshawar, and recommmends the same for sanction.	Nos. 60—63.
	No. 31, dated 7th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Intimates that the Chief Commissioner approves of the plan submitted, which is estimated at Rs. 35,720-7-0, and sanctions the building being commenced at once.	
419	Circular No. 1-34, dated 7th January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Quality of soils and their properties.	Requests all Commissioners that they will inform their District Officers that questions relative to the quality of soils and their properties, are to be referred to Monsieur Marcadieu at Dharamsala.	Nos. 71-2.

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419—*concld.*	No. 35, dated 7th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Monsieur Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor.	Quality of soils and their properties.	Forwards a copy of the foregoing circular and requests he will be good enough to attend to all references that may be made to him by District Officers.	Progs. for the week ending 7th January 1854— Nos. 71-2.
420	No. 150, dated 26th December 1853 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Extension of the Amritsar cantonment. Raja Tej Singh's protest.	Reports that Raja Tej Singh has pointed out the loss and inconvenience he has sustained by the extension of the Amritsar cantonment, and submits a copy of two letters on the subject. Observes that, if the Raja were permitted to cultivate spring crops only on the land indicated in the sketch map which accompanies, no possible detriment could occur to the cantonment and much injury would be saved the Raja.	Nos. 73—5.
	No. 13-86, dated 7th January 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Under Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto The Raja's claims to consideration.	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that the Chief Commissioner concurs with Mr. Raikes' proposition that the Raja be permitted to grow spring crops only on the land indicated. States that the Raja is a staunch supporter of the British Government, that he has suffered much obloquy for his fidelity, that he has already been a considerable loser by Sialkot being selected as a site for a cantonment. By incorporating the land attached to the Raja's summer residence in the cantonment at Amritsar the value of the estate, on which some lakhs of rupees have been expended, will be considerably lessened.	
421	No. 630, dated 30th December 1853 From—The Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Tea sold at Nurpur.	Forwards a list showing the number of chests of tea sold at Nurpur by auction. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	*No. 95.*
422	No. 5392, dated 21st December 1853 From—The Offg. Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of copies of selections from the records to the public.	Forwards a copy of a Government Resolution, and requests that the Chief Commissioner will issue instructions to have extra copies of selections from records printed for sale to the public at large. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 96-7.
423	No. 3642, dated 14th December 1853. From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual registration of boats on the Indus.	Forwards a copy of a letter to the Government of Bombay, on the subject of the annual registration of boats on the Indus, since it is possible that the Chief Commissioner may wish the proposed enactment to be modified or extended wholly or in part to the rivers in the Punjab.	Nos. 5—8.

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423—*concld.*	No. 46, dated 9th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Annual registration of boats on the Indus. Abolition of transit customs in the Punjab.	In reply, states that the transit customs dues have been abolished for some years in the Punjab, the Government reaping an ample revenue on salt. Observes that a registry could hardly be established without inconvenience and annoyance to the owners of boats, as the burden of the tax would fall chiefly on them and not on the merchants whose goods are being conveyed down the river. Adds that boats are scarce in the Punjab, and that it is desirable that the construction of them by private boat builders should be encouraged. However, before coming to any definite conclusion, the Chief Commissioner will call for the opinions of the Commissioners of Divisions.	Progs. for the week ending 7th January 1854— Nos. 5—8.
	Circular No. 2-47, dated 9th January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners in the Punjab.	Ditto	Circulates a copy of the foregoing letter, with the draft Act alluded to, and calls for their opinions as to the expediency or otherwise of extending the system of registration in whole or in part to the Punjab. Observes that the object in Sind is to raise a revenue in compensation for the loss of river customs, but the fees in the Punjab may be higher than would cover the expense of management and registration.	
424	No. 1058, dated 12th December 1853. From—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Covenanted Civil Servants in the Punjab.	Requests transmission, after the close of the current year, of the prescribed statement of covenanted Civil Servants in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 14th January 1854— Nos. 25-6.
	No. 23—55, dated 10th January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.	Ditto	In reply, reports the number of covenanted Civil Servants now employed in the Punjab, the number of actual vacancies and those likely to be caused, what proportion of Military and what of Civil Officers the Chief Commissioner would recommend for the filling of them, and the probable additional number that will be required in the year now commencing.	
425	No. 96, dated 7th January 1854 ... From—The Superintendent, Ravi Timber Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber received and despatched in December 1853.	Forwards a statement of timber received and despatched in December 1853.	Nos. 34-5.
	No. 58, dated 11th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Ravi Timber Agency.	Ditto	Returns the statement and requests that he will fill in the totals in this and all future returns, showing also the quantity of wood in store.	
426	No. 151, dated 27th December 1853. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Gurdaspur chosen as head quarters of the Batala district.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Gurdaspur, furnishing a report on the salubrity of that station, and states that he considers the report favourable and would recommend Gurdaspur being finally fixed on as the head-quarters of the district.	Nos. 47—9.

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426—*concld.*	No 65, dated 11th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division	Gurdaspur chosen as head quarters of the Batala district.	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner concurs with Commissioner in thinking that Gurdaspur should be the Sadr station of the Batala district, and directs that all public buildings sanctioned by Government should be commenced at once, and those not sanctioned, but required, should be reported on.	Progs. for the week ending 14th January 1854— Nos. 7—9.
427	No. 4117, dated 4th January 1854 .. From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of posts for the electric telegraph.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1975, dated 28th December 1853, states that instructions for erecting posts for the electric telegraph will be carried out without delay.	Nos. 63-4.
	No. 76, dated 12th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests that he will furnish an early reply to letter No. 1974, regarding posts, etc., for the electric telegraph.	
428	No. 77, dated 12th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Monsieur Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor.	Geological research in Hazara and Kohat.	Enquires how long he proposes remaining at Dharamsala and what further particular researches he has in view. Observes that there are other parts of the Punjab which it is desirable he should examine, more especially Hazara and Kohat, and requests, therefore, if nothing keeps him at Kot Kangra, to proceed to Hazara, as the cold season is already far advanced.	No. 65.
429	No. 2823, dated 7th January 1854... From—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Loans from Patiala and Nabha during the second campaign of 1848.	Replying to Chief Commissioner letter No. 1962, dated 27th December 1853, states that his cash balance will not now admit of the discharge of the loans of the Rajas of Patiala and Nabha, and forwards copy of a Government reply to a reference on the subject in September 1852.	Nos. 73-4.
	No. 81, dated 13th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information.	
430	No. 84, dated 14th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Fagan, Assistant Civil Engineer.	Shahpur Timber Agency.	Enquires to what extent he is dependent on the Shahpur Timber Agency for supplies of timber required by him for the works in his charge and whether he would be put to inconvenience if the Agency ceased to exist.	No. 78½.
431	No. 1, dated 5th January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Production of sesamum (*till*).	Replying to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 16, dated the 29th October 1853, reports on the amount of *tillee* produced in his division.	No. 93.
			MEMO.—NO ORDER.	

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432	No. 2619, dated 9th January 1854... From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Labourers from the Kashmir State.	Intimates that a Dewan of the Maharaja of Kashmir has arrived at Rawalpindi with labourers (500) and requests to be furnished with a memo. of the rates of pay to which they are entitled.	Progs. for the week ending 21st January 1854— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 86, dated 16th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards translation of an abstract from the Chief Commissioner's letter to Maharaja Gulab Singh, stating the rates of pay offered to the labourers themselves and to the different classes of Superintendents over them.	
433	No. 2, Cated 6th January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of a house at Khushab for dâk bungalow.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 735, dated the 23rd June 1852, relative to the house erected by Extra Assistant Abdul Haq at Khushab forwards copies of letters from the Deputy Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner of Shahpur (with a ground plan of the building) on the subject of purchasing it for a dâk bungalow.	Nos 16—20.
	No. 61, Dated 17th January 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	In reply, enquires whether the house is composed of *kacha* or *pakka* bricks, and whether it is in a good state of repair. Requests he will also state in what way the house could be used by dâk travellers and how far it is from Shahpur and Dera Ismail Khan.	
434	No. 30, dated 9th January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Conversion of the Residency *Barah - Darri* into a treasury or a Commissioner's Kutchery.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1996, dated the 30th December 1853, forwards copies of letters from Captain James, Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar, relative to the conversion of the Residency *Barah-Darri* into a treasury or a Commissioner's Kutchery.	Nos. 32-3.
	No. 40—98, dated 18th January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above letter and of previous correspondence, and recommends the grant of Rs. 9,997-5-1 for a new Kutchery for Major Edwarde and Rs. 501 for converting the old Residency into a treasury.	
435	No. 93½, dated 18th January 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Tree planting	With reference to tree plantations in the Punjab, calls attention of the Judicial Commissioner to the plan adopted by the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore as being more economical and at the same time beneficial to travellers. Advises the sinking of wells at convenient spots, which may be made over to the occupiers of the soil on the sole condition of their planting and watering a grove of trees, since the owners of land thus raised in value at the expense of the State will take much better care of the groves than any paid servants. Requests he will call the attention of the District Officers to the description of trees which should be planted, such as the *pipal, shish_m, sissoo* and *bargat*, and not the common mulberry and *bakain*.	No. 34.

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436	Circular No. 3—101, dated 19th January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions	Annual reports on dispensaries in the Punjab.	Informs all Commissioners that the Chief Commissioner is desirous that an annual report should be furnished by them of the dispensaries in their divisions, and the benefit resulting therefrom, the first report being submitted by the end of March 1854. Forwards certain forms according to which the reports are to be drawn up. Adds that every medical officer in charge of a dispensary should furnish, in addition to these returns, a separate annual report, the Commissioner's report embodying the information thus supplied.	Progs. for the week ending 21st January 1854—Nos. 39-39½.
437	No. 161, dated 12th January 1854... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scarcity of labourers for the Lahore and Peshawar road.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1908, dated the 20th December 1853, regarding the scarcity of labourers for the Lahore and Peshawar road, forwards a copy of a letter addressed to the Commissioners of the Meerut and Delhi Divisions, requesting them to endeavour to procure as many labourers as they can for employment on the road.	Nos. 44—6.
	No. 106, dated 20th January 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter and observes that there is considerable distress in various parts of the Punjab, consequent on the drought of this year, and that the facility for procuring labourers may be greater than formerly in consequence. Remarks that, if labourers could be procured in the country, it would be far preferable, while the wages of the labourers would save them from distress.	
438	No. 65, dated 13th January 1854 ... From—Brigadier Sir Jas. Tennant, Commending at Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Drain through the citadel bounds, Lahore.	Forwards copy of a demi-official note regarding the drain made through the citadel bounds to carry off the filth, which before ran into the citadel ditch, and requests that the Civil Engineer may be instructed to have the drain properly completed.	Nos. 47-8.
	No. 107, dated 20th January 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests that he will issue the necessary instructions for the drain to be finished.	
439	No. 114, dated 21st January 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Underground telegraph line from Attock to Pesbawar.	With reference to previous instructions relative to the erection of posts for the electric telegraph, forwards, for his information and guidance, an extract from a demi-official letter from Dr. W. B. O'Shaughnessy respecting the use of common square tiles in preference to tubular tiles for the subterranean portion of the line from Attock to Peshawar.	No. 68.

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440	No. 60, dated 14th January 1854 ... From—The Geological Surveyor. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Analysis of the quality and properties of soils and other substances. Thermal spring.	Replying to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 35, dated 7th January 1854, states that he will attend to all references made to him relative to the analysis of the quality and properties of soils and other substances, and adds that he is at present engaged in analyzing the water of the thermal spring which he has lately discovered, as he is of opinion that it will be of use, not only to the Punjab, but to all India. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 21st January 1854— No. 69.
441	No. 120, dated 14th January 1854... From—The Secretary to the Government, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Education in the Punjab.	Returns the original enclosures on the subject of education in the Punjab, received with Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1883, dated 15th December 1853. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 71.
442	No. 7, dated 16th January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Resignation of Sir C. Napier.	Acknowledges the receipt of six copies of selections from the records of the Government of India, No. 3, relative to the resignation of Sir C. Napier. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 72.
443	No. 68, dated 10th January 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Exportation of borax or tincal from Kashmir.	Forwards copy of a letter and enclosure relative to the exportation of borax or tincal from Kashmir, and calls for the Chief Commissioner's opinion on the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 28th January 1854— Nos. 4—8.
	Nos. 116 to 118, dated 23rd January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Multan Division and Cis- and Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests they will furnish any information which they possess, or can obtain, on the subject.	
444	No. 61, dated 16th January 1854 ... From—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Programme of work. Prospects of salt beds near Jawala Mukhi.	Explains that his object in staying in the Kot Kangra district is to examine the hills of a secondary formation east of that station, as he has reason to believe that beds of salt will be found in the vicinity of Jowala Mukhi. After the completion of this work, it was his intention to proceed to Kulu as a locality offering much of interest, but if it is the wish of the Chief Commissioner, he will proceed to Kohat and Hazara.	No. 17.
445	No. 122, dated 24th January 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	Informs the Geological Surveyor that the Chief Commissioner has no objection to his following out the course proposed for himself.	No. 18.
446	No. 40, dated 11th January 1854 ... From—The Officiating Junior Secretary, Revenue Board. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a depôt in the Punjab for supply of stationery.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Officiating Secretary to the Military Board, suggesting that a depôt be established in the Punjab for the supply of stationery, and states that, should the Chief Commissioner consider it more economical to draw his supplies of stationery from Bombay, a representation will be made to Government on the subject.	Nos. 19-20.

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446—*concld.*	No. 123, dated 24th January 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Establishment of depôt in the Punjab for supply of stationery.	Forwards a copy of the above and requests the favour of his opinion on the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 28th January 1854—
447	No. 10, dated 16th January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Loans from Patiala and Nabha during the second campaign of 1848.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 81, dated 13th January 1854, states that the Rajas of Patiala and Nabha have expressed a wish to allow their loans to stand at 4 per cent., as they are not anxious to receive payment in cash, finding it profitable to employ their money even at that low rate.	Nos. 24-5.
	No. 53—126, dated 24th January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the above, for the information of the President in Council, and suggests that the Chiefs be offered the same alternative which has been given to other creditors of Government.	
448	No. 2699, dated 18th January 1854 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of bridges of boats.	Submits the required report on the progress made in bridging with boats the rivers of the Punjab.	Nos. 32—5.
	No. 132, dated 25th January 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that the only bridge formed of Government boats and which is actually completed and in use, is that over the Ravi, which in every respect is a model one. Adds that by the expiration of another year, flying bridges will be in operation on all the four rivers noted, composed of Government boats.	
	No. 133, dated 25th January 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Jhelum.	Ditto	Requests that he will report if the bridge of boats has been built over the Jhelum this year, and, if so, the date on which it was opened, and if it has not been built, the reason for its non-construction.	
449	No. 2691, dated 16th January 1854 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	*Bands* for the protection of the Cantonment and Civil Station of Dera Ghazi Khan.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Medley, Superintendent, Indus Canals, with a plan and estimate of the *bands* constructed for the protection of the Cantonment and Civil Station of Dera Ghazi Khan from inundations.	Nos. 36—40.
	No. 60—134. dated 26th January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that during the last rains, the greater portions of the Leiah and Dera Ghazi Khan districts were flooded, and that, at the suggestion of Colonel Napier, measures were devised for the future prevention of inundations. Adds that as the work is one of importance and of an urgent nature, sanction is solicited to Colonel Napier's estimate of Rs. 1,464-12-0.	

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450	No. 2701, dated 18th January 1854 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of posts for the electric telegraph.	Replying to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1918, dated 22nd December 1853, states what instructions have been issued by him to the Executive Engineers on the Lahore and Amritsar road and the Lahore and Peshawar road relative to the erection of posts along the line for the electric telegraph, and enquires when the Superintendent, Electric Telegraph, may be expected.	Progs. for the week ending 28th January 1854—Nos. 43—5.
	No. 136, dated 27th January 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Electric Telegraph.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and adds that a further communication has been made to Colonel Napier respecting the tiles for the subterranean portion of the line, *i.e.*, from Attock to Peshawar.	
	No. 137, dated 26th January 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Informs the Civil Engineer that Dr. O'Shaughnessy is not expected at Lahore before the 1st March 1854.	
451	No. 16, dated 13th January 1854 . From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a hospital at Katur.	Forwards copies of correspondence with the Commissionsr of the Multan Division, regarding the opening of a hospital at Katur, for the establishment of the Sutlej Preventive Line, and observes that, in his opinion, a hospital distinct from the dispensary should be established.	Nos. 57—9.
	No. 63—145, dated 27th January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that, on a reconsideration of the question, the Chief Commissioner concurs with Mr. Edmonstone and recommends the proposition for sanction, *i.e.*, to the disbursement of Rs. 2,000 for the construction of the building.	
452	No. 146, dated 28th January 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Standard plan for dispensary buildings. Separate cottages preferable to one building.	Forwards extract from a letter from Dr. Farquhar, containing suggestions as to the style of building best adapted for dispensaries, and recommending that, instead of one long hall, a number of small cottages should be built, so that females might not only find shelter but privacy. States that the Chief Commissioner, has directed the Deputy Commissioner of Gugera to partition off portions of the common verandah attached to the row of out-houses which is nearly completed for the dispensary at that station, and requests he will report their completion.	Nos. 60-61.
	Circular No. 4—147, dated 28th January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners, except Multan.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the same extract from Dr. Farquhar's letter and directs that the plan suggested by Dr. Farquhar be adopted where dispensaries have not as yet been built, or (if they have been built) when additions to them are found necessary.	
453	No. 6, dated 22nd January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Production of sesamum (*tillee*) in the Lahore Division.	Submits a statement showing to what extent *tillee* is produced in his Division. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 73.

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454	No. 185, dated 16th January 1854 From—The Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of dispensaries in the Trans-Sutlej States.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 998, dated 27th December 1853, sanctions the Chief Commissioner's proposals regarding the establishment of dispensaries in the Trans-Sutlej States at a monthly cost of Rs. 157. Also, Rs. 500 for the construction of the requisite building at Nurpur.	Progs. for the week ending 4th February 1854— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 153, dated 30th January 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for information.	
455	No. 144, dated 16th January 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mr. R. Temple's services required in the North-Western Provinces.	Enquires whether the services of Mr. R. Temple, Settlement Officer, Rechna Doab can be spared, as the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces, is desirous that he should be appointed to officiate as Registrar to the Court of the Suddur Dewanny and Nizamut, with the prospect of his being employed permanently under that Government when opportunity offers.	Nos. 10—12.
	No. 66—158, dated 30th January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, observes that, though there is at present a great demand for officers in the Punjab, the Chief Commissioner would not offer any impediment to the transfer of Mr. Temple, who is certainly deserving of any promotion which he may obtain.	
	No. 159, dated 30th January 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—R. Temple, Esq., Settlement Officer, Rechna Doab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above two letters for information.	
456	No. 17, dated 19th January 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Postal communications in the Punjab.	Draws attention to the very inefficient state of postal communications throughout the Punjab, more particularly in the Leiah district. Observes that, to remedy this, he would propose to reduce the number of the garrison in the fort of Hurrund by four men, in order to create a fund for the establishment of six dâk runners between Dajil and Rampur, and adds that, if the Chief Commissioner should object to this course, on the grounds that the garrison has already been reduced to the lowest scale that prudence will admit of, even in the present quiet state of the frontier, he can see no way of meeting the difficulty.	Nos. 13-14.
	No. 160, dated 30th January 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner consents to the entertainment of the six runners required and that the Commissioner of the Leiah Division has been requested, in the Military Department, to reduce the garrison in Hurrund and to arrange for the duties of this fort being taken by a detachment of troops. Observes that the six runners can be drawn for in the Judicial Contingent Bill, and that when the arrangements relative to Hurrund have been completed, the Chief Commissioner will solicit the sanction of Government for the additional charge. Requests that he	

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456—*concl'd.*			will, in the meanwhile, complete the postal arrangements for the entire division, so that if any additional establishment is found necessary, one reference to Government may suffice.	Progs. for the week ending 4th February 1854— Nos. 13-14.
457	No. 172, dated 16th January 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of the road from Lahore to Multan.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1001, dated 27th December 1853, sanctions the estimate for Rs. 36,522-1-1 for changing the line of road in some parts between Lahore and Multan and bridging over the ravines and water courses.	Nos. 22-3.
	No. 165. dated 30th January 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information.	
458	No. 170, dated 31st January 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Translation of Dr. Jameson's notes on tea plantations.	Enquires if he has had the notes on tea cultivation by Dr. Jameson translated into the vernacular, and if so, to transmit six copies to this office.	No. 32.
459	No. 109, dated 3rd December 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Forests in the Trans-Sutlej States. Commissioner's report.	In continuation of letter No. 101, dated 11th November 1853, reports on the subject of forests generally in his Division and the arrangements effected by him during his late visit to Chamba territory.	Nos. 36—8.
	No. 112, dated 12th December 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Captain Hungerford's report.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1794, dated 3rd December 1853, enclosing a report from Captain Hungerford on the subject of forests on the Ravi and Chenab, states that his opinions as expressed in the foregoing letter have been in no way altered by the perusal of the report.	
	No. 72—173, dated 31st January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Major Longden's report. Proposed arrangements.	Replying to letter No. 4854, dated 11th November 1853, transmitting a report by Captain Hungerford on the forests in the territories of the Kashmir and Chamba Rajas, forwards copies of the above letters, and of previous correspondence, together with Major Longden's report on the same subject. Explains, first, what the system at present is for the supply of wood from Chamba, and second, how entirely this system has failed, and proposes certain arrangements for the future, which the Chief Commissioner considers as better calculated to answer the end in view. These arrangements are — (1st) the abolition of the Shahpur Timber Agency and the encouragement of the private trade and (2nd) the establishment of a Government Agency in the Pangi forests belonging to Chamba.	
460	Nos. 174, dated 31st January 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Abolition of the Ravi Timber Agency.	Requests that he will direct Lieutenant Hill, Superintendent, Ravi Timber Agency, to pay up the establishment attached to it and dismiss them.	Nos. 39—41.

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560—*concld.*	Nos. 175—76, dated 31st January 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Hill, Superintendent Ravi Timber Agency and the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Abolition of the Ravi Timber Agency.	Forwards a copy of the above.	Progs. for the week ending 4th February 1854— Nos. 39—41½.
	No. 19, dated 16th January 1854 From—The Superintendent, Civil Buildings, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 84, dated 14th January 1854, reports how far he is dependent on the Ravi Timber Agency for the supply of timber for his works.	
461	No. 2756, dated 21st January 1854 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Draining of the city ditch round Amritsar.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1753, dated 28th November 1853, states that the work of draining the city ditch round Amritsar and controlling the supply of water to the tank on the north-east face of the fortress of Gobindgarh, will be entrusted to Lieutenant Crofton, Executive Engineer, Bari Doab Canal, and asks sanction to the employment of three Native Surveyors, on a salary of Rs. 25, and 20 Surveying Khalassis at Rs. 5 per month each.	Nos. 48—50.
	No. 181, dated 1st February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government, of India, Military Department.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests sanction to the establishment required by Lieutenant Crafton, which the Chief Commissioner has already authorized Colonel Napier to entertain in anticipation.	
	No. 182, dated 1st February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Authorizes his entertaining the Surveyors and Khalassis applied for, and requests that he will state the period for which they will be required.	
462	No. 83—200, dated 2nd February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Timber Agency at Shahpur.	In continuation of letter No. 72, dated 31st January 1854, regarding the failure of the Timber Agency at Shahpur, forwards copies of further correspondence between Lieutenant Hill, Colonel Napier and the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, being reports on the operations of the Agency and of the causes to which the first named officer attributes unsatisfactory results.	No. 83.
463	No. 11, dated 31st January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual reports on dispensaries.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 3, dated 19th January 1854, requests information as to whether the calendar or official year is to be the term of the report required on Government dispensaries.	Nos. 87-8.
	No. 202, dated 4th February 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	Forwards a revised Circular which they are requested to substitute for that which was transmitted to them, relative to the submission of annual reports on dispensaries in the Punjab.	
464	No 28, dated 27th January 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Roads, etc., in the Ferozepore district.	In continuation of letter No. 19, dated 21st January 1854, forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's perusal, a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, containing his remarks on the management of roads, etc., in the Ferozepore district. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 90-91.

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465	No. 2781, dated 24th January 1854 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Labour for the Lahore-Peshawar road.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 106, dated 20th January 1854, states that, in consequence of the want of rain in the Sind Sagar Doab, he has now a sufficient number of workmen on the Lahore and Peshawar Road. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 4th February 1854—No. 94.
466	No. 211, dated 20th January 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supervision of railway works.	Forwards copy of correspondence received from the Consulting Engineer, relative to the supervision of railway works on the extended scale sanctioned by the Honourable Court of Directors. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 98-9.
467	No. 8, dated 23rd January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Production of sesamum (tilli) in the Leiah Division.	Reports on the quantity of *tilli* grown in his Division. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 101—06.
468	No. 3, dated 19th January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reports on the forests of Mandi and Suket, etc. Necessity for a separate Forest Department.	Submits a copy of a letter from Major Longden, with a report on the forests of Mandi, Suket, Suraj, the lower portion of the hills, Cis-Sutlej, and Bungatol, from which will be perceived the necessity which exists for entrusting the supervision of forests to a separate department.	Progs. for the week ending 11th February 1854—Nos. 8—11.
	No. 88—206, dated 6th February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 83, dated 2nd February 1854, forwards a copy of the above, with the report which accompanied it, as well as a letter from the Civil Engineer, No. 1036, dated 7th July 1853, on the same subject.	
469	No. 213, dated 7th February 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.	Labour for the Lahore-Peshawar road.	With reference to letter from this department, No. 1908, dated 20th December 1853, states for the information of the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces, that Col. Napier has reported a large accession to the number of workmen on the Lahore and Peshawar road, and that, therefore, no one will be required from other districts.	No. 25.
470	No. 298, dated 27th January 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of towers, &c., in the Kohat district.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1019, dated 31st December 1853, sanctions the charges on account of pay due to the watchmen required for the watch towers and chaukis in the district of Kohat.	Nos. 34-5.
	No. 220, dated 7th February 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and of that to which it is a reply, for information.	

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471	No. 227. dated 7th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Condition of the Fattehpur-Gugera, and Multan districts.	Observes that the Chief Commissioner, during the course of his late tour through the districts of Fattehpur-Gugera and Multan, had much reason to be satisfied with the general results of their management. The police appeared in good order, the revenue on a satisfactory footing and the people content and apparently prosperous. The Chief Commissioner went over the summary settlement of tahsils Sujabad and Lodhran and found that much progress had been made in the redistribution of the land revenue.	Progs. for the week ending 11th February 1854, Nos. 42—4.
		Education of Patwaris.	With reference to the examination and education of village Patwaris, remarks that they do not appear to have made much progress, and requests that Commissioner will look carefully into the matter, since the settlement, however equable and moderate, can never work well unless the Patwaris are tolerably efficient.	
		Sanitation of Multan.	Suggests a plan for the cleaning of the city of Multan, and the opening out of roads in the south and south-west sides of it. Also points out the necessity of bridging the canal which intersects the land between Multan and the ghaut, and raising the road from the canal to the banks of the river.	
	Nos. 228—9 dated 7th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Punjab. To—The Financial and Judicial Commissioners Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards extracts from the preceding letter, for their information.	
472	No. 230, dated 7th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of roads, etc.	Requests that he will enjoin on Commissioners of Divisions in the Punjab that they and Deputy Commissioners should invariably, in communication with the officers of the Civil Engineer's department, be employed in laying out lines of roads, for want of which communication it has some times happened that the best and most useful line has not been adopted in laying out a new road. Observes that for great lines in which military considerations predominate, it is of primary importance that the road should be a direct one, but for cross-roads the main point is to connect important places with each other. When it is necessary for a high road to pass at some distance from a town, a diagonal one should invariably connect them together, since, if this be not done, the people are apt to think that we make roads simply for ourselves and not for their comfort or advantage. Recommends the erection, at points at which roads may cross, of wooden guide posts, to show travellers the line they should take.	Nos. 45-6.
	No 231, dated 7th February 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Construction of roads, etc.	Forwards a copy of the preceding, and requests he will instruct his officers accordingly.	Nos. 45-6.

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473	No. 195, dated 20th January 1854 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Administration of the Punjab during 1849-50 and 1850-51.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Honourable Court of Directors, expressing the high satisfaction with which they have read the general report on the administration of the Punjab for the years 1849-50 and 1850-51, and asks that a copy of it may be furnished to each of the officers named therein.	Progs. for the week ending 11th February 1854—Nos. 47—9.
	No. 232, dated 8th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Sir Henry Lawrence, K.C.B., late President, Board of Administration; C. G. Mansel, Esquire, late Member, Board of Administration; and R. Montgomery, Esquire, late Member, Board of Administration.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, with a printed copy of the report.	
474	No. 239, dated 10th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Inspection of the Khangarh district by the Chief Commissioner.	Informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner, during his late visit to the Khangarh district, had reason to be satisfied with its general management. Observes that the office records and public accounts were all in good order and the management of the jail satisfactory. Remarks that the Barra Darri at Koreishi should be well kept up for the accommodation of European travellers and that to it might be added a serai. Observes that the garden at Koreishi, which is rented to the lambardar for Rs. 15 per annum, is gradually falling to decay, the soil being poor and the tress little cared for. Recommends that it be given to the lambardar, on the condition that he will keep the place in order and repair, all the profit being his own. Remarks that the line of road from Multan to Dera Ghazi Khan is about the best that could have been adopted, and that it should be widened, raised where necessary, and a few small bridges built, all being done out of the local funds under the sanction of the Judicial Commissioner.	Nos. 62—5.
	Nos. 240—1, dated 10th February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from the foregoing letter.	
	No. 242, dated 10th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto Roads in Khangarh district.	Informs the Civil Engineer that the Chief Commissioner observed during his recent tour through the Khangarh district that very little progress had been made in laying out roads there, and requests that he will depute an officer of his department, as early as possible, for that purpose.	

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475	No. 243, dated 10th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Abolition of the Shahpur Timber Agency.	In continuation of letter No. 176, dated 31st January 1854, forwards a letter from the Chief Commissioner, to the address of Wazir Bhaga of Chamba, and requests that Commissioner will have it delivered.	Progs. for the week ending 11th February 1854—Nos. 66-7.
	No. 244, dated 10th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto Supplies of wood for the Public Works Department.	In continuation of letter No. 174, dated 31st January 1854, relative to the abolition of the Shahpur Timber Agency, informs the Civil Engineer that the Chief Commissioner has addressed Wazir Bhaga of Chamba, explaining to him the orders which have been given and desiring him to appoint his own agent to receive at Shahpur the supplies of wood which may arrive from Chamba, the same being disposed of there at the rate of 3½ *tussus* per rupee. Observes that if the supply at Shahpur is sufficient for the officers of the Bari Doab Canal, the change will be for the better, as the Engineer officers at Lahore will make their own arrangements, either through private merchants on the spot or by getting wood from Sialkot.	
476	No. 258, dated 27th January 1854... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dismissal of Mr. H. Davidson, C. S.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 3861, dated the 2nd September 1853, forwards extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, dismissing Mr. H. Davidson, late Settlement Officer at Ludhiana, from the service.	Nos. 70—72.
	No. 245, dated 11th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Davidson, Esq.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
477	No. 99—247, dated 11th February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	A memo. on the Dera Ismail Khan district by Major Taylor.	Forwards a printed memo. on the Dera Ismail Khan district by Major Taylor, late Deputy Commissioner of that district.	Nos. 75-6.
	No. 248, dated 11th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the memo.	
478	No. 101, dated 28th January 1854... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bridge of boats across the Jhelum river.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 133, dated 25th January 1854, states that there never was a bridge of boats across the Jhelum river, in consequence of a sufficiency of boats not being available, but that as many new boats have lately been built, the possibility of making a bridge is under consideration.	Nos. 83-4.
	No. 101—251, dated 11th February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for the information of Government.	

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479	No. 10, dated 3rd February 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dr. Jameson's notes on tea cultivation.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 170, dated 31st January 1854, intimates the despatch of Urdu and Nagri translations of Dr. Jameson's notes on tea cultivation. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Progs. for the week ending 11th February 1854—No. 94.
480	No. 4335, dated 20th January 1854 From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a convalescent depôt at Dharmsala.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Military Board, directing the immediate construction of buildings for a convalescent depôt at Dharmsala. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 99.
481	No. 295, dated 27th January 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	District School at Simla.	With reference to previous correspondence on the subject, forwards an extract from a despatch from the Honourable Court of Directors, relative to the District School at Simla.	Progs. for the week ending 18th February 1854—Nos. 3—5.
	No. 258, dated 13th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
482	No. 4, dated 23rd January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Translation of Dr. Jameson's notes on tea cultivation.	Forwards six printed copies in Hindi, and as many in Urdu, of a translation of Dr. Jameson's notes on tea cultivation. Observes that he has sent 100 copies for distribution at Kangra, and if the Chief Commissioner would wish him to send any more to any other district, he is prepared to do so. Adds that the cost of printing and packing has been Rs. 150-8, and solicits sanction to the charge.	Nos. 8—10.
	No. 261, dated 13th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, sanctions his charging the amount in his next contingent bill.	
483	No. 15, dated 7th February 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of shops in the old fort of Dera Ismail Khan.	Solicits sanction to his making over, rent-free, in perpetuity, a piece of ground within the walls of the old fort of Dera Ismail Khan to banniahs of the town, on condition of their erecting shops after a given plan, within a specified time, and of their keeping them clean.	Nos. 36-7.
	No. 267, dated 15th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner concurs in his proposition and that he considers the arrangements conducive to the comfort of traders and merchants on the frontier. Requests he will give the people the ground with *sanads*, and that when the works have been completed, he will report the information to the Chief Commissioner.	

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484	No. 127, dated 9th February 1854 From—The Superintendent, Electric Telegraph. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of telegraph posts.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letters Nos. 22 and 136, dated the 6th and 26th January 1854, expresses his satisfaction with the preparations made by the Civil Engineer and Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, for the telegraph.	Progs. for the week ending 18th February 1854—Nos. 38—40.
	Nos. 268-69, dated 15th February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Engineer Punjab Circle, and Civil Engineer of the Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
485	No. 439, dated 7th February 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a *band* for the protection of the cantonment and civil station of Dera Ghazi Khan.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 60, dated 26th January 1854, sanctions the estimate for repairing a *band* which protects the cantonment and civil station of Dera Ghazi Khan from inundation in the rainy season.	Nos. 59-60.
	No. 280, dated 17th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
486	No. 63, dated 29th January 1854 ... From—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Thermal salt spring at Jewah in the Kangra district.	Forwards a report on the thermal mineral salt spring at Jewah in the Kangra district, and sends specimens of the rock (with and without efflorescence) from which the spring oozes.	Nos. 63—6.
	No. 115—282, dated 18th February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and report and observes that, as a geological curiosity, the spring is worthy of notice, but the Chief Commissioner doubts whether benefit will result for medical purposes from the discovery.	
487	No. 318, dated 27th January 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cost of two bridges across a branch of the Ravi at Lahore.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Honourable Court of Directors, enquiring whether the expenses incurred on the construction of two bridges across a branch of the Ravi at Lahore and of the connecting embankments are to be defrayed from the Local Agency Fund of Lahore.	Progs. for the week ending 25th February 1854—Nos. 1—3.
	No. 289, dated 20th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will state what amount stands at the credit of the Lahore Local Agency Fund and whether the expense of the works adverted to can be borne by it.	

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488	No. 320, dated 27th January 1854... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Expenditure on works undertaken by Major Lake in Dinanagar.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Honourable Court of Directors, relative to the grant of Rs. 12,330-2-5 for making up the deficiency and completing the works undertaken by Major Lake, late Deputy Commissioner of Dinanagar, and calls for a statement showing the total amount of expenditure incurred by that officer on these accounts.	Progs. for the week ending 25th February 1854—Nos. 4—6.
	No. 290, dated 20th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and requests he will furnish the information required by the Honourable Court.	
489	No. 16, dated 26th January 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations in the districts of the Cis-Sutlej States.	With reference to Circular No. 3, dated the 7th March 1853, submits a statement showing the results of the vaccine operations in the districts of his division during the past month, together with a pamphlet from the Civil Surgeon of Ferozepore, containing a simple exposition of the history and objects of vaccination.	Nos. 9—16.
	No. 292, dated 20th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	States that as a similar pamphlet has lately been printed and circulated, it does not appear to the Chief Commissioner to be necessary to print a second.	
490	No. 319, dated 27th January 1854... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Completion of the road from Amritsar to Wazirabad, *via* Eminabad.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Honourable Court of Directors, relative to the expenditure of Rs. 9,950 in completing the line of road from Amritsar to Wazirabad, *viâ* Eminabad, and enquires what portion of this sum had been expended from the Local Funds and what extent of road had been completed by the Deputy Commissioner.	Nos. 17—19.
	No. 293, dated 20th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests he will furnish the information called for.	
491	No. 321, dated 27th January 1854... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Commutation value of land acquired for public purposes. Vaccine operations in Simla.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, approving of the rule providing for the commutation of the annual compensation to be granted to the proprietors of land resumed for public purposes for an immediate payment equal to 15 years' purchase, and expressing their satisfaction with the report of the vaccine operations at Simla.	Nos. 23—5.
	No. 295, dated 20th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. M. Connon, Esq., M. D., Simla.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	

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492	No. 322, dated 27th January 1854... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repairs to the towers of the Badshahi Masjid, Lahore.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, relative to the repairs to the towers of the Badshahi Masjid, at an expense of Rs. 2,950, and enquiring whether the building is not now used for religious purposes.	Progs. for the week ending 25th February 1854— Nos. 35—7.
	No. 119—305, dated 20th February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Masjid used as a magazine.	In reply, states that the Masjid is still used as a magazine and is not resorted to for religious purposes.	
493	No. 2878, dated 4th February 1854 From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Drainage of Hira Mandi, Lahore City.	Forwards copy of a letter from Lieutenant Fagan, Superintendent, Civil Buildings, Lahore, explaining his reasons for not having sloped off both sides of the Hira Mandi drain, and reporting that the work will be commenced on the 1st February 1854.	Nos 40-41.
	No. 307, dated 27th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Brigadier Commanding at Lahore.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 65, dated the 13th January 1854, forwards a copy of the preceding, for information.	
494	No. 2948, dated 9th February 1854 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Waif timber on the Ravi.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1968, regarding waif timber on the Ravi which the Chief Commissioner proposes to retransfer to the district officer at Kangra, states that he quite concurs in the advisability of the measure, as there would be no advantage in giving the canal officers the right of pre-emption, as contractors would object to an arbitrary price for the timber, and if his own price were paid, he would be glad, of course, to sell it to the canal officers. Adds that he has directed certain alterations in Lieutenant Hill's account from which it will appear that Government have not been losers to so great an extent as would appear by the accounts of the District Officer at Kangra.	Nos. 61-2.
	No. 319, dated 21st February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and informs him that, for the future, the Deputy Commissioner of Kangra should have the control of the waif timber, and requests he will arrange with Colonel Napier as to the waif timber collected within the limits of the canal works.	
495	No. 45, dated 8th February 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Filling up of an unhealthy swamp extending between the north face of the city of Lahore. Old race-course.	Forwards a copy of correspondence with the Commissioner of Lahore, relative to the filling up of an unhealthy swamp extending between the north face of the city of Lahore and the open plain called the old race-course, which would tend materially to benefit the troops in the citadel and the inhabitants generally. Solicits sanction to half the estimated cost being borne by the Local Agency Funds and half by Government.	Nos. 63—6.

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495—*concld.*	No. 320, dated 21st February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Filling up of an unhealthy swamp extending between the north face of ther city of Lahore. Old race-course.	Informs the Judicial Commissioner that Government will require the opinion of the Civil Engineer on the proposed work before granting the sum required and requests he will, therefore, call for that officer's opinion. Suggests that it would be advisable not to commence the work until he hears from Colonel Napier.	Progs. for the week ending 25th February 1854—Nos. 63—6.
496	No. 321, dated 21st February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Indigenous education in the Punjab.	Forwards a copy of a memo. by Mr. Reid, Visitor-General of Schools in the North-Western Provinces, on the report by the late Board on the state of indigenous education in the Punjab, and suggests that it be circulated, as affording useful hints for the preparation of future reports.	Nos. 67-8.
497	No 38, dated 1st February 1854 ... From—Lieutenant A. H. Heath. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber received and despatched.	Submits an abstract of his proceedings from the 2nd to 30th January 1854.	Nos. 71-2.
	No. 323, dated 21st February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. H. Heath.	Ditto	Requests that he will furnish a return, in a given form, showing the quantity of wood available on the Chenab for public purposes and that a similar return may in future be appended to his monthly report.	
498	No. 13, dated 10th February 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Training of the river Jhelum.	Invites attention to the great advantages to be gained by providing a free channel from the town of Jhelum to Multan and confining the river Jhelum at certain spots to a single channel where it has formed for itself two or more. Adds that he has consulted Lieutenant Grounds, Indian Navy, now engaged in the survey of the river, who is of opinion that the plan is perfectly feasible and can be effected by a small outlay, so that steamers could pass up with certainty and the country boats would be no longer liable to be stranded once or twice a day as they are now.	Nos. 79-80
	No. 327, dated 22nd February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner quite concurs as to the advantage to be gained if his proposition were carried out, and will be happy to submit the matter to Government, if Lieutenant Grounds will furnish an outline of his plan and state the probable cost of carrying it out.	
499	No. 9, dated 24th January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Registration of boats in the Punjab.	Replying to Circular No. 2, dated the 9th January 1854, regarding the registration of boats in the Punjab, states that he is of opinion that the registry of boats according to their tonnage would be useful for political and police purposes, and he sees no objection to the scheme as adopted in Sind being carried out in his division.	Nos. 86-7.

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499—*concld.*	No. 5, dated 20th January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Registration of boats in the Punjab.	Replying to Circular No. 2, dated the 9th January 1854, states that he sees no advantage in the registration of boats in his division.	Progs. for the week ending 25th February 1854—Nos. 88-7.
500	No. 8, dated 20th January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replying to Circular No. 2, dated the 9th January 1854, states that he sees no advantage in registering boats on the Jhelum.	Nos. 88—94
	No. 8, dated 21st January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replying to Circular No. 2, dated the 9th January 1854, states that the registry of boats would be a very useful measure, but it should not be made a source of revenue. States how he would propose to number them.	
	No. 14, dated 19th January 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports that the traffic on the rivers in his division is not such as to render the introduction of a system of registration necessary.	
	No. 30, dated 11th February 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits copies of letters from the district officers of his division relative to the registration of boats in the division, and proposes a fee of 8 annas for every boat below 50 maunds and 8 annas for every 100 maunds of tonnage.	
501	No. 2944, dated 8th February 1854 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a *bund* to save the cantonment and civil station of Dera Gazi Khan from floods.	Submits a copy of a report by Lieutenant Medley, Engineer on the "Julpa," on inundations of the Indus at Dera Ghazi Khan, together with a letter to the address of the Financial Commissioner, relative to the proposal for enlarging the Indus at the mouth of the Mukha Canal and diverting the stream from the inundated part of the district, combined with the construction of a *bund* to save the cantonment and station of Dera Ghazi Khan from future floods.	Nos. 96—100.
	No. 128—331, dated 22nd February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Indus canals.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Financial Commissioner, No. 186, dated the 1st August 1853, with copy of the preceding, and states that the Chief Commissioner has visited the spot, has personally communicated with Lieutenant Medley, the officer incharge of the canals, and that he quite concurs in considering the work one of the first importance. Observes that the proper management and extension of these canals are of vital importance to the prosperity of the people.	
	Nos. 332-33, dated 22nd February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab, and Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	

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502	No. 43, dated 6th February 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repairs to Sawan Mall's tank near the Khewra mines.	Submits copies of correspondence regarding repairs to Sawan Mall's tank near the Khewra mines for which an outlay of Rs. 558-12-9 was sanctioned by Government, provided the Local Funds could not meet the expenditure. Observes that the actual cost has been Rs. 865-5-6. Explains how the excess was incurred and concurs with Mr. Thornton in proposing that the full amount be defrayed from the General Revenues of the State.	Progs. for the week ending 25th February 1854—Nos. 107—109.
	No. 131—339, dated 22nd February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and recommends, as proposed, that the entire expenditure be debited to the General Revenues, since the tank was mainly intended to provide water for cattle of the merchants who purchase at the salt mines of Khewra.	
503	No. 28, dated 9th February 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of Ambala-Saharanpur road.	Calls attention to the great importance of the Ambala and Saharanpur road, the construction of which was undertaken by the Local Committee at Ambala under a belief that, when the earthwork of the line had been completed out of the Road Fund, the Government would assist the Committee to complete the bridges by a grant from the treasury. States that the earthwork has cost Rs. 25,000, the whole of which has been borne by the Road Fund, and the Committee are turning their attention to bridges for the streams which intersect the road. Requests an assignment of Rs. 25,000 for this purpose.	Nos. 121—27.
	No. 138—346, dated 23rd February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and recommends that an assignment of Rs. 25,000 be sanctioned for the required bridges.	
504	No. 18, dated 17th February 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of a house for a dâk bungalow at Khushab.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 94, dated the 17th January 1854, relative to the house built by Extra Assistant Abdul Haq at Khushab, submits copy of a letter from the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Leiah, giving the required information.	Nos. 140—43.
	No. 143—353, dated 24th February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of a letter No. 34, and explains the circumstances connected with the erection of the house. Recommends that compensation be given to the Extra Assistant to the extent of Rs. 300, Government taking the building for the use of travellers.	

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505	No. 379, dated 10th February 1854 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Agency at Karachi for the purchase of Arab remounts.	Forwards copy of his letter to the Secretary to the Bombay Government, adverting to the establishment of an agency at Karachi for the purchase of Arab horses for mounted corps, and in the event of the Chief Commissioner agreeing with him and considering the plan feasible, requests his support in bringing it to the notice of the Government of India.	Progs. for the week ending 25th February 1854—Nos. 146—49.
	No. 147—356, dated 24th February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that, in the opinion of the Chief Commissioner, it would be a great advantage to officers in the Punjab if arrangements were made which would induce dealers to bring Arab horses direct to Karachi. Suggests the formation of a Standing Committee at Karachi, composed of officers who are judges of horses and who can admit such as are, in their opinion, fit for military purposes.	
	No. 357, dated 24th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
506	No. 14, dated 7th February 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of sugar, cotton, etc.	Replying to Circular No. 13, dated the 22nd September 1853, submits certain reports from his district officers on the subject of the cultivation of sugar, cotton-trees, etc., and observes that the report on indigo will be submitted shortly.	Nos 153—58.
	No. 359 dated 25th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esquire, Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests the return of the reports when done with.	
507	No. 504, dated 8th February 1854 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Site chosen for the sanitarium at Chamba (Dalhousie). Road to be like that to Simla. Reduction of Raja's tribute by Rs. 2,000	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 992, dated the 27th December 1853, conveys the approval of Government of the spot chosen and the limits marked for the sanitarium at Chamba, and authorizes the construction of the proposed road from the plains to the station in the first instance, it being distinctly understood that it must be constructed on the principles laid down by Major Kennedy in the formation of the road from the plains to Simla. Sanctions an abatement of Rs. 2,000 a year on the amount of the tribute paid by the Raja of Chamba, and directs that a letter be addressed to the Raja, stating the imperative reason existing for the establishment of a sanitarium at Chamba, and assuring him that he will shortly find it both beneficial to his people and his State. Sanctions also the appointment of an Assistant Commissioner to the charge of the station, on the same footing as at Murree.	Nos. 159—61

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507—*concld.*	No. 360, dated 25th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Site chosen for the sanitarium at Chamba (Dalhousie).	Forwards a copy of the preceding and informs him that the Civil Engineer will be directed to place himself in communication with him (Commissioner) relative to the construction of the road. Requests he will address a letter to the Raja of Chamba in the terms proposed by Government, and that he will obtain a copy of the rules in force at Murree and will adapt them to the new sanitarium.	Progs. for the week ending 25th February 1854—Nos. 159—61.
	No. 361, dated 25th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner. Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
508	No. 2999, dated 13th February 1854 From—The Civil Engineer Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Co-operation between District and Public Works Department officers in laying out new roads.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 231, dated the 7th February 1854, regarding the necessity of frequent communication between local officers and those employed in laying out district roads, forwards copy of his instructions to Assistant Civil Engineers. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 170.
509	No. *Nil*, dated 10th February 1854 From—H. Davidson, Esquire, Ludhiana. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dismissal of Mr. Davidson, C. S.	Intimates that he is about to leave India, and gives his address. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 178.
510	No. 11, dated 4th February 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Standard plan for dispensaries.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 4, dated the 28th January 1854, relative to the mode of building dispensaries, states that he has for years past urged the course therein laid down. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 179.
511	No. 15, dated 11th February 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Misconduct of the Wazir of Chamba. Failure to supply timber.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 176, dated the 31st January 1854, states that he has written once more to the Wazir of Chamba, on the subject of the regular supply of timber but that he fears it will be necessary on this or other accounts to remove the Wazir from his office, a measure which he (Commissioner) has reason to think would be acceptable to all the respectable persons connected with Chamba. Observes that the man is addicted to frequent indulgence in spirituous liquors, and that he has also induced the young Chief of Chamba to imitate his example. Adds that he has no reason to believe that the admonition given to the Wazir in the letter above alluded to will have any permanent effect, and recommends that should that prove the case, he be dismissed from office and that some other individual be nominated to the place.	Progs. for the week ending 4th March 1854—Nos. 1-2.

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511—*concld.*	No. 153—367, dated 27th February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Misconduct of the Wazir of Chamba. Dismissal recommended if no improvement.	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that the minister now promises, under the influence of a serious warning, to reform his habits and exert himself strenuously for the supply of wood. Recommends, however, as the Chief Commissioner is not sanguine that the admonition will have a lasting effect, that, in the event of the Wazir failing again in the engagements he has now entered into, that he be authoritatively displaced.	Progs. for the week ending 4th March 1854— Nos. 1-2.
512	No. 50, dated 13th February 1854... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of road between Kalabagh and Attock.	Forwards copies of correspondence from the Civil Engineer and the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, together with an estimate for a proposed line of road between Tuhela, on the Indus, to a point on the line from Kalabagh to Attock. Observes that the Salt Preventive Force will be stationed along this line and that its formation will add much to the efficiency of the Customs post. On these grounds, recommends the proposition for sanction.	Nos. 7—9.
	No. 154—370, dated 27th February 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Customs Line.	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that the proposed line is 46 miles in length and estimated to cost Rs. 12,730. The Chief Commissioner considers it of the greatest importance to open up the country and accordingly solicits sanction to the scheme.	
513	No. 606, dated 17th February 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New kutcherry for the Commissioner of Peshawar and conversion of Residency Bara Dari into a treasury.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 40, dated the 18th January 1854, sanctions a new kutcherry being built for the Commissioner of Peshawar at a cost of Rs. 9,997-5-1 and the conversion of the old Residency Bara Dari into a treasury, at an outlay of Rs. 500.	Nos. 10-11.
	No 371, dated 27th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information and guidance.	
514	No. 647, dated 17th February 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a hospital at Kahrur.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 68, dated the 27th January 1854, authorizes the disbursement of Rs. 2,000 for the erection of a hospital at Kahrur for the establishments of the Sutlej Preventive Line.	Nos. 33-4.
	No. 383, dated 28th February 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above	

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515	No. 3052, dated 16th February 1854 From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed roads in Hazara.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1882, dated the 15th December 1853, states that he considers all the roads enumerated by the Deputy Commissioner of Hazara of the greatest importance to the advancement and tranquility of the district. Unless strong financial objections exist, he would recommend the whole outlay being sanctioned, to save the necessity for future references.	Progs. for the week ending 4th March 1854— Nos. 49-50.
	No. 162—394, dated 1st March 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and of the letter from the Commissioner of the Peshawar Division, No. 846, dated the 22nd November 1853. Explains that the proposed roads are divided into main roads 20 feet wide in the hills and 40 in the plains, gun roads for Horse Artillery, 12 feet wide throughout, and bridle roads 8 feet wide. The entire cost would be Rs. 3,07,84[illegible], which the Chief Commissioner recommends should be sanctioned and gradually expended.	
516	Nos. 397-8, dated 2nd March 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, and the Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Erection of telegraph posts.	Forwards an extract from a demi-official letter from the Superintendent, Electric Telegraph, and requests they will report what progress has been made in the erection of telegraph posts.	Nos. 54-5.
517	No. *Nil*, dated 21st February 1854 From—H. Cope, Esq., Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of screw presses for baling cotton.	Suggests the introduction of screw presses in certain districts of the Punjab for the purpose of screwing and carefully packing cotton, etc., intended for export by the steamers on the Indus.	Nos. 100—04.
	No. 482, dated 4th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq., Lahore.	Ditto	In reply, requests he will ascertain and report the probable cost of a screw press and the monthly expenses of working it.	
	Nos. 433 to 436, dated 4th March 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Cis-Sutlej States and the Lahore, Multan and Jhelum Divisions.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and calls for their opinions on the subject.	
518	No. 121, dated 14th February 1854 From—The Superintendent, Ravi Timber Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report of Ravi Timber Agency for January 1854.	Submits his progress report for January 1854. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 105-106.
519	No. 120, dated 11th February 1854 From—The Superintendent, Ravi Timber Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Abolition of the Timber Agency.	With reference to letter No. 114, dated the 31st January 1854, addressed to the Civil Engineer, relative to the abolition of the Timber Agency, states that the Chief Commissioner's instructions will be carried out without delay. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 107.

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520	No. 828, dated 17th February 1854 From—The Officiating Assistant Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Labourers for the Peshawar road.	Forwards a copy of a letter to the Commissioners at Meerut and Delhi, informing them that no more labourers will be required for employment on the Peshawar road. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 4th March 1854— No. 115.
521	No. 67, dated 22nd February 1854... From—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mineral resources of Jowala Mukhi and salt springs near Haripur.	Submits a report on the resources of Jowala Mukhi and environs, and the salt springs of Thunga-Bassu, near Haripur.	Progs. for the week ending 11th March 1854— Nos. 3—5.
	No. 175—438, dated 7th March 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the report received with the above letter, for the perusal of the Governor General.	
522	No. 279, dated 23rd February 1854 From—Brigadier Tennant, K.C.B., Commanding at Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of works passing through military jurisdiction.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 307, dated the 20th February 1854, asks that the Civil Engineer may be instructed to act in concert with the Military Engineer whenever he has the construction of works passing through military jurisdiction.	Nos. 25—7.
	No. 453, dated 7th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will issue the necessary orders to the subordinate officers of his department.	
	No. 454, dated 7th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding at Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
523	No. 459, dated 8th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Construction of a road between Dera Ghazi Khan and Dera Ismail Khan.	Directs the Civil Engineer to instruct Lieutenants Medley and Cadell to make a road between Dera Ghazi Khan and Dera Ismail Khan. Observes that the portion of the road begun by Lieutenant Medley at Dera Ghazi Khan has been suspended, labourers being required for the clearance of the canals, but, at Dera Ismail Khan, the work may be pushed on vigorously, labourers being available from among the poorer Povindahs coming from Ghazni. States that the earthwork of the road will be paid for by the district officers from the money in the Local Funds and the Judicial Commissioner will be requested to make the necessary advances. Adds that estimates for bridges and other masonry works found necessary should be prepared and forwarded for submission to Government. Observes that when the earthwork of the road is complete, the Chief Commissioner would wish that communications with the ferries on the Indus and it be opened out without delay.	Nos. 34-5.

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523—*concld.*	No. 460, dated 8th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a road between Dera Ghazi Khan and Dera Ismail Khan.	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and requests that he will issue the necessary instructions to the Commissioner of Leiah to make the necessary advances.	Progs. for the week ending 11th March 1854— Nos. 34-5.
524	No. 2939, dated February 1854 ... From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the inundation at Leiah.	Submits a report and sketch by Lieutenant *Medlev*, Superintendent, Indus Canals, explanatory of the causes of the inundation at Leiah, and recommending the construction of a couple of small *bands*, to prevent the influx into the Lalla Nalla of the surplus waters of the Kummur Nalla. Recommends the plan for the present and adds that he has requested Lieutenant Medley to submit an estimate for carrying a *band* round the inundated ground along the right bank of the Huzura Canal, so far down as is necessary to protect the station of Leiah.	Nos. 40—43.
	No. 463, dated 8th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Informs the Civil Engineer that, if he approves of the plan adverted to in the concluding paragraph of his letter, the Chief Commissioner will submit the same for sanction.	
525	No. 3154, dated 24th February 1854 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of roads in the Khangarh district.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 242, dated the 10th February 1854, remarking on the slow progress in the construction of the roads in the Khangarh district, observes that he has deputed Mr. Macrae, Assistant Civil Engineer, to proceed to Muzaffargarh and place himself in communication with the civil authorities there.	Nos. 46-7.
	No. 465, dated 8th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for information.	
526	No. 686, dated 22nd February 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repayment of loans taken from Patiala and Nabha.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 53, dated the 24th January 1854, states that, if the Chiefs of Patiala and Nabha prefer transferring the amount lent by them, to the 4 per cent. loan, to being paid off, they should intimate the same in writing, when the necessary instructions will be issued.	Nos. 69-70.
	No. 477, dated 10th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will carry out the orders of Government, reporting the result to this department.	
527	No. 3007, dated 6th March 1854 ... From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Posts for the electric telegraph.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 397, dated the 2nd March 1854, submits a report of the progress made in fixing posts for the electric telegraph from Phillaur to the Beas.	Nos. 71—3.

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527—*concld.*	No. 478, dated 10th March 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The. Superintendent, Electric Telegraph.	Posts for the electric telegraph.	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter, for his information.	Progs. for the week ending 11th March 1854— Nos. 71—3.
528	No. 795, dated 24th February 1854 From—The Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Drainage of the ditch round Amritsar.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 181, dated 1st February, sanctions the appointment of Lieutenant Crofton, Executive Engineer, to superintend the arrangements connected with the drainage of the ditch round Amritsar, and the entertainment of an establishment for the same, at Rs. 175 per month.	Nos. 74-5.
	No. 479, dated 10th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
529	No. 57, dated 17th February 1854... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of police and other buildings in the Cis-Sutlej States.	Submits correspondence from the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, proposing an outlay of Rs. 41,844 for the construction of police and other buildings required in the Division. Adds that he has personally visited the Division and has consulted both the present and the late Commissioner and he agrees with them in thinking that the buildings are necessary. Observes that if the sum now proposed is granted, the public buildings in the Division will be completed.	Nos. 77—9.
	No. 192—481, dated 10th March 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and observes that the buildings now required are police and tahsil ones, not standing on the Grand Trunk line and other main roads, but beyond those thoroughfares, and are much needed. Adds that the Chief Commissioner is satisfied that no one of the several propositions has been made without full and sufficient reasons, and that he, therefore, recommends that the sum of Rs. 40,292 be sanctioned.	
530	No. 16, dated 11th February 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Steam navigation on Punjab rivers.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Mr. G Palmer, Assistant Commissioner of Gurdaspur, relative to the experimental voyage of a steam vessel up a river in South Australia, with a view to applying the same principles in the navigation of the Punjab rivers.	Nos. 80 81.
	No. 193—483, dated 10th March 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, together with a copy of the pamphlet referred to therein, and observes that the Chief Commissioner thinks it creditable to Mr. Palmer that he should thus have endeavoured, while on leave for the recovery of his health, to collect facts the knowledge of which might be useful to Government.	

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531	No. 18, dated 27th February 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tree planting.	With reference to Circular No. 13, dated the 22nd September 1853, submits, in original, the reports received from district officers of the progress made in planting trees.	Progs. for the week ending 11th March 1854— Nos. 85-6.
	No. 484, dated 11th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, and enclosures in original.	
532	Nos. 487—8, dated 11th March 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab and the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle.	Breadth of rivers to be crossed by the telegraph.	Forwards an extract from a demi official letter from the Superintendent, Electric Telegraph, urgently calling for information as to the greatest breadth of the rivers which will be crossed by the telegraph. Requests that they will transmit the required information direct to Dr. O'Shaughnessy at Agra.	Nos. 90-91.
533	No. 3239, dated 7th March 1854 ... From—The Civil Engineer Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of posts for the electric telegraph.	Forwards a report of the progress made in erecting posts for the electric telegraph.	Nos. 94-5.
	No. 490, dated 11th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Electric Telegraph.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and enclosures in original, for his information.	
534	No. 41, dated 27th February 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Origin of the Simla Local Fund.	Submits correspondence relative to the origin of the Simla Local Fund and gives a concise account of its receipts and disbursements. Concurs in the recommendation of Lord William Hay that it be abolished, and that the public revenues under their various heads be credited in that officer's cash accounts; that an establishment be entertained and paid exclusively from the Government treasury; that the surplus of income be set apart every year to be applied at the discretion of the Municipal Commissioners; and that the debts outstanding against the Local Fund be cancelled. Observes that it is better to place the income and expenditure on a healthy footing, every asset being credited as received and every disbursement being made with the knowledge and the sanction of Government. Suggests a modification in the above propositions, *viz.*, that the surplus income, calculated at Rs. 5,000 a year for local improvements, be placed at the disposal of a local committee of which the Commissioner of the Division should be President and the Deputy Commissioner, Vice-President *ex-officio*, the office of Municipal Commissioner being abolished and the committee being mainly composed of Government officials.	Nos. 99—106.
		Proposed abolition of the Municipal Committee.		

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534—*concld.*	No. 195—492, dated 11th March 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Origin of the Simla Local Fund.	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and observes that the Chief Commissioner concurs in the proposition that the outstanding debts against the Simla Fund be remitted by Government, and that the fixed establishments for the discharge of public business be sanctioned by Government and should form a charge against the public revenues; but, for reasons stated, Chief Commissioner would not recommend the abolition of the Municipal Commission.	Progs. for the week ending 11th March 1854— Nos. 99—106.
535	No. 69, dated 1st March 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a road from Kot Kangra to Dharamsala.	Forwards copy of correspondence, with plan and estimate, relative to the construction of a road from Kot Kangra to Dharamsala, for which a further outlay of Rs. 6,000 is necessary, the sum of Rs. 16,784 having been defrayed already by the Local Funds. States that the road is a very important one, and, therefore, recommends its completion at Government expense.	Progs. for the week ending 18th March 1854— Nos. 9—11.
	No. 199—498, dated 13th March 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and observes that Mr. Forsyth's letter to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States gives full particulars respecting the importance of the line, the progress already made, and the portions remaining to be completed. Recommends that the amount applied for be sanctioned.	
536	No. 85, dated 4th March 1854 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Instruction of patwaris.	With reference to the extract sent him, from a letter from the Chief Commissioner to the Commissioner of Multan, on the state of the districts of Gugera and Multan, forwards a copy of a letter addressed in November 1853 to the Commissioner on the subject of instructions to patwaris.	Nos. 33-4.
537	No. 3237, dated 7th March 1854 ... From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pathankot-Dalhousie road.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 361, states that the length of road leading to the site for the sanitarium at Chamba, at a gradient of 3 feet per 100, will probably be 42 miles, from Pathankot. Observes that, as it is of great importance to have the ground thoroughly examined preparatory to the selection of the best line, he would recommend the entertainment of three officers for this purpose. Proposes that Major Longden, with two Assistants, be appointed to the duty.	Progs. for the week ending 25th March 1854— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 511, dated 20th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Informs the Civil Engineer that Major Longden having been recommended for the appointment of Superintendent of Woods and Forests in Pangi, his services are not available for the duty proposed. States that if he will name another officer and the two Assistants he proposes to give him, the Chief Commissioner will apply to Government for their services.	

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538	No. 37, dated 7th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cotton and wool presses.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 435, dated 4th March 1854, states that he thinks a cotton and wool press at Multan would not only be beneficial to trade, but a very profitable speculation.	Progs. for the week ending 25th March 1854— Nos. 27-8.
	No. 524, dated 21st March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	In reply, enquires what would be the cost of one.	
539	No. 76, dated 6th March 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Works on the nalla near the Taxali Gate, Lahore.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 289, dated 20th February 1854, enquiring whether the cost of the works at the nalla near the Taxali Gate can be defrayed from the Local Funds, states that he does not consider this possible, as they have cost more than double the balance in the hands of the Deputy Commissioner. Adds that when the bridge has been completed, it will tend chiefly to promote the traffic on the Grand Trunk Road.	Nos. 35-6.
	No. 221—528, dated 21st March 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Replying to letter No. 313, dated 27th January 1854, forwards a copy of the foregoing letter, and states that, as the work is one of general utility, the Chief Commissioner considers that the expense should be regarded as forming a part of the cost of the great high road to Peshawar.	
540	No. 65, dated 24th February 1854 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Police establishment for the Ferozepore district.	Forwards, with his remarks, a revised schedule of the police establishments for the Ferozepore district.	Nos. 63-A—63-I.
	No. 75, dated 22nd February 1854... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of tahsil boundaries, Ferozepore district.	Submits correspondence from the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, relative to a revision of the tahsildari jurisdictions and establishments in Ferozepore.	
	No. 225—551, dated 22nd March 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the two preceding letters, and states the circumstances which have made it necessary to remodel these establishments, and solicits sanction to the propositions therein contained.	
541	No. 85, dated 13th March 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a church at Mian Mir.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant-Colonel Tremenhere, together with a design and estimate for a church at Mian Mir. States that the committee at Mian Mir have unanimously decided in favour of having one church, instead of two as originally proposed.	Nos. 64—6.
	No. 227—552, dated 22nd March 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1768, dated 29th November 1853, forwards a copy of the preceding letter, and states that the Chief Commissioner concurs with the Judicial Commissioner that the committee at Mian Mir have not decided wisely and, therefore, submits the plan and estimate in order that there may be as little delay as possible after final decision.	

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542	No. 79, dated 8th March 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ancient Muhammadan bridge across the nalla at Sialkot.	Submits copies of correspondence from the Commissioner of Lahore, relative to the repairs of an ancient Muhammadan bridge across the Aik Nalla at Sialkot. Observes that the bridge, built by the Emperor Akbar, though sound, is useless from an insufficiency of water-ways, and recommends that Government be requested to devote Rs. 5,500 towards its alteration by Lieutenant Maxwell, the balance Rs. 5,000 being met by the Local Funds.	Progs. for the week ending 25th March 1854— Nos. 77—9.
	No. 228—556, dated 23rd March 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, and states that the Chief Commissioner considers the work as one which will prove of great utility and, therefore, recommends the plan for sanction.	
543	No. 250, dated 7th March 1854 ... From—The Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a third Superintending Engineer for canals.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 971, relative to the appointment of a third Superintending Engineer for the supervision of the Punjab Canals, enquires whether there is any valid objection to an officer of the regimental rank of Lieutenant holding the appointment in question.	Nos. 83-4.
	No. 560, dated 23rd March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for opinion.	
544	No. 141, dated 18th March 1854 ... From—The Executive Officer, Ferozepore and Amritsar Road. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of telegraph posts.	Submits his second weekly progress report on the erection of posts for the electric telegraph.	Nos. 87-8.
	No. 563, dated 24th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. W. B. O'Shaughessy, Superintendent, Electric Telegraph.	Ditto	Forwards the report received with the preceding.	
545	No. 28, dated 15th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Production of Sesamum (tilli, in the Punjab.	Submits a statement showing the extent to which tilli (*Sesamum Orientalis*) is grown in his Division.	Nos. 92—5.
	No. 245, dated 18th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports to what extent tilli is sown in his Division.	
	No. 566, dated 25th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Forwards a statement showing the quantity of tilli produced in the Punjab, including the Cis-and Trans-Sutlej States.	

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546	No. 21, dated 4th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Misconduct of the Wazir of Chamba.	Forwards the reply of Bhaga, Wazir of Chamba, to the letter addressed to him by the Chief Commissioner. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 25th March 1854— No. 103.
547	No. 3309, dated 13th March 1854... From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of works passing within military jurisdiction.	Forwards a copy of a Circular issued by him relative to the construction, in concert with the Military Engineer, of works passing within military jurisdiction. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 104.
548	No. 1011, dated 17th March 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of two roads in the Jhelum Division.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 154, dated 27th February 1854, sanctions the estimates amounting to Rs. 12,760 and Rs. 33,845, submitted by the Civil Engineer of the Punjab, for the construction of two lines of roads in the Jhelum Division.	Progs. for the week ending 1st April 1854— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 568, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
549	No. *Nil*, dated 8th March 1854 ... From—Lieutenant H. Grounds, Surveying Punjab Rivers. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron ore procurable from the hills in the neighbourhood of Karnal and Chundiote.	Forwards specimens of iron ore procurable from the different hills in the neighbourhood of Karnal and Chundiote.	Nos. 7—9.
	No. 571, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant H. Grounds, Surveying Punjab Rivers.	Ditto	Thanks Lieutenant H. Grounds for his interesting communication and informs him that the ore will be forwarded, for report, to the Geological Surveyor of the Punjab, who will also be instructed to explore the locality where it has been found.	
	No. 572, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and a portion of the iron ore received from Lieutenant Grounds and requests he will report on it. The Chief Commissioner considers it advisable that the locality in which this ore has been found should be examined so soon as Monsieur Marcadieu can do so conveniently.	
550	No. 1007, dated 17th March 1854 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bridges on the Ambala-Saharanpur road.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 138, dated 23rd February 1854, sanctions the grant of Rs. 25,000 to aid the Road Fund Committee at Ambala in constructing bridges and drains across the Ambala and Saharanpur road.	Nos. 10-11.
	No. 573, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information.	

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551	No. 1003, dated 17th March 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment for the Lahore-Peshawar road.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 132, dated 22nd February 1854, sanctions the establishment therein proposed for keeping the portion of the Lahore and Peshawar road, from Lahore to Sohawa, in repair.	Progs. for the week ending 1st April 1854— Nos. 12-13.
	No. 574, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter, for his information.	
552	No. 1009, dated 17th March 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of a house for a dâk bungalow at Khushab.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 143, dated 24th February 1854, conveys sanction to the purchase of a house built by Extra Assistant Abdul Haq at Khushab, for Rs. 300, on the understanding that it is to be taken up by Government for the use of travellers.	Nos. 17-18.
	No. 577, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will make the necessary arrangements.	
553	No. 933, dated 10th March 1854 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Abolition of the Timber Agency at Shahpur. Opening of an Agency at Pangi, Chamba.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 83, dated 2nd February 1854, approves of the abolition of the Timber Agency at Shahpur and of the proposed scheme for establishing an experimental one at Pangi, in the Chamba Perganah, under a Superintendent on a staff salary of Rs. 600, with an establishment amounting to Rs. 15,000 per annum.	Nos. 21—5.
	No. 579, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information. Requests he will inform the authorities at Chamba of the above arrangements, and that he will direct them to charge Mr. Arratoon Rs. 3 for every tree he fells. Mr. Arratoon will be informed of this direct from this office.	
	No. 580, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing Government letter, and informs him that the Agency will be under the supervision of the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States, and that the Chief Commissioner intends proposing Major Longden as Superintendent.	
	No. 581, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major H. E. Longden, on special duty at Kangra.	Ditto	Informs Major Longden that the Chief Commissioner has proposed to Government to appoint him Superintendent of the Timber Agency at Pangi, on a staff salary of Rs. 600 per month besides his military pay and allowances, and enquires if he will accept the appointment. Requests, in the event of his doing so, that he will place himself in communication with the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States and organize an establishment at once.	

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553—*concld.*	No. 582, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Ter. Arratoon.	Abolition of the Timber Agency at Shahpur. Opening of an Agency at Pangi, Chamba.	Informs Mr. Ter. Arratoon that Government having established a Timber Agency at Pangi and sanctioned the payment of Rs. 3 per tree felled, the Wazir of Chamba will be directed to charge him also at the same rate for the future.	Progs. for the week ending 1st April 1854— Nos. 21—5.
554	No. 23, dated 9th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 3, dated 19th January 1854, forwards copy of a letter from Mr. Arratoon, to the effect that the establishment of a Timber Agency at Pangi will totally ruin him, together with Commissioner's reply. Adds that Mr. Arratoon complains that Lieutenant Heath at Sialkot objects to his selling timber to any other party than the Executive Engineer at that station.	Nos. 26—30.
	No. 583, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Informs him that the Chief Commissioner approves generally of his reply to Mr. Arratoon, and states that, for the future, that gentleman must pay Rs. 3 per tree to the Chamba Raja, or otherwise the Raja will be at liberty to prevent his felling any more in his territories. Adds that Lieutenant Heath will be directed to allow Mr. Arratoon to sell his timber to whomsoever he chooses.	
	No. 584, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. Heath.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from Mr. Arratoon's letter, and requests that Lieutenant Heath will not prevent Mr. Arratoon from selling his timber to whomsoever or in whatsoever manner he chooses.	
555	No. 87, dated 17th March 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the Simla school.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1417, dated 3rd October 1853, submits the required report on the Simla school, and intimates having sanctioned an outlay of Rs. 250 for repairs to the building.	Nos. 31—3.
	No. 585, dated 28th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	States that the Chief Commissioner considers the report on the state of the school unsatisfactory. Although it is perfectly optional with the Hill Chiefs to subscribe for the maintenance of the institution or not, if the Superintendent of Hill States were to take an interest in the school, the probability is that they would do so also. Requests he will ascertain whether Rs. 250 will suffice to put the school-house into thorough repair, because, if not, the Chief Commissioner, will ask Government for the necessary sum.	

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556	No. 589, dated 28th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Expenditure of Local Funds on repairs to roads. Roads in the Leiah Division.	Requests that he will instruct the Commissioner of Leiah to explain to district officers that there is no objection to their expending the Local Funds in the repairs of such roads as may require it, under the rules and restrictions in force for the management of such funds. Points out certain roads in the Division which stand in need of bridging and repairing, and states that this should be at once undertaken by district officers and the expense defrayed from the Local Funds. Requests that when the road from Dera Ismail Khan to Asni has been completed, cross roads connecting it with the different ferries may be also opened. Observes that the roads in the Leiah Division, and more particularly in the Derajat, should be highly raised, so that troops might be able to march along them on a dark night.	Progs. for the week ending 1st April 1854—No. 45.
557	No. 1052, dated 17th March 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repairs to Sawan Mall's tank.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 131, dated 22nd February 1854, sanctions the expenditure of Rs. 316-8-9 in excess of the estimate for the repairs to Sawan Mall's tank, and authorizes the entire sum, *viz.*, that originally and that at present sanctioned, being charged to the General Revenues of the Punjab.	Nos. 58-9.
	No. 598, dated 29th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
558	No. 595, dated 16th March 1854 ... From—The Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a church at Mian Mir.	With reference to previous correspondence, intimates that the Governor-General in Council has authorized the immediate construction of a large central church at Mian Mir, at an outlay of Rs. 40,000.	Nos. 62-3.
	No. 600, dated 29th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
559	No. 17, dated 13th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Formation of Dispensary Committees at Jhelum, Pind Dadan Khan, Gujrat and Shahpur.	Replying to paragraph 2 of Circular 3 of 9th January 1854, submits a list of gentlemen proposed to form Dispensary Committees at Jhelum, Pind Dadan Khan, Gujrat and Shahpur.	Nos. 68-9.
	No. 604, dated 31st March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Sanctions the formation of the Committees, as proposed.	

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560	No. 607, dated 31st March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.	Roads in the Leiah ivision.	Forwards a copy of a letter No. 589, dated 28th March 1854, from the Chief Commissioner, to the address of the Judicial Commissioner, regarding the construction of roads in the Leiah Division, and requests that he will issue the necessary instructions to the officers of his Department.	Progs. for the week ending 1st April 1854— No. 74.
561	No. 759, dated 24th February 1854. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Preservation of forests.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 555, dated 5th June 1853, forwards copies of papers on the preservation of forests, and requests that the Chief Commissioner will state what he would suggest for the preservation of those on the hills.	Nos. 88—93.
	Nos. 615—616, dated 1st April 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Cis- and Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that the Government consider the subject one of great importance (as indeed it is) and requests that they will, after careful enquiry and consideration, frame such a set of rules as will, in their opinion, conduce to the results so earnestly desired.	
562	No. 3370, dated 18th March 1854 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a *band* for the protection of Leiah from inundation.	Recommends that the sanction of Government be obtained to the construction of the *band* proposed in the 2nd paragraph of his letter No. 2939, to protect the station of Leiah from inundation.	Nos. 94—96.
	No. 3373, dated 18th March 1854 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a letter from Lieutenant Medly, stating that he has arranged for the commencement of the two *bands* for the protection of Leiah from inundation.	
	No. 617, dated 1st April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests that he will specify the works and the sums which he recommends for sanction, since by his letter No. 2939 he requests sanction to Rs. 500 for repairs to old *bands* on the Kummur Nalla, and by letter No. 3373, dated 18th March, the Chief Commissioner understands that Rs. 2,000 are required for the *band* to protect Leiah.	
563	No. 980, dated 14th March 1854 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules regarding the dismissal of uncovenanted servants.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors regarding the dismissal of uncovenanted servants of Government, and requests that, in future, a half-yearly list of all such dismissals, with the cause of dismissal briefly set forth, be submitted for the information of the Supreme Government.	Nos. 109—13.
	Circular No. 9—625, dated 1st April 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners in the Punjab.	Ditto Half-yearly return prescribed.	Circulates copies of the above Government letter and requests that the half-yearly return required by Government may be regularly furnished in future by their district officers. Forwards a form in which these reports are to be submitted.	

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563—*concld.*	Nos. 626-7, dated 1st April 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Rules regarding the dismissal of uncovenanted servants.	Forwards a copy of the preceding Circular and requests that they will see to the punctual transmission of the returns.	Progs. for the week ending 1st April 1854— Nos. 109—13.
564	No. 970, dated 10th March 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grand Trunk Road.	Forwards copies of correspondence from the Military Board, showing that active measures have been taken for completing the communication with the Trans-Sutlej Provinces by means of a continuation of the Grand Trunk Road. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 125-26.
565	No. 3468, dated 27th March 1854 From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Electric Telegraph Plan showing the width of the rivers and largest nalla crossed by the Lahore and Peshawar road.	Intimates that he has forwarded to Dr. O'Shangnessy, a plan showing the width of the rivers crossed by the Lahore and Peshawar road and a note of the width of the largest nallas. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 141.
566	No. 694, dated 16th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Direct trade in horses with the Persian Gulf.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 357, dated 24th February 1854, states that he feels assured that a direct trade in horses with the Persian Gulf might be opened, if the Government of India would authorize the appointment at Karachi of a Standing Committee, with authority to purchase a given number of horses of a given description within a given price.	Progs. for the week ending 8th April 1854— Nos. 7-8.
	No. 259—636, dated 3rd April 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 147, dated 24th February 1854, forwards a copy of the above.	
567	No. 90, dated 20th March 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Filling up of the swamp near the city of Lahore.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 320, dated 21st February 1854, forwards a copy of a letter from the Civil Engineer, recommending the adoption of the proposed measures for the filling up of the swamp near the north face of the city of Lahore, at an outlay of Rs. 2,158-12-0.	Nos. 13—15.
	No 261—641, dated 3rd April 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above and of previous letters and observes that the swamp is a prolific source of malaria in the autumn, and that if it is completely filled up, the benefit accruing will be great. Recommends, therefore, the expenditure of Rs. 2,158, being half the amount of the estimate, the other moiety being borne by the Local Funds.	

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568	No. 89, dated 20th March 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a church at Peshawar.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Peshawar Division, soliciting a grant of Rs. 3,000 to be added to the sum of Rs. 2,000 (being the value of the materials of the church which lately fell down) for the erection of a temporary church at that station, as it will take fully two, if not three, years to complete the permanent building sanctioned by Government. Adds that, in anticipation of Government sanction, he has permitted Major Edwardes to draw Rs. 2,000 for the purpose indicated, as the Protestant community of the station feel severely the want of a place of worship.	Progs. for the week ending 8th April 1854— Nos. 20—22.
	No. 645, dated 3rd April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to the preceding, observes that Government sanctioned the new estimate of Rs. 35,720-7-0 which exceeded the amount available from the Government grant for a church and chapel by Rs. 1,414-11-11, which, however, it was supposed would have been more than covered by the sale of the materials of the edifice which fell down. This was estimated at Rs. 6,000, but appears to have been since sold for Rs. 2,000. After reserving, therefore, Rs. 1,414-11-11 from this amount, a balance of Rs. 585-4-1 is available for the building (temporary) proposed by the Commissioner. Requests he will, therefore, call on Major Edwardes to reconsider his proposition since it is evident that the entire sum of Rs. 2,000 is not available for the edifice.	
569	No. 55, dated 18th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Price of *k u r a* (rubbish) in the Thanesar district.	Forwards a copy of his reply to a letter addressed to him by the Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, relative to the price fixed for *kura* in the Thanesar district which has been considered too high. Observes that *kura* is used largely by the agricultural classes for the cultivation of sugarcane, tobacco, poppy, etc., and also in the burning of bricks, but when bricks are required for such gigantic undertakings as the works on the Grand Trunk Road and the Bari Doab Canal, the demand for *kura* becomes so pressing that the natives cannot meet it without injuring the cultivation of their lands Under such circumstances, *kura* acquires a positive value, which value fluctuates according to the character of the country in which the demand is made. States that, after careful enquiry, he fixed the rate for *kura* provisionally at Rs. 3 per 100 maunds.	Nos 25 -7
	No. 647, dated 4th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	States that the Chief Commissioner approves of his arrangements, and considers them reasonable and just. He has no doubt that Government will entertain the same view.	

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570	No. 19, dated 20th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Discovery of large quantities of iron ore.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Captain Hollings, Deputy Commissioner of Shahpur, reporting the discovery of large quantities of iron ore in the Kiranah and Shurab hills.	Progs. for the week ending 8th April 1854— Nos. 34—6.
	No. 651, dated 4th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that specimens of the ore have already been received from Lieutenant Grounds, Indian Navy, and have been forwarded, for analysis and report, to the Geological Surveyor.	
571	No. 36, dated 6th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Progress in tree planting.	Submits reports on the progress made in planting trees in his division.	Nos. 37—40.
	No. 652, dated 4th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards the report in original, and requests its return when no longer required.	
572	No. 1019, dated 17th March 1854... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Roads in Hazara.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 162, date the 1st March 1854, regarding a sch e of roads for Hazara at an expense of Rs. 3,87,840, states that, as the aggregate amount is beyond the competency of the Government to grant, the subject has been referred to the Home authorities. Authorizes the commencement of some of the works.	Nos. 58—60.
	No. 663, dated 4th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto Road to Murree	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will communicate with Colonel Napier and arrange what roads, besides the main one now in progress, should be undertaken. The Chief Commissioner is inclined to think the road to Murree most important.	
	No. 664, dated 4th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing Government letter, and requests he will arrange with the Commissioner of Peshawar as to what road is to be commenced, although the Chief Commissioner considers the line to Murree most important.	
573	No. 667, dated 4th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Murree road	Calls attention to previous correspondence and requests that the estimates for the construction of the Murree road may be furnished at an early date.	No. 65.
574	No. 3561, dated 3rd April 1854 ... From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Protection of Leiah from inundation.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 617, states that he would recommend the expenditure of Rs. 500 for the *bands* over the Kummur Nalla and Rs. 2,000 for the other works required to protect the station of Leiah from inundation.	Nos. 93-4.

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574—*concld.*	No. 270—686, dated 7th April 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Protection of Leiah from inundation.	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter and of previous correspondence, relative to the proposed measures for protecting the station of Leiah and the surrounding country from inundation, and solicits sanction to the expenditure of Rs. 2,500.	Progs. for the week ending 8th April 1854— Nos. 93-4.
575	No. 62, dated 23rd March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Protection of mails in Patiala territory.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 160, dated the 9th January 1854, states that, to the best of his belief, *chowkis* containing 4 *burkandazes* each have been located along the Grand Trunk Road, between the Ghaggar river and Sirhind, in Patiala territory, for the protection of the mail.	No. 121.
576	No. 26, dated 24th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sanitarium at Chamba (Dalhousie).	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 360, dated the 25th February 1854, relative to the sanitarium at Chamba, forwards a copy of his letter to the address of Raja Siri Singh. MEMO.—NO ORDER	No. 125.
577	No. 109, dated 3rd March 1854 ... From—The Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Price of *kura* (rubbish) in the Thanesar District.	Forwards copy of a letter addressed to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, relative to an alleged interference by the Deputy Commissioner of Thanesar in raising the price of *kura*. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 129.
578	No. 1877, dated 17th March 1854 ... From—The Offg. Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New barracks at Dharamsala.	Forwards an extract from the proceedings of Government in the Military Department and conveys sanction to the formal transfer of the site of the new barracks at Dharamsala to the Military authorities.	Progs. for the week ending 15th April 1854— Nos. 16—19.
	No. 711, dated 11th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
579	No. 1113, dated 17th March 1854... From—The Offg. Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of timber from Chamba. Misconduct of the Wazir.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 153, dated the 27th February 1854, states that in case the Wazir of Chamba fails again to keep up to his promises of amendment, as well as to his engagement for the regular supply of timber, the Chief Commissioner is empowered to depose him and appoint another minister in his place.	Nos. 20-21.
	No. 712, dated 11th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
580	No. 1176, dated 22nd March 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Geological resources of Jowala Mukhi.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 175, dated the 7th March 1854, forwarding a report from the Geological Surveyor on the resources of Jowala Mukhi, states that instructions should be issued to afford Monsieur Marcadieu every facility for following up the interesting and possibly valuable discoveries reported by him.	Nos. 39-40.

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580—*concld.*	No. 720, dated 11th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Geological resources of Jowala Mukhi.	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	Progs. for the week ending 15th April 1854— Nos. 39-40.
581	No. 21, dated 28th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rumoured design of the Chief of Swat to attack British territory.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 523, dated the 21st March 1854, submits the papers called for, relative to a rumoured design of the Chief of Swat to attack our territories. States that he has written privately to the Deputy Commissioners of Jhelum and Rawalpindi, telling them that there can be no harm in looking out for the persons who are stated to have come into these territories to commit crime. Adds that he has promised to one Allahdad a liberal reward if he will bring to light something worth knowing.	Nos. 59-60
	No. 734, dated 12th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Returns the papers received with the above.	
582	No. 336, dated 31st March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Statue of the Hindu demi-god Baldeo, discovered in Hazara.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Hazara, relative to a statue of Baldeo, a Hindu hero, discovered by Lieutenant Pearse, Assistant Commissioner, on the banks of the river Hurroo, and states that the wishes of the Government might be ascertained on the subject.	Nos. 71—8.
	No. 287—741, dated 12th April 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests instructions on the subject.	
583	No. 34, dated 22nd March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Analysis of Mandi salt.	Submits Monsieur Marcadieu's analysis of Mandi salt, forwarded by him to the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Kangra.	Nos. 76—8.
	No. 743, dated 12th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Requests that he will instruct Monsieur Marcadieu to analyse two or three specimens of the red or Kind Dadan Khan salt, which is used in the Punjab. Adds that the Chief Commissioner will endeavour to send a specimen also of the black salt of the Kohat mines.	
584	No. 1234, dated 24th March 1854... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of borax at Poojah near Leh.	In continuation of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 68, dated the 10th January 1854, asks the Chief Commissioner to depute Monsieur Marcadieu during the present season to examine and report most fully on all matters connected with the supply of borax procurable at Poojah and its vicinity.	Nos. 83—93.

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584—*concld.*	No. 746, dated 13th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Geological Surveyor.	Supply of broax at Poojah near Leh.	Informs the Geological Surveyor that the attention of Government has been directed to the article borax, a salt of soda, which is extensively used in the manufacture of china earthenware, and a large quantity of which is brought annually from Poojah, 60 miles south-east of Leh, in Ladakh. Requests he will visit the locality and report most fully on all matters connected with the supply of borax, but as Poojah is in foreign territory, directs him to prosecute his researches in such a manner as not to attract attention. Informs him that he will be accompanied by Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner of Kulu.	Progs. for the week ending 15th April 1854— Nos. 83—93.
	No. 30, dated 18th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of borax in the Trans-Himalayan regions.	Replying to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 455, dated the 7th March 1854, submits a copy of a letter from Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner, containing a full report in regard to the production of borax in the Trans-Himalayan regions.	
	No. 747, dated 13th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards Government letter No. 1234, dated the 24th March 1854, and a copy of the foregoing letter to Monsieur Marcadieu, and requests that he will issue the necessary instructions to Captain Hay, and caution him to abstain from anything that may attract attention to his visit as having a special object. Requests that all the assistance those officers may stand in need may be afforded to them.	
	No. 748, dated 13th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of Hill States.	Ditto	Requests that he will afford Monsieur Marcadieu every assistance in his power during his approaching visit to Poojah, in Ladakh, to report on the borax procurable there.	
	No. 57, dated 20th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply and price of borax.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 117, dated the 23rd January 1854, submits a report from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, containing particulars about the supply and price of borax, and observes that it is in consequence of the difficulty of transit that prices are so high.	
	No. 15, dated 3rd February 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Borax springs of Tibet.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 116, states that he has no personal knowledge of the borax springs of Tibet, but forwards a report by Major Cunningham on the subject.	
	No. 289—749, dated 13th April 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1234, dated 24th March, forwards copies of the above and of preceding replies from Commissioners on the subject of borax. States that instructions have been issued to Monsieur Marcadieu and Captain Hay at Kulu to proceed to Poojah.	

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585	No. 22, dated 29th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fruit and forest trees in the Jhelum district.	Submits a copy of letters from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum and from Mr. Purdon, regarding the fruit and forest trees and agricultural products of the Jhelum district.	Progs. for the week ending 15th April 1854— Nos. 102-103½.
	No. 755, dated 15th April 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards the above letter in original.	
586	No. 3501, dated 29th March 1854 ... From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of Anarkali bungalows.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Captain Fagan, Superintendent, Civil Buildings, soliciting sanction to the payment to Overseer Handy of 5 per cent. on the sale of Anarkali bungalows.	Nos. 108-09.
	No. 759, dated 15th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, requests he will submit a return of the houses sold and the prices realized.	
587	No. 77, dated 30th March 1854 ... From—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Thermal sulphurous source of Lonsah in the Kangra district.	Submits a report on the thermal sulphurous source of Lansah, in the Kangra district.	Nos. 113-A – 113½.
	No. 299-A—762, dated 16th April 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards the report received with the above letter.	
588	No. 64, dated 25th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations in the Cis-Sutlej States.	Reports the result of vaccine operations in his Division for the past month. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 116-17.
589	No. 33, dated 20th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Traffic by boat on the Sutlej.	Submits a statement showing the traffic by boat on the river Sutlej from places within the limits of the Jullundur district.	Nos. 122-23.
590	No. 1243, dated 24th March 1854... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition, 1855.	Forwards a printed despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors respecting the proposed exhibition in Paris in 1855 of works of industry and art of all nations, and requests that the same measures for meeting the wishes of the Hon'ble Court may be adopted as were laid down respecting the exhibition in London.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd April 1854— Nos. 56.
	No. 765, dated 17th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner of the Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter and requests he will be good enough to form a committee and carry out the wishes of Government, as was done in 1850.	

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591	No. 822, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Assistant Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant Chapman's report on the proposed railway in Sind.	Forwards three copies of the late Lieutenant Chapman's report on the proposed railway in Sind, as it may be of use in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd April 1854— Nos. 20—22.
	No. 772, dated 17th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Assistant Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Conveys the Chief Commissioner's thanks for the work received with the above letter.	
	No. 773, dated 17th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards two copies of the above report.	
592	No. 52, dated 5th April 1854 ... From—Lieutenant A. H. Heath. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of timber by Mr. Ter Arratoon.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 584, dated the 27th March 1854, submits his remarks on the statement made by Mr. Arratoon to the effect that he was not permitted to sell his timber to anyone but Captain Maxwell, Executive Engineer at Sialkot.	Nos. 25-6.
	No. 776, dated 18th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. H. Heath.	Ditto	In reply, states that Government are fairly entitled to Mr. Arratoon's wood at the old rates to the extent of any money due by him to Government, and after he has satisfied the Government claim in this manner, he may sell his timber to the best advantage.	
593	No. *Nil*, dated 8th April 1854 ... From—Mr. Ter Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber Agency at Pangi.	Solicits permission to dispose of his timber already felled in any way he may think fit and at any rate he may fix, and intimates his desire to relinquish timber speculation, now that Government have established an agency in Pangi.	Nos. 27—31.
	No. 777, dated 18th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Ter Arratoon.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter addressed to Lieutenant Heath and informs Mr. Arratoon that after he has made over *at the old rate* timber to the extent in full of any money due by him to Government, he will be at liberty to sell his timber at his own rates.	
594	No. 1465, dated 7th April 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road from Kangra to Dharmsala.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 199, dated the 13th March 1854, sanctions an expenditure of Rs. 6,000 for rendering the line of road from Kangra to Dharmsala permanently practicable for camels and elephants.	Nos. 37-8.
	No. 780, dated 18th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	

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595	No. 115, dated 8th April 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Jehangir's tomb and the Bara Dari at the bridge of boats.	Submits correspondence relative to the injury likely to be done by the rise of the river to the tomb of Jehangir at Shahdara and also to the Bara Dari at the head of the bridge of boats across the Ravi. Intimates what measures are proposed to protect these buildings and observes that the probable cost of the works will be about Rs. 6,000, part of which can be defrayed from the Ferry Fund.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd April 1854— Nos. 79-80.
596	No. 807, dated 19th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Protective works sanctioned.	Intimates that the Chief Commissioner approves of all that has been done, and requests that a report may be furnished, when the work is completed.	No. 81.
597	No. 88, dated 4th April 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of a church at Dharmsala.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Kangra, and recommends the grant of Rs. 6,000 towards the erection of a church at Dharmsala.	Nos. 84—6.
	No. 809, dated 19th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Requests that he will submit a list of the Christian residents at Dharmsala and the number for whom the proposed church will be available.	
598	No. 1496, dated 7th April 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of additional police and other public buildings in the Cis-Sutlej States.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 192, dated 10th March 1854, sanctions the construction of the additional police and other public buildings required in the Cis-Sutlej States, at an expenditure of Rs. 40,292.	Nos. 94-5.
	No. 814, dated 19th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter, for his information.	
699	No. 5670, dated 8th April 1854 ... From—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of deodar timber required at Mian Mir.	Reports that the supply of deodar timber received from the Ravi is not sufficient for the military buildings in course of construction at Mian Mir and asks that Lieutenant Heath may be directed to reserve for Captain Sharp a portion of the timber received from the Chenab.	Nos. 101—103.
	No. 817, dated 19th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. H. Heath.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will communicate with Captain Sharp, Executive Engineer at Mian Mir, and give him every aid in his power.	
	No. 818, dated 19th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	

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600	No. 818—821, dated 19th April 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Construction of a sanitarium at Chamba (Dalhousie).	With reference to the erection of a sanitarium at Chamba, reports that the Chief Commissioner instructed the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States, to construct no buildings till the roads leading to the site were complete. Observes that the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, states that instructions have been received by him to erect barracks for a small number of soldiers and that the Chief Commissioner, therefore, enquires what the pleasure of Government may be. Adds that, in his opinion, it would be well to make the road in the first instance, or that, at any rate, he would prohibit European gentlemen resorting to the sanitarium from building houses before the completion of the road.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd April 1854— No. 107.
601	No. 1388, dated 31st March 1854.... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual scheme of public works proposed.	Forwards copies of orders issued to subordinate Governments, requiring the annual submission of a scheme of public works proposed to be undertaken, and requests that the Chief Commissioner will observe them.	Nos. 108—12.
	Nos. 822 to 824, dated 19th April 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Financial Commissioner and Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and recommends, as the best mode of meeting the wishes of Government, that all proposals for public works be prepared and sent in the first instance to this office, for enquiry and registration.	
602	No. 1490, dated 7th April 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cost of bridge across the nalla at Lahore.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 221, dated 21st March 1854, sanctions the cost of the embankment and of the bridge across the nalla at Lahore being debited to the account of the Grand Trunk Road to Peshawar.	Nos. 113-14.
	No. 825, dated 19th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for his information.	
603	No. 3649, dated 13th April 1854 ... From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed dam in the Vidore Pass.	Forwards a copy of a project and plan proposed by Lieutenant Medley, Superintendent, Indus Canals, for damming up a hill stream which issues from the Vidore Pass. Observes that many of these passes are water-courses which, after a fall of rain, convey heavy floods. The velocity of the torrent is often such as to sweep among the lands and ruin the crops. States that, by the proposed dam, it is intended to collect and restrain the waters within the pass, so that they may be used for irrigation.	Nos. 126—30.
	No. 831, dated 20th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Informs the Civil Engineer that the Chief Commissioner approves of the scheme, and that he will recommend it to the Government of India, but enquires whether the alterations and additions he has suggested to Lieutenant Medley will not affect the estimate.	

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604	No. 1533, dated 12th April 1854... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	An ancient Muhammadan bridge across the Aik Nalla at Sialkot.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 228, dated the 25rd March 1854, sanctions the expenditure of Rs. 10,500 for repairs to an ancient Muhammadan bridge across the Aik Nalla at Sialkot.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd April 1854— Nos. 149-50.
	No. 845, dated 22nd April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
605	No. 39, dated 7th April 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of barracks at the sanitarium in Chamba (Dalhousie).	In continuation of letter No. 35, dated 27th March 1854, forwards a copy of a letter from the Superintending Engineer, Punjab Circle, intimating that he has received orders to erect, as speedily as possible, at the sanitarium at Chamba, barracks for 100 invalid soldiers, and that he has taken the necessary steps.	Nos. 158—60.
	No. 326—850, dated 22nd April 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 318, dated 19th April 1854, forwards a copy of the above.	
606	No. 37, dated 10th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Bengal Central Committee for the Paris Exhibition. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition, 1855.	Intimates the arrangements that have been made for carrying out the wishes of the Hon'ble Court of Directors for the collection of works of art and industry of India for transmission to Paris in the spring of 1855.	Nos. 164-65.
	No. 855, dated 22nd April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will give the subject the same attention as he bestowed on it at the time of the London Exhibition.	
607	No. 84, dated 25th April 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Price of *kura* (rubbish) in the Thanesar district.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Thanesar, stating the reasons which induced him to fix the price of *kura* in that district at Rs. 3 per 100 maunds. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 170—72.
608	No. 35, dated 27th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab,	Designation of new sanitarium at Chamba (Dalhousie.)	Solicits instructions as to the designation which the new sanitarium at Chamba should bear. Suggests that it be called the Dalhousie Sanitarium. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 181.

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609	No. 254, dated 22nd March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Registration of boats.	In reply to Circular No. 2, states that the system of registry proposed by the Commissioner in Sind for boats on the Lower Indus ought to be extended to all the rivers in the Punjab, the registry being self supporting and not a source of revenue.	Progs. for the week ending 29th April 1854. Nos. 1-2.
	No. 836, dated 24th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 3642, dated the 14th December 1853, relative to the registration of boats on the rivers in the Punjab, states that the Chief Commissioner has consulted the several Commissioners in the Punjab, four of whom are in favour of the scheme and three against it. All, however, are of opinion that it should not be a source of revenue. Observes that the Chief Commissioner is himself disposed to think that the measure would be unpopular. Asks for further information on certain points.	
610	No. 272, dated 13th April 1854 ... From—Captain Ethersey, I. N., Commanding Indus Flotilla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Duties of the Senior Flotilla Officer and Deputy Superintenden t of Boats, Multan.	Explains the duties of the Senior Flotilla Officer and Deputy Superintendent of Boats at Multan, and requests that they may be made known to the authorities at Multan to prevent any misunderstanding.	Nos. 18—20½.
	No. 867, dated 25th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and requests that intimation of its contents may be clearly given to all officers under his (Commissioner's) orders.	
	No. 868, dated 25th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—Brigadier Wilson, Commanding at Multan.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will explain its contents to all officers under his command.	
	No. 869, dated 25th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Ethersey, I. N.	Ditto	Informs Captain Ethersey of the above communications, and states that the Chief Commissioner gathers from his letter that some misunderstanding has arisen, which, if he will explain, the Chief Commissioner will endeavour to prevent its recurrence.	
611	No. 43, dated 10th April 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of a house at Kangra belonging to Mr. E. C. Bayley for use as a Kacheri.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer, Jullundur Division, giving a description of the house belonging to Mr. E. C. Bayley, late Deputy Commissioner of Kot Kangra, and recommends strongly that the house be purchased by Government for a Kacheri for Rs. 13,000, as Commissioner thinks that it will, on the whole, cost more than that to construct a new building.	Nos. 29—31.

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611—*concld.*	No. 873, dated 25th April 1854 ... From— The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Purchase of a house at Kangra belonging to Mr. E. C. Bayley for use as a Kacheri.	Calls for plan of the building.	Progs. for the week ending 29th April 1854— Nos. 29—31.
612	No. 43-A, dated 13th April 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber Agency at Chamba.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 579, dated the 27th March 1854, forwards a copy of a letter from Major Longden, submitting a list of the establishment he proposes to entertain as Superintendent of the Timber Agency at Chamba, and the rules he has drawn up for the guidance of those connected with the Agency, and solicits sanction to the same.	Nos. 32—5.
	No. 874, dated 25th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, observes that Major Longden can charge for his establishment in contingent bills so long as the amount does not exceed the maximum sanctioned by Government, and adds that when that officer's requirements exceed the amount of the Chamba tribute, it is possible that some of the bankers of the country will accept bills on Kangra or Hoshiarpur. States that the Chief Commissioner is taking the necessary steps for arranging with Maharaja Gulab Singh regarding the transit duty at present levied on timber passing down the Chenab, the produce of British territory, and observes that the Chief Commissioner considers that the rules laid down by Major Longden will work well.	
	No. 875, dated 25th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. Heath, Sialkot.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from the above correspondence and requests he will place himself in communication with Major Longden and afford him all the aid he can.	
613	No. 81, dated 8th April 1854 ... From—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Analysis of Kiranah iron ore.	Reports the result of the analysis of the four specimens of Kiranah iron ore sent to him.	Nos. 43—6.
	No. 345—882, dated 26th April 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and observe that, on his return from Kulu, Monsieur Marcadieu will be requested to proceed to the Kiranah hills and examine the locality.	
	No. 883, dated 26th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Grounds, I. N., Surveying Punjab Rivers.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the report received with the preceding letter.	
	No. 886, dated 26th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the report.	

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614	No. 49, dated 31st March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of cotton presses.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 524, dated the 21st March 1854, states what the price would be of a hydraulic press if sent for from England.	Progs. for the week ending 29th April 1854— Nos. 47—52.
	No. 23, dated 9th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 434, dated the 4th March 1854, states that he has no doubt that if Government would take the initiative in the establishment of a cotton press, the merchants would, in time, procure them for themselves.	
	No. 24, dated 29th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 436, dated the 4th March 1854, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum, to the effect that the establishment of a cotton press would be a benefit to the local merchants.	
	No. 45, dated 9th March 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 433, dated the 4th March 1854, states his reason for believing that the establishment of a screw press at Ferozepore would be of use to the Native merchants.	
	No. 68, dated 21st March 1854 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	States that he is of opinion that a cotton press would be of great use at Ferozepore, and that the Native merchants are anxious to have one.	
	No. 346—385, dated 26th April 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the foregoing letters and solicits sanction to the establishment of a screw press which can be ordered out from England at a cost of £140, exclusive of freight, and which can afterwards be sold to some intelligent Native.	
615	No. 1009, dated 12th April 1854 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams intended for the Punjab wrecked off Katiawar.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 28, dated the 6th January 1854, forwards copy of a letter from the Collector of Customs, regarding the rams for the Punjab having been wrecked off Katiawar.	Nos. 77—9.
	No. 900, dated 27th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply, requests that he will have a boat sent off to bring away from the coast such of the rams as have been saved.	
	No. 901, dated 27th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Mysore.	Ditto	Intimates the loss of the rams, by the wreck of the vessel which conveyed them.	

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616	No. 1626, dated 15th April 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Hot spring at Rewah in Kot Kangra.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 115, dated the 18th February 1854, forwards, for communication to Monsr. Marcadieu, a copy of a letter from the Medical Board, containing their views on the hot mineral spring at Rewah, in the district of Kot Kangra.	Progs. for the week ending 29th April 1854— Nos. 82—4.
	No. 903, dated 27th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
617	No. 1771, dated 15th April 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Extension of the cantonment near Govindgarh. Restoration of land to Raja Tej Singh.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 13, dated the 7th January 1854, regarding the extension of the cantonment near Govindgarh, by which Raja Tej Singh will be a sufferer, forwards a copy of a letter from the Quartermaster-General of the Army, to the effect that His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief has no objection to the restoration of the lands in question, on condition that the Raja will permit them to lie fallow.	Nos. 85—7.
	No. 905, dated 28th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, and requests he will obtain Raja Tej Singh's opinion in writing because, if he consents to the conditions, the Chief Commissioner will apply for the alteration of the cantonment boundary.	
618	No. 78, dated 7th March 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Education in the Punjab.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1870, dated the 14th December 1853, submits a minute and copies of correspondence relative to the advisability of extending to the Punjab the experimental system of education in the North-Western Provinces.	Progs. for the week ending 6th May 1854— Nos. 1—7.
	No. 93, dated 23rd March 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the above, submits a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Peshawar Division, on the subject of education in the Punjab.	
	No. 363—919, dated 1st May 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above letters and submits the opinion of the Chief Commissioner on the subject.	
619	No. 6513, dated 19th April 1854 ... From—The Superintending Engineer, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a kacheri at Simla.	Intimates that a plan for the kacheri proposed to be built at Simla for the Deputy Commissioner has been prepared and approved of by that officer, and that tenders for constructing the building have been invited.	Nos. 8-9.
	No. 364—920, dated 1st May 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and of previous correspondence and recommends the sale of the present kacheri and the construction of a new one at a cost not exceeding Rs. 10,751.	

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620	No. 46, dated 15th April 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation and manufactu r e of indigo in the Jullundur and Hoshiarpur districts.	Forwards copies of reports and correspondence on the subject of the cultivation and manufacture of indigo in the Jullundur and Hoshiarpur districts.	Progs. for the week ending 6th May 1854— Nos. 14—19.
	No. 923, dated 1st May 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will return the enclosures when no longer required.	
621	No. 926, dated 1st May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Merino rams for the Punjab.	Informs the Secretary of the wreck on the 19th January 1854, off the coast of Katiawar, of the vessel on which 27 merino rams for the Punjab were being conveyed. Adds that 6 of these rams are lost, that the rest are now at Verowal, and that the Commissioner in Sind has been requested to send a vessel for them from Karachi.	Nos. 25-6.
	No. 927, dated 1st May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
622	No. *Nil*, dated 3rd April 1854 ... From—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Office establishment of the Chief Commissioner.	Requests that three separate lists, containing the names and full particulars of the office establishment of the Chief Commissioner, may be furnished as soon after 1st May next as practicable.	Nos. 29-30.
	No. 929, dated 1st May 1854 ...	Ditto	Memo. directing the transmission of the required list and of the salary abstract of the Chief Commissioner's office establishment for April 1854.	
623	No. 1669, dated 21st April 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Filling up a swamp between the north face of the citadel of Lahore and the old race course.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's No. 261, dated the 3rd April 1854, conveys sanction to the expenditure of Rs. 2,158-12-0 from the general revenues of the State for filling up a swamp between the north face of the citadel of Lahore and the old race course.	Nos. 34-5.
	No. 932, dated 2nd May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
624	No. 3022, dated 14th April 1854 ... From—The Director, Ganges Canal Works. To—The Secreta to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Ganges canal.	Forwards 125 copies of an account of the Ganges canal.	Nos. 44-5.
	Circular No. 12—936, dated 3rd May 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commmissoner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Circulates copies of the above and requests that Commissioners will distribute them among the native schools and intelligent natives of their Divisions.	

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625	No. 1711, dated 26th April 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a church at Mian Mir.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 227, dated the 22nd March 1854, intimates that the Governor-General in Council approves of the plan and sanctions the estimate amounting to Rs. 43,652 for the construction of one large church at Mian Mir.	Progs. for the week ending 6th May. 1854— Nos. 46—8.
	No. 937, dated 4th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
	No. 938, dated 4th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Sharp, Executive Engineer, Mian Mir.	Ditto	Returns the plans and estimates of the Mian Mir church.	
626	No. *Nil*, dated 25th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Experiment of rearing silkworms	Forwards copy of a resolution of the Society, soliciting the continuance for one year, from 1st March 1854, of the grant per month of Rs. 54, for the experiment of rearing silkworms, and to the reimbursement to the Society of Rs. 321 expended in the erection of sheds, &c.	Nos. 49-50.
	No. 373—939, dated 4th May 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that as the results already obtained by the experiment of rearing silkworms encourage the hopes of its entire success, the Chief Commissioner recommends the application for sanction.	
627	No. 57, dated 22nd April 1854 ... From—Lieutenant A. H. Heath. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of timber. Duty on timber to be paid at Akhnur.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 776, dated the 18th April 1854, states that, so soon as all accounts are settled with Mr. Arratoon, he will cease to interfere in any way. Suggests that, as that gentleman's terms are very extravagant and as the demand for timber for the coming year is very large, a part of the supply be brought from Pangi in the Chamba district. Adds that the amount of duty to be paid at Akhnur to Maharaja Gulab Singh has yet to be fixed.	Nos. 60-61.
	No. 946, dated 5th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. H. Heath.	Ditto	In reply, informs Lieutenant Heath that an establishment is now being organized by Major Longden for the felling of timber in Pangi, and that the Chief Commissioner is in correspondence with Maharaja Gulab Singh on the subject of the duty to be paid at Akhnur.	
628	No. 947, dated 5th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major H E. Longden, Kangra.	Demand for timber at Sialkot and Mian Mir.	Informs Major Longden that the demand for timber at Sialkot for this year is estimated at 1,600 logs and at Mian Mir 3,600 logs at least.	No. 62.
629	*Cancelled.*			

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630	No. 129, dated 22nd April 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a temporary church at Peshawar.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 645, dated the 3rd April 1854, forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner, Peshawar Division, explaining the discrepancy in the sum applied for for the construction of a temporary church at that station, and trusts that the Chief Commissioner will now apply to Government to sanction Rs. 4,414-11-11 for the building.	Progs. for the week ending 16th May 1854— Nos. 63—5.
	No. 376—948, dated 5th May 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secaetary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and previous correspondence and observes that, as it is likely that the permanent church sanctioned for Peshawar will not be ready in less than three years, the Protestant soldiers are left without a place of worship. Adds that Rs. 5,000 are considered sufficient for the erection of a temporary building, from which amount, the sum of Rs. 585-4-1, available from the materials of the church which fell down, being deducted, there remains the amount now applied for. Remarks that there are altogether 1,590 Protestants in Peshawar, and as it is desirable that they should be provided with a place of worship, the Chief Commissioner recommends the grant of Rs. 4,414-11-11.	
631	No. 3381, dated 23rd April 1854 ... From—The Postmaster General, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Zillah Dâks in the North-Western Provinces.	Forwards a copy of correspondence on the subject of Zillah Dâks in the North-Western Provinces.	Nos. 75-6.
	No. 954, dated 6th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Introduction of same system in the Punjab.	Forwards a copy of the above and suggests that the forms and rules therein laid down be introduced into the Punjab generally, since they give no trouble and yet facilitate the despatch of business. Requests he will instruct officers to report when the new system has been introduced.	
632	No. 1729, dated 26th April 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Protection of the Civil Station of Leiah from inundation.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 270, dated the 7th April 1854, sanctions the expenditure of Rs. 2,500 for repairs to, and construction of *bunds* for the protection of the Civil Station of Leiah from inundation.	Nos. 83-4.
	No. 958, dated 6th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
633	No. 3764, dated 26th April 1854 ... From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed dam in the Vidore pass.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 831, dated the 20th April 1854, states that the alterations, &c., he has suggested in Lieutenant Medley's plans for draining the Vidore pass will add materially to the estimate. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 93.
634	No. 151, dated 22nd April 1854 ... From—The Superintendent, Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of a new kacheri at Simla.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant-Colonel Boileau, recommending the erection of a new kacheri at Simla. MEMO —NO ORDER.	No. 98.

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635	No. 86, dated 25th April 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	War loans from Rajas of Patiala and Nabha.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 477, dated the 10th March 1854, relative to the loans from the Rajas of Patiala and Nabha, forwards their replies on the subject of these sums being placed in the 4 per cent. loan. Observes that the Raja of Nabha is decidedly willing to accept of the terms, but the Raja of Patiala suggests some verbal alterations in the agreement, which strike Commissioner as being immaterial.	Progs. for the week ending 13th May 1854— Nos. 5—8.
	No. 380—965, dated 9th May 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, and adds that the Chief Commissioner recommends that the loan of the Nabha Raja be allowed to stand at 4 per cent. interest from 1st July 1854, but that the loan of the Patiala Raja be repaid to him as soon as convenient, as that Chief evidently desires to have his money paid on demand and considers he is doing Government a benefit by leaving it in our treasury.	
636	No. 89, dated 26th April 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Committees for the management of dispensaries in the Cis-Sutlej States.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 3, dated the 19th January 1854, submits the names of certain gentlemen who have formed themselves into Local Committees for the management of dispensaries in his Division.	Nos. 13-14.
	No. 968, dated 9th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	With reference to the appointment of the Reverend J. Jameson as Secretary to the Committee at Ambala, observes that by the Medical Code the Civil Surgeon or Assistant Surgeon of the dispensary should be *ex-officio* Secretary and "will conduct the correspondence of the Committee, and will receive on that account Rs. 30."	
637	No. 524, dated 20th April 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of carriage, &c., for troops on the march.	Forwards copies of correspondence regarding the supply of carriage, &c., for troops on the march, and enquires whether the Chaukidara system exists in the Punjab, and if not, the date on which it was discontinued. Requests, at the same time, that the Chief Commissioner will state whether, in his opinion, the system for supplies to troops advocated by Major Ramsay in the correspondence is adapted to the Punjab.	Nos. 63—5.
	No. 987, dated 11th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will supply the information.	
638	No. 952, dated 2nd May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Discharge of the Irregular Levies employed in the Kohat district.	Forwards documents relative to the discharge of the Irregular Levies employed in the Kohat district and the entertainment of revenue and police establishments.	Nos. 71½-2.

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638—*concld.*	No. 994, dated 11th March 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Discharge of the Irregular Levies employed in the Kohat district.	With reference to the Military Secretary's letter No. 951, dated the 2nd May 1854, regarding schedules of establishments required in the Kohat district, informs the Commissioner that the documents marked A, B and C have been received and requests that he will direct Captain Coke to make certain alterations and additions to them. The Chief Commissioner will then submit them for Government sanction.	Progs. for the week ending 13th May 1854— Nos. 71½-2.
639	No. 1724, dated 26th April 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams required to improve the breed in the Punjab.	With reference to letter No. 3200, dated the 22nd July 1853, relative to merino rams required to improve the breed in the Punjab, forwards a copy of a letter from the Colonial Secretary at Sydney on the subject.	Nos. 74—6.
	No. 996, dated 11th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
64	No. 3782, dated 26th April 1854 ... From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of the Anarkali buildings.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 759, dated 15th April 1854, relative to the proposition to give to the Overseer who acted as auctioneer at the sale of the Anarkali buildings a percentage, states that the entire sum realized by the sale was Rs. 5,450.	Nos. 84-5.
	No. 1001, dated 13th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, sanctions the grant of a percentage of Rs. 5 on the amount realized by the sale of the Anarkali bungalows, but observes that it must not be considered as a precedent.	
641	No. 88, dated 26th April 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a new kacheri at Simla.	With reference to letter No. 112, dated the 20th January 1854, respecting the kacheri at Simla, forwards a copy of a letter addressed to Lord W. Hay, calling for a plan and estimate for repairs required to the present building, together with an estimate for a new one. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 101—05.
	No. 608, dated 21st April 1854 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Control and management of the Public Works Department.	Forwards a copy of G. O. G. G., detailing the scheme for the control and management of the Public Works Department.	
642	No. 74, dated 4th May 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Central Committee of Works of Arts and Industry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition, 1855.	Forwards lists of articles manufactured in the Punjab and Kashmir and requests that immediate instructions may be issued for their preparation, with any other articles which it may be considered desirable to forward to the Paris Exhibition.	Progs. for the week ending 20th May 1854— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 1005, dated 15th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will carry out the wishes of the Committee.	

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643	No. 147, dated 4th May 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a road from Kohat to Hangu.	Forwards copies of correspondence with the Commissioner of the Peshawar Division, relative to the construction of a road from Kohat to Hangu. In July 1853 the Chief Commissioner directed Major Edwardes to have plans and estimates for the road prepared, pending an application to Government. The amount now asked for is Rs. 64,240, if permanent bridges are to be constructed, and Rs. 40,205, if the bridges are to be only temporary; but as the road is a necessary one, Judicial Commissioner considers it better to make it permanent and, therefore, recommends that sanction be solicited for the former amount.	Progs. for the week ending 20th May 1854—Nos. 21—5.
644	No. 1018, dated 15th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Judicial Commissioner that Government sanction in general terms for the construction of a road was sent to the Commissioner of Peshawar in August 1853. The Chief Commissioner will now submit an application for the full amount of the estimate.	
	No. 1019, dated 15th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Enquires whether letter No. 684, dated the 22nd August 1853, from this office, forwarding Government letter regarding Meeranzie and the road from Kohat to Hangu, has been received in his office.	
645	No. 398—1020, dated 15th May 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter from the Judicial Commissioner and recommends that all the bridges be constructed permanently and that, therefore, the estimate for Rs. 64,240 be sanctioned.	
646	No. 399—1023, dated 16th May 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	New station in the Chamba hills to be named "Dalhousie."	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, soliciting instructions as to the name which should be given to the new station in the Chamba hills. Suggests, for reasons assigned, that the station be called "Dalhousie."	No. 28.
647	No. 3816, dated 28th April 1854 ... From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Opening of the road from Haripur to Kala Sarai for wheeled traffic.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Morrison, Assistant Civil Engineer, Hazara, reporting that the road from Haripur to Kala Sarai is now open for wheeled traffic.	Nos. 48-9.
	No. 405—1034, dated 16th May 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	

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648	No. 100, dated 5th May 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations in the Simla district. A system of inoculation known as "*Choup.*"	Forwards a copy of Lieutenant Connon's vaccine report, with a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, and observes, with regard to the former, that he considers the result of the vaccine operations highly creditable. Calls attention to a system of inoculation existing in the hills called "*Choup*" which, so far from arresting the spread of small-pox, tends to propagate it, and therefore recommends that the system be prohibited.	Progs. for the week ending 20th May 1854— Nos. 94—8.
	No. 413—1071, dated 18th May 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Opposition shown by Raja of Sirmur. Assistance rendered by Rana of Keonthal.	Forwards a copy of the above and calls attention to the conduct of the Raja of Sirmur and the opposition offered by him to the exertions of Dr. Connon. Proposes that a letter expressive of the dissatisfaction of Government be sent him. Observes that, on the other hand, the conduct of the Rana of Keonthal deserves to be applauded and proposes that a letter to this effect be forwarded to him.	
649	No. 53, dated 5th May 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	European residents and visitors to Dharmsala for whom a church is required.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 809, dated the 19th April 1853, submits a list of residents and visitors to Dharamsala for whom a church is required.	Nos. 99—101.
	No. 415—1072, dated 18th May 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of letter No. 38, dated the 4th April 1854, and states that the probable cost of the church is Rs. 6,000 and that the funds collected by private subscription amount to only Rs. 2,459-8-0. States that the application of the Commissioner is moderate (Rs. 3,000) and recommends that it be granted to aid in the building of a church at Dharamsala.	
650	No. 52, dated 3rd May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Location of a Gurkha regiment at Murree.	Forwards a despatch from the Quarter-master-General of the Army, and requests that the necessary instructions may be issued for making over the spot selected for the location of the Gurkha regiment at Murree, and authorizes the expenditure of Rs. 5,000 in the construction of the necessary road.	Nos. 112—15.
	No. 1079, dated 20th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department.	Ditto	In reply, returns the original enclosures and states that arrangements have been made for carrying out the measures alluded to.	
	No. 1080, dated 20th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Directs the Commissioner to make early arrangements for making over the site for the Gurkha cantonment to the Military authorities.	
	No. 1081, dated 20th May 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab.	Ditto	Requests that the Chief Engineer will proceed at once with the road to Murree.	

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651	No. 42, dated 10th April 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rearing of silkworms in Kangra.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Kot Kangra, descriptive of the present state of the experiment set on foot for the rearing of silkworms. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 20th May 1854. No. 126.
652	No. 154, dated 12th May 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Preparation of "wood-wool" from the leaves of pine trees.	Forwards a letter from the Commissioner of the Multan Division, with an extract from Hooker's Botany, regarding the preparation of "wood-wool" from the leaves of pine trees. Recommends that Government be moved to obtain full information on the subject, as he considers it one of great importance and utility to our jails near which the *pinus longifolia* can be obtained.	Progs. for the week ending 27th May 1854— Nos. 26—8.
	No. 432—1105, dated 23rd May 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and recommends the proposition for the consideration of Government, as the Chief Commissioner considers that the introduction of the process into this country would prove most useful.	
653	No. 1882, dated 5th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Statue of the Hindu demi-god Baldeo discovered in Hazara.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 287, dated the 12th April 1854, states that a reference will be made to the Hon'ble Court of Directors, regarding the statue of the Hindu demi-god Baldeo, lately discovered by Lieutenant Pearse in Hazara.	Nos. 32-8.
	No. 1107, dated 23rd May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
654	No. 44, dated 14th April 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Furnaces for melting iron ore.	In continuation of letter No. 66, dated the 19th August 1853, forwards copies of correspondence with M. Marcadieu, relative to the iron furnaces necessary for melting iron ore at the mines at Biri, and sends diagrams of the ore-crushing machine and furnace referred to therein.	Nos. 46—8.
	No. 444—1115, dated 25th May 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Encouragement of private enterprise. Mr. Coates of Ferozepore.	Forwards a copy of the above letter and enclosures, together with sketches, and enquires whether it would be desirable for the Government to undertake the experiment on its own account or encourage private speculation. States that Mr. Coates, an enterprising mechanic at Ferozepore, has turned his attention to the subject and proposes visiting the mines and instituting certain enquiries. Recommends that the Deputy Commissioner of Kangra be directed to afford him all the assistance in his power.	

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655	No. 46, dated 9th May 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prices of sugar, cotton and indigo, and progress in tree planting in Khangarh.	In reply to Circular No. 13, forwards copy of a report from the Deputy Commissioner of Khangarh, showing the quantity and market prices of sugar, cotton and indigo, and the progress made in planting trees.	Progs. for the week ending 27th May 1854— Nos. 69-70½.
	No. 1176, dated 26th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards the report received with the preceding, and requests he will return it when no longer required.	
656	No 103, dated 10th May 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on dispensaries in the Cis-Sutlej States in 1853.	Forwards, in original, letters from district offices reporting on the management of their dispensaries in 1853, and states that the report from Simla has not yet been received.	Nos. 72-3.
	No. 1128, dated 26th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Communicates the remarks of the Chief Commissioner on the various reports received with his letter.	
657	No. 138, dated 13th May 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Permanent supply of wood fuel for steamers.	Calls attention to the suggestion contained in his letter No. 251 of 1851, for ensuring a permanent supply of wood to be used as fuel for steamers.	Nos. 81-2.
	No. 1132, dated 27th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, and informs him that Dr. Stock, Curator of Forests in Sind, was addressed on the subject by the late Board of Administration, but no reply has ever been received. Requests, therefore, that he will obtain the information required from the officer in charge of woods and forests.	
658	Circular No. 18½—1135, dated 27th May 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Conversion of *kallar* or *reh* into marketable salt.	Circulates an extract from a demi-official letter from Dr. Fleming, and requests that whenever the effloresce (*reh* or *kallar*) alluded to therein abounds in his Division, experiments may be made with the view of ascertaining whether salt of marketable value can be produced.	No. 87.
659	No. 457—1136, dated 27th May 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Dr. Fleming's report on the geological structure and mineral wealth of the Salt Range.	Requests the sanction of the Government of India to the publication, in the Selections from Punjab Correspondence, of Dr. Fleming's report on the geological structure and mineral wealth of the Salt Range in the Punjab.	Nos. 88-9.
660	No. 13, dated 15th May 1854 ... From—Lieutenant C. Hill, Superintendent, Ravi Timber Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Progress report of Ravi Timber Agency.	Submits progress reports of the Agency for February, March and April 1854. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 104—07

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661	No. 89, dated 13th May 1854 ... From—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines in Kulu.	Reports that, during his short stay at Kulu, he has discovered two iron mines of the richest description.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd June 1854— Nos. 20—22.
	No. 1149, dated 29th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, requests that he will, for the future, correspond through the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States.	
	No. 1150, dated 29th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter from the Geological Surveyor and requests that he will point out, as nearly as he can, the situation of the mines, and any other information he may be able to obtain.	
662	No. 2197, dated 19th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Experiments in rearing silkworms.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 373, dated the 4th May 1854, sanctions the continuance, for a further period of one year, of the allowance of Rs. 54 per month for the rearing of silkworms and the reimbursement to the Agri-Horticultural Society of Rs. 321 expended in erecting sheds for the worms.	Nos. 29-30.
	No. 1155, dated 30th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
663	No. *Nil*, dated 19th May 1854 ... From—The Assistant in charge Electric Telegraph Office, Ludhiana. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Communication of all news to the Chief Commissioner.	Intimates that he has been desired to send to him (Secretary to the Chief Commissioner) all the news which may be received at his office and to attend to all requisitions for transmitting messages elsewhere.	Nos. 31-2.
	No. 1156, dated 30th May 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Assistant in charge Electric Telegraph Office, Ludhiana.	Ditto	Conveys the Chief Commissioner's thanks for the intimation contained in the above letter.	
664	No. 2152, dated 19th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron ore discovered in the Jhang district.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 345, dated the 26th April 1854, states that Government will look with much interest for M. Marcadieu's report on the iron ore discovered by Lieutenant Grounds in the Jhang district.	Nos. 54—6.
	No. 474—1170, dated 2nd June 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of a printed memo. by Dr. Fleming on the iron ore of Kiranah, from which it will be perceived that Dr. Fleming was the original discoverer of the ore.	

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665	No. 353, dated 23rd May 1854 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Completion of the church at Sialkot.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer at Sialkot, reporting the completion of the church at Sialkot, with the exception of the terraced floor.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd June 1854— Nos. 60-61.
	No. 475—1173, dated 3rd June 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
666	No. 485, dated 13th May 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of barracks at the sanitarium in Chamba (Dalhousie).	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 318, dated the 19th April 1854, authorizes the Chief Commissioner to delay the erection of barracks at the sanitarium at Chamba till the road leading thereto has been completed.	Nos. 70—72.
	Nos. 1177-8, dated 3rd June 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab, and the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
667	No. 111, dated 19th May 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Discovery of a flight of steps along one side of the Kulchhetar, or Holy Tank, at Thanesar.	Reports the discovery by Captain Larkins, Deputy Commissioner of Thanesar, of a magnificent flight of steps of great antiquity running for the length of a mile along one side of the Kulchhetar, or Holy Tank, at Thanesar, and with reference to the orders of Government relative to the restoration and preservation of the works of former dynasties, solicits sanction to the expenditure of Rs. 1,000 to clear away the deposit of 8 feet of earth which at present covers these steps.	Nos. 75—7.
	No. 480—1180, dated 3rd June 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and recommends that the application for Rs. 1,000 be sanctioned.	
	No. 1277, dated 8th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams for the Punjab	Intimates that the Deputy Collector of Customs at Karachi has been requested to despatch a boat to bring away such of the rams as have survived shipwreck MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	
668	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd May 1854 ... From—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary to the Committee for the selection of articles for the Paris Exhibition. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition, 1855.	Requests that the Chief Commissioner will obtain from the Maharaja of Kashmir and the Nawab of Bahawalpur samples of the produce of their dominions.	Progs. for the week ending 10th June 1854— Nos. 10—12.
	No. 1189, dated 5th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary at Calcutta for the selection of articles.	Ditto	Informs him that a committee has been formed in Lahore for the collection of works of art and industry for the Paris Exhibition. Explains that the time for procuring the finest description of shawls from Kashmir is too short, but every possible exertion will be made to obtain a handsome collection.	

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668—*concld.*	No. 1190, dated 5th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq.	Paris Exhibition, 1855.	Informs Mr. Cope that the Chief Commissioner has addressed Maharaja Gulab Singh in the same terms as were employed on the occasion of the London Exhibition, but it has been requested, that, if possible, the contributions for the display of 1855 should even outshine those which excited so much admiration in 1851.	Progs. for the week ending 10th June 1854— Nos. 10—12.
669	No. 2194, dated 9th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of present Kacheri at Simla and erection of a new one.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 364, dated the 1st May 1854, sanctions the sale of the present Kacheri at Simla and the erection of a new one, at a cost not exceeding Rs. 10,751.	Nos. 38-9
	No. 1208, dated 6th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
670	No. 51, dated 27th May 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Permission asked for by the Commissioner of Lahore to reside at Dharmsala from 20th August to 20th October.	Requests permission to be absent from his Division from the 20th August to 20th October next, during which period he would wish to reside at Dharmsala, carrying on all his duties as usual. Explains that his health has suffered from pressure of work and the heat of the climate and that he is, therefore, desirous to pass the time specified above in a cooler climate.	Nos. 55-6.
	No. 487—1220, dated 7th June 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and recommends that the application be sanctioned as a special case. Since Mr. Raikes' health is not strong, though equal to the highly efficient discharge of his duties, any moderate indulgence such as that now solicited would prevent his being compelled to go on leave.	
671	Nos. 1226-7, dated 7th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Leiah and Peshawar Divisions.	Substitution of Urdu for Persian in the Leiah and Peshawar Divisions.	Enquires whether, in their opinion, it would not be advisable to substitute the Urdu for the Persian language in their courts.	Nos. 67-8.
672	No. 960, dated 27th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of a new Kacheri at Simla and sale of the old building.	With reference to letter No. 2194, dated the 19th May 1854, requests that the Chief Engineer may be instructed to sell the old and to erect the new Kacheri at Simla.	Nos. 118 -20.
	No. 1259, dated 10th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and states that the Chief Engineer has been instructed to carry out the directions therein contained.	
	No. 1260, dated 10th June 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests that the Chief Engineer will issue the necessary instructions.	

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673	No. 541, dated 29th May 1854 .. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road from Kohat to Hangu.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1019, dated the 15th May 1854, states that the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 684, dated the 22nd August 1853, was received by Colonel Mackeson, but not forwarded to Captain Coke, and it has now been found in a bundle of Miranzai papers. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 10th June 1854— No. 1204.
674	No. *Nil*, dated 30th May 1854 ... From—The Assistant in charge of the Electric Telegraph. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Shipping news received by telegraph.	Forwards items of shipping news received by telegraph MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 122.
675	No. *Nil*, dated 1st June 1854 ... From—The Assistant in charge of the Electric Telegraph. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Items of Home and Foreign intelligence received per telegraph	Forwards items of Home and Foreign intelligence received per telegraph. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 124.
676	No. *Nil*, dated 27th May 1854 ... From—The Assistant in charge of the Electric Telegraph. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Items of shipping intelligence received per telegraph.	Forwards items of shipping intelligence. MEMO. -NO ORDER.	No. 127.
677	No. 174, dated 1st June 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Masonry bridge across the Ban Ganga at Kangra.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, relating to the cost of throwing a masonry bridge of 83 feet span across the Ban Ganga at Kangra. Observes that the entire outlay has been Rs. 26,081-15-10, of which a sum of Rs. 8,000 has been contributed by Rattan Chand, Dahriwala Proposes that Government be solicited to advance a similar amount, the balance being defrayed from the Local Funds at Kangra, Hoshiarpur and Jullundur, the inhabitants of all which places benefit by this bridge.	Progs. for the week ending 17th June 1854— Nos. 6—8.
	No. 507—1203, dated 12th June 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and observes that the Chief Commissioner considers the bridge in question a work of great importance, opening up as it does, with the bridge at Ranital, communications between Joalla Mukhi and Kangra and enabling troops and guns to move up into the centre of the Kangra valley. Supports the recommendations of the Judicial Commissioner and proposes that the thanks of Government be conveyed to Rattan Chand for his public spirited conduct.	
678	No. 2304, dated 26th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Specimens of fossils and minerals collected by Dr. Fleming.	With reference to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1264, dated the 16th December 1852, regarding specimens of fossils and minerals collected by Dr. Fleming, forwards an extract from a letter from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, commending the skill and industry exhibited by that gentleman in making the collection.	Nos. 19—21.
	No. 1269, dated 13th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. A. Fleming, Chupra.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	

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679	No. 221, dated 2nd June 1854 ... From—The Superintendent, Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of coolies from Hill States for the Tibet road.	Forwards a copy of a Government letter expressive of the dissatisfaction of the Governor-General in Council at the slow progress made in the construction of the Tibet road, and requests that coolies may be supplied from the Hill States of Mandi, Suket and Kulu to work on that portion of the road most adjacent to their houses.	Progs. for the week ending 17th June 1854— Nos. 29—31.
	No 1273, dated 13th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Hill States.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Superintendent that the Chief Commissioner has instructed the Commissioner, Trans Sutlej States, to make arrangements for supplying the required number of labourers.	
	No. 1274, dated 13th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from the preceding letter from the Superintendent, Hill States, and requests that Commissioner will make the necessary arrangements for supplying Lord Hay with the required number of workmen.	
680	No. 1565, dated 30th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Arrival of merino rams from Verawal.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Customs, reporting the arrival of the merino rams by boat from Verawal and stating that, of the ten which have been saved from the wreck, one is in a dying state and the rest in a miserable condition and recommending that they be detained at Karachi till restored to health.	Nos. 41—3.
	No. 1279, dated 14th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply, requests that the rams may be kept at Karachi till restored to health and that any cost incurred will be remitted by draft so soon as the amount is intimated.	
681	No. 2313, dated 30th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on specimens of wool.	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, relative to the report by Dr. Royle on the specimens of wool forwarded for examination by the Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Nos. 64-5.
	No. 1292, dated 15th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for information.	
682	No. 2378, dated 30th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a Roman Catholic priest at Murree.	States that the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to sanction the appointment of a Roman Catholic priest at Murree on a salary of Rs. 100 per month.	Nos. 84-5.
	No. 1303, dated 17th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	

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683	No. 197, dated 23rd May 1854 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Administration of the Peshawar district.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 981, dated the 28th December 1853, forwards copies of correspondence with the Commissioner of Peshawar, regarding the administration of that district MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 17th June 18 4— Nos. 94-5.
684	No. 2389, dated 2nd June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dharamsala church.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 415, dated the 18th May 1854, states that Government decline to sanction the grant of Rs. 3,000 for a church at Dharamsala.	Progs. for the week ending 24th June 1854— Nos. 8-9.
	No. 1310, dated 19th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
685	No. 1314, dated 19th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Cantonment and Civil Station at Dera Ghazi Khan.	Informs the Commissioner that Government have decided on concentrating all the troops at Dera Ghazi Khan on one spot near the court-house and jail. The Chief Commissioner considers it advisable that the Civil Officers and their establishments should also be located on the same side of the town, and requests that he will see that this is done and that he will make arrangements for the whole of the ground on the south side of Dera Ghazi Khan being given up for agriculture.	No. 14.
686	No. 690, dated 9th June 1854 ... From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a temporary road to Chamba (Dalhousie).	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1177, states that as it will take a long time before the estimate for the road to Chamba can be ready, solicits sanction to the construction of a temporary one sufficient for laden mules.	Nos. 26-7.
	No. 1322, dated 20th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's sanction to the construction of a temporary road, as proposed.	
687	No. 2416, dated 2nd June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New sanitarium in the Chamba hills, to be named "Dalhousie."	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 399, dated the 16th May 1854, conveys the assent of the Governor-General in Council to the new sanitarium in the Chamba hills being called Dalhousie.	Nos. 37-8.
	No. 1328, dated 20th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	

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688	No. 60, dated 5th June 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Formation of a Council of Regency at Chamba.	Announces the removal from office of Bhagah, Wazir of Chamba, and the formation of a Council of Regency to enquire into the state of the public revenue and to adjust and arrange the affairs of that principality.	Progs. for the week ending 24th June 1854— Nos. 44-5.
	No. 540—1333, dated 21st June 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above. The Chief Commissioner is of opinion that the young Raja of Chamba will in a short time rejoice at the removal from office of Bhagah whose object was to keep him in a state of pupilage. Adds that the Chief Commissioner proposes to require Bhagah to reside at Lahore for a year or two, and to prohibit the return to Chamba of his relatives and friends until order is restored in that principality.	
689	No. *Nil*, dated 13th June 1854 ... From Mr. Ter Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Seizure of logs belonging to Mr. Ter Arratoon by the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum.	States that the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum has seized several logs of timber belonging to him because they bear a mark different from that he formerly used. Explains his reasons for adopting a new mark, and requests the interference of the Chief Commissioner.	Nos. 52-3.
	No. 1337, dated 21st June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Ter Arratoon.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Ter Arratoon that any complaint he may have to prefer against Captain Browne, Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum, should be addressed to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	
690	No. 1637, dated 7th June 1854 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Roads in Bahawalpur.	Forwards extract from a letter from the Postmaster in Sind, relative to the excellent road in course of construction in the territories of the Nawab of Bahawalpur.	Nos. 63—5.
	No. 1344, dated 22nd June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the Nawab has been addressed in terms commendatory of what he has already done, and suggesting that the further improvements proposed by the Postmaster be carried out.	
691	No. 61, dated 7th June 1851 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for parties visiting Chamba and the Kangra hills.	In consequence of a military officer having refused to conform to the rules laid down for the guidance of parties visiting Chamba and the Kangra district, the Commissioner requests that the Military authorities may be moved to issue an order enjoining officers entering the district to report themselves to the District Officer.	Nos. 80—82
	No. 541—1355, dated 24th June 1851. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of the notification alluded to therein. The Chief Commissioner considers the rules to be essential for the prevention of oppression, and, therefore, recommends the issue of an order in the Military Department, requiring obedience on the part of officers to the rules in question.	

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692	No. 55, dated 9th June 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Restoration to Raja Tej Singh of ground adjoining the Govindgarh cantonment.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1217, dated the 7th June 1854, states that, owing to the absence of Raja Tej Singh from Lahore, he has not yet obtained the written stipulation relative to the ground adjoining the Govindgarh cantonment being permitted to lie fallow. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 24th June 1854— No. 98.
693	No. 718, dated 10th June 1854 ... From—The Civil Engineer of the Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Extraction of tar from deodar wood.	Forwards a copy of a memo. by Mr. Smithe, Assistant Civil Engineer, on the method adopted for extracting tar from chips of deodar wood MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 101-02.
694	No. 57, dated 10th June 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Substitution of Urdu for Persian in Dera Ghazi Khan courts.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ghazi Khan, soliciting permission to substitute Urdu for Persian as the language of the courts in his district.	Progs. for the week ending 1st July 1854— Nos. 1—3.
	No. 1359, dated 26th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	In reply, sanctions the proposed substitution.	
695	No. 2162, dated 9th June 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed construction of a road from Kohat to Hangu.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 398, dated the 15th May 1854, states that the proposal to construct a road from Kohat to Hangu will be referred for the consideration of the Hon'ble Court of Directors.	Nos. 4-5.
	No. 545—1360, dated 26th June 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, states that the work on the road has been in progress a considerable time, and the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that to discontinue it would not be advisable. Suggests, therefore, that the earthwork, which is estimated at something under Rs. 36,000, be allowed to proceed.	
696	No. 2049, dated 12th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of postage stamps.	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Director-General of Post Offices in India, regarding the distribution and sale of postage stamps.	Nos. 6—11½.
	No. 183, dated 5th June 1854 ... From—The Director-General of Post Offices in India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Intimates that postage stamps will be despatched to the several treasuries as per enclosed list, and requests that instructions may be issued for the disposal of them in the manner detailed.	
	Circular No. 16—1361, dated 26th June 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter, with five copies of the rules in vernacular, and requests that Commissioners will enjoin strict adherence to them by District Officers.	
	No. 1361½, dated 26th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	A similar letter.	

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697	No. 2280, dated 26th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Rules for Simla Local Committee	States that no copy of the rules for Simla accompanied letter No. 409, dated the 8th July 1853, and requests, therefore, that a revised copy of those now approved of by the Chief Commissioner may be forwarded.	Progs. for the week ending 1st July 1854— Nos. 12—14.
	No. 547—1362, dated 26th June 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the revised set of rules and solicits instructions as to certain modifications proposed in rule 8. Recommends that, for the future, all the Government establishments at Simla be paid from the Government Revenues, the debt of the Local Fund of Rs. 10,000 being cancelled.	
698	No. 2503, dated 9th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dr. Connon's vaccine report. Interference by Government in Native States *ultra vires*.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 41[illegible], dated the 18th May 1854, forwarding Dr. Connon's vaccine report, states, with reference to the complaint of the opposition met with from the Raja of Sirmur, that the Government of India does not, in the opinion of the Governor-General in Council, possess the right or the power to prevent inoculation in territory which is not its own.	Nos. 15-16.
	No. 1365, dated 26th June 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
699	No. 60, dated 13th June 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Substitution of Urdu for Persian in the Leiah Division.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1226, dated the 7th June 1854, states that the Urdu language might with advantage be substituted for Persian in the courts throughout his Division.	Nos. 24-5.
	No. 1367, dated 27th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	In reply, sanctions the substitution proposed.	
700	No. 192, dated 19th June 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Condition of the Simla school.	Forwards a copy of correspondence from the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, relative to the condition of the Simla school, and requests sanction to the expenditure of Rs. 400, in addition to the Rs. 250 which has already been sanctioned for the building.	Nos. 36—8.
	No. 1373, dated 28th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, sanctions the proposed expenditure.	

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701	No. 532, dated 1st April 1854 ... From—The Officiating Junior Secretary, Revenue Board. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Jury Reports by the Royal Commissioners of the Great London Exhibition, 1851.	Intimates despatch of 12 copies of the Jury Reports awarded by the Royal Commissioners of the Great Exhibition.	Progs. for the week ending 1st July 1854— Nos. 41—6.
	No. 1375, dated 28th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Junior Secretary, Revenue Board.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the Reports.	
	Nos. 1376—8, dated 28th June 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—R. Montgomery, Esq., H. Cope, Esq., and Major J. Abbott, Ishapur.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the Report.	
	No. 1379, dated 28th June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards 6 copies of the above Report, for distribution to certain Native Chiefs.	
702	No. 54, dated 6th June 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Steam vessels in use in Australia suitable for Punjab rivers.	In continuation of letter No. 16, forwards two drawings of the steam vessels in use in Australia, which Mr. G. Palmer considers so well suited for the rivers in the Punjab.	Nos. 47-8.
	No. 556—138:, dated 29th June 1851 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and the sketches, for the information of Government.	
703	No. 60, dated 21st June 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road from Amritsar to Wazirabad, *vid* Eminabad.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar, furnishing the information required by the Hon'ble Court of Directors regarding the cost of constructing the road from Amritsar to Wazirabad, *vid* Eminabad, *viz.*, Rs. 6,158-0-5.	Progs. for the week ending 8th July 1854— Nos. 13-14.
	No. 563—1396, dated 3rd July 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for the information of Government.	
704	No. *Nil*, dated 21st June 1854 ... From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of flax. Rewards proposed.	Forwards a report on the subject of flax and requests that Government may be solicited to procure from England, free of charge, 5 tons of flax seed and certain implements required for the cultivation of the same. Also recommends that rewards on a graduated scale be awarded to those who cultivate the largest quantity.	Nos. 56-7.
	No. 573—1417, dated 4th July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, and recommends that the application therein contained be complied with, though, as regards the proposed rewards, the Chief Commissioner thinks that small rewards distributed by the District Officers would answer the purpose better.	

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705	No. 575—1418, dated 4th July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Abolition of the duty on timber cut in British territory and passing through Kashmir territory.	Forwards translation of a document drawn up with Maharaja Gulab Singh, setting forth the circumstances connected with the abolition of the duty on timber cut in British territory, but floated down the Chenab, thus passing through a portion of His Highness' territory.	Progs. for the week ending 8th July 1854— Nos. 58—63.
	No. 1419, dated 4th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the same document, for his information and for the guidance of Major Longden and his subordinates. Requests that that officer will, on the arrival of His Highness' Agent, draw up the necessary rules for instruction of the subordinate establishment.	
	No. 1420, dated 4th July 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. Heath.	Ditto	Forwards a Vernacular Proceeding, setting forth the circumstances under which Maharaja Gulab Singh agrees to relinquish the duty hitherto levied on timber passing through his territory.	
	No. 1421, dated 4th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. Heath.	Ditto Demands for labour from Kashmir State prohibited.	With reference to his demand for labourers from the territories of His. Highness Maharaja Gulab Singh, informs Lieutenant A. Heath that the Chief Commissioner is averse to it, and directs him invariably to make his own arrangements to procure them.	
	No. 1422, dated 4th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a Vernacular Proceeding on the foregoing subject.	
706	No. 193, dated 21st June 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Metalling road from cantonment to city of Ferozepore and prolongation of the same to Khundah. (Grand Trunk Road).	Forwards correspondence relative to metalling a line of road from the cantonment to the city of Ferozepore and from the town to Khundah. States that he considers the line very necessary, as at present there are serious impediments to trade.	Nos. 69—71.
	No. 1425, dated 4th July 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the construction of a branch road from the cantonment to the city of Ferozepore and its prolongation to Khundah, both lines being considered parts of the Grand Trunk Road.	
707	No. 676, dated 21st June 1854 ... From—The Quartermaster-General of the Army. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Necessity for a road between Khudian and the bridge-of-boats at Ganda Singhwala sarai.	Brings to notice the inconvenience complained of by officers for the want of a marked out and made road between Khudian and the bridge-of-boats at Ganda Singhwala sarai, opposite to Ferozepore.	Nos. 72—4.
	No. 1426, dated 4th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner will carry out, as far as practicable, the orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.	

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707—*concld.*	No. 1427, dated 4th July 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Necessity for a road between Khudian and the bridge-of-boats at Ganda Singh-wala sarai.	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter from the Quartermaster-General and requests that he will be so good as to meet the wishes of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief as far as practicable.	Progs. for the week ending 8th July 1854— Nos. 72—4.
708	No. 77, dated 24th June 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on dispensaries in the Multan Division.	Submits his report on the dispensaries in his Division.	Nos. 75—80.
	No. 1428, dated 4th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto Erection of a new dispensary at Multan.	In reply, authorizes the erection of a new dispensary at Multan at a cost of Rs. 500, the plan adopted by Dr. Farquhar being adhered to, and due regard being had to the selection of the site. Observes that the Chief Commissioner does not consider the progress made satisfactory, and requests that a reference may be made to the Superintending Surgeon to provide a native doctor better fitted for his post than the present one.	
	Circular No. 17—1429, dated 4th July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Cammissioners (except Cis-Sutlej States and Multan).	Reports on dispensaries.	Requests that they will submit, as early as practicable, their reports on the dispensaries in their Divisions.	
	No. 1430, dated 4th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Mian Mir.	System adopted by Sub-Assistant Surgeon Jadut Chandar Ghose for the cure of snake bite.	With reference to the report drawn up by Sub-Assistant Surgeon Jadut Chandar Ghose at Gugera, relative to the system adopted by him for the cure of snake bite, requests that the Superintending Surgeon will state his opinion on it.	
709	No. 2712, dated 23rd June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Expenditure on clearing out the Holy Tank at Thanesar.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 480, dated the 3rd June 1854, sanctions the grant of Rs. 2,000 towards clearing out the Holy Tank at Thanesar, conditionally that the people co-operate in accomplishing the work.	Nos. 121-22.
	No. 1457, dated 6th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
710	No. 62, dated 24th June 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Staple articles of commerce in Gujranwala.	With reference to Circular No. 13, dated 22nd September 1853, forwards a copy of a report by the Deputy Commissioner of Gujranwala on the staple articles of commerce of that district.	Nos. 123—25.
	No. 1458, dated 6th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esquire, Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards the report in original, for the information of the Society.	

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711	No. 1724, dated 15th June 1854 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of fuel for river steamers.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1132, dated the 27th May 1854, forwards a report by the Ranger of the Forests in Sind, suggesting a plan for ensuring a permanent supply of fuel for river steamers.	Progs. for the week ending 8th July 1854— Nos. 131—34.
	No. 1462, dated 6th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, and requests him to make arrangements for forming plantations of tamarisk and *bubbul* along the banks of the rivers, as suggested by the Forest Ranger.	
	No. 1463, dated 6th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above report, and requests that he will state whether, in his opinion, it would be feasible to form similar plantations in his Division.	
712	Circular No. 18—1468, dated 7th July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Restriction of use of public tents in the rainy season.	Informs all Commissioners that the Chief Commissioner directs that public tents should not be used in the rainy season, except in case of actual emergency.	No. 142.
713	No. 2677, dated 23rd June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Objections to the establishment of a screw press for cotton, wool, etc.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 346, dated the 26th April 1854, regarding the establishment of a screw press for packing cotton, wool, etc., states that the objections to a hydraulic press are that, in consequence of its complicated machinery, it is apt to be put out by being worked by inexperienced hands, and if any part of it were damaged or broken, the machine would be useless till duplicates were obtained from England. Requests that the Chief Commissioner will obtain the opinion of Mr. Edgeworth and other competent persons and submit them for the consideration of Government.	Progs. for the week ending 15th July 1854— Nos. 5½—7.
	No. 1480, dated 10th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. P. Edgeworth, Esq., Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	With reference to previous correspondence, relative to the establishment of a hydraulic press in the Punjab, forwards a copy of the above and requests he will submit his opinion on the objections therein contained and also whether a more simple machine would not be preferable and sufficient for all practical purposes.	
	No. 1481, dated 10th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and calls for his opinion on the subject.	
714	No. 78, dated 29th June 1854 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for the preservation of forests in the hills.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 616, dated the 1st April 1854, submits a set of draft rules drawn up by him for the preservation of forests in the hills in his Division. States that no copy of the rules proposed by the Superintendent, Hill States, accompanied the correspondence forwarded to him, although, from Mr. Edmonstone's report, as well as from those of Drs. Jameson and Falconer, he has gathered the purport, though not the details.	Nos. 19—22.

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714—*concld.*	No. 1487, dated 10th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Rule for the preservation of forests in the hills.	In reply, forwards a copy of the letter from the Superintendent, Hill States, and observes that possibly he might wish (after a perusal of the rules therein contained) to make some alterations in his own.	Progs. for the week ending 15th July 1854— Nos. 19—22.
	No. 1488, dated 10th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the correspondence on the subject and requests he will draw up and submit rules for the preservation of forests in his Division and also submit his opinion on the subject generally.	
715	No. 2701, dated 23rd June 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Residence of the Commissioner of Lahore at Dharamsala.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 487, dated the 7th June 1854, sanctions the Commissioner of the Lahore Division residing at Dharamsala from the 20th August to 20th October next.	Nos. 23-4.
	No. 1489, dated 10th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
716	No. 77, dated 30th June 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed purchase of Mr. Bayley's house at Dharamsala for a kacheri.	With reference to previous correspondence, forwards a copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer at Jullundur, with plans of Mr. Bayley's house at Dharamsala, which appears to be admirably adopted for a kacheri.	
	No. 1492, dated 10th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, in original, correspondence regarding Mr. Bayley's house at Dharamsala and requests his opinion as to the advisability of purchasing the building at the price named, *viz.*, Rs. 13,000, in preference to constructing a new kacheri.	
717	No. 232, dated 29th June 1854 . From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Preparation of annual statements of proposed public works.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 823, dated the 19th April 1854, relative to the submission of statements of proposed public works, states that he thinks the plan advocated by the Chief Commissioner the most feasible, *viz.*, that propositions for works in contemplation should be submitted to the Chief Commissioner, irrespective of the amount of their estimates, and that such of them as he shall approve of, shall be embodied in the yearly statement. Adds, however, that he would alter the date of submission from the 1st of January to one somewhat later.	Nos. 32-3.
	No. 1493, dated 10th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to the last paragraph of the above letter, observes that the Chief Commissioner does not think that much would be gained by delaying the returns beyond the 1st January, as the Government will require time for their own consideration.	

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718	No. 182, dated 23rd June 1854 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Kohat. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Kohat-Hangu road. Military advantages.	Forwards a report from the Executive Engineer on the state of the Kohat and Hangu road, and requests that Government be again solicited not to put a stop to the works on this road which are in a state of advancement, the principal difficulties having been overcome, and also because the most turbulent and refractory perganah in Kohat can be brought into communication by means of this road, since by it he can move up troops to the Saumlzai valley, in a very short space of time.	Progs. for the week ending 15th July 1854— Nos. 45—7.
	No. 606—1501, dated 12th July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 545, dated the 26th June 1854, forwards a copy of the above and adds that, under the circumstances therein detailed, the Chie. Commissioner has not put a stop to the work on the road.	
719	No. 1151, dated 29th June 1854 . From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rents charged for the Anarkali bungalows. Conversion of Artillery barracks into clerks' quarters.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Captain Fagan, Superintendent, Civil Buildings, and solicits sanction to certain alterations in the rents charged for the Anarkali bungalows, and suggests that the Artillery barracks be partitioned off and converted into quarters to provide accommodation for the clerks of the Government offices.	Nos. 48—50.
	No. 1502, dated 12th July 1854 . From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the propositions contained in the Chief Engineer's letter.	
720	No. 2724, dated 23rd June 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Furnaces for melting iron ore. Assistance to be given to Mr. Coates of Ferozepore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 444, dated the 25th May 1854, states that the Governor-General in Council concurs with the Chief Commissioner in thinking that the establishing of the proposed iron crushing machine and furnaces should be deferred, until it has been fully ascertained whether the field is sufficiently encouraging for private enterprise. Requests that instructions may be issued to the Deputy Commissioners of Shahpur and Kangra to aid Mr. Coates, the merchant at Ferozepore, in the enquiries he intends making in the localities where iron is found.	Nos. 55—7.
	No. 1505, dated 12th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
	No. 1505½, dated 12th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing Government letter and requests he will issue the necessary instructions to the Deputy Commissioner of Shahpur.	

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721	No 2709, dated 23rd June 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dr. Fleming's report on the Salt Range.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 457, dated the 27th May 1854, enquires what is the Chief Commissioner's object in wishing to circulate Dr Fleming's report on the Salt Range amongst the local officers of the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 15th July 1854— Nos. 58-9.
	No 607—1506, dated 12th July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, states that copies of this report would be useful if circulated among District Officers.	
722	No. 136, dated 1st July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secrerary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Simla from the old building to Ballyhach. Supervision of the building of the new kutchery at Simla.	Reports that the Deputy Commissioner of Simla has deemed it desirable to remove his office at once from the old kacheri building, which had become untenable from leakage, &c., and has taken a house called Ballyhach, the rent of which for the remainder of the season is Rs. 800. Solicits sanction to this being charged in the Judicial contingent bill. Enquires whether the civil authorities at Simla may not superintend the erection of the new kacheri since its supervision would be more constant than if it were made over to the Executive Engineer.	Nos. 75—8.
	No. 1513, dated 12th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Enquires if he sees any objection to the Deputy Commissioner of Simla and his Assistant superintending the erection of the new kacheri at that station, and if not, that he will issue the necessary instructions.	
	No. 614—1514, dated 12th July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter from the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States and requests sanction to the expenditure by the Deputy Commissioner of Simla of Rs 800, being the rent for the season of the building now occupied by his kacheri.	
723	No. 131, dated 6th July 1854 ... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Mian Mir. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sub-Assistant Surgeon Jadub Chandar Ghose's treatment of snake bite.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1430, dated the 4th July 1854, relative to a paper drawn up by Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Jadub Chandar Ghose on the treatment of snake bite, states that he has not received the paper in question, which very probably was sent on to the Superintending Surgeon of the Trans-Ravi Circle.	Nos. 115-16
	No. 1531, dated 12th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Gugera.	Ditto	Enquires whether his district is in the medical superintendence of the Cis- or Trans-Ravi Circle.	

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724	No. 210, dated 5th July 1854 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Inspection of the school at Simla by the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, stating that he visited the school at Simla and, in conjunction with Mr. Saunders and others, examined the pupils who passed a most creditable examination. Observes that, on the whole, the report on the institution cannot but be considered encouraging and satisfactory.	Progs. for the week ending 15th July 1854— Nos. 142—44.
	No. 1545, dated 13th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner concurs in thinking the report highly satisfactory and requests he will call for a tabular statement, showing the number of pupils who have attended the institution during the year.	
725	No. 216, dated 8th July 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a road between Khudian and Ganda Singhwala.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1427, dated the 5th July 1854, regarding a road between Khudian to Ganda Singhwala, states that orders were issued several months ago for its construction. It has been delayed till the Chief Engineer could depute a person to trace it. States that Colonel Napier will be again addressed on the subject.	Nos. 145-46.
	No. 1546, dated 13th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1426, dated the 4th July 1854, forwards a copy of the foregoing, for information.	
726	No. 628—1554, dated 14th July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Death of Mr. P. Melvill, Secretary to the Chief Commissioner.	Reports the death of Mr. P. Melvill, Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, and forwards a statement of his case as drawn up by Dr. C. Smith, Civil Surgeon of Lahore.	Nos. 156-57.
727	No 1555, dated 14th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—R. Temple, Esquire, Deputy Commissioner of Gujrat.	Appointment of Mr. Temple as Secretary to the Chief Commissioner.	Requests that Mr. Temple will make over charge of the district to Mr. Cooper, Assistant Commissioner, and proceed to Lahore to officiate as Secretary to the Chief Commissioner.	No. 158.
728	No. *Nil*, dated 7th July 1854 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Control and management of the Public Works Department.	Returns the correspondence relative to the new system of management for the Public Works Department. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 211.
729	No. 21, dated 12th July 1854 ... From—Lieutenant A. H. Heath. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Demands for labour from Kashmir State prohibited	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1421, dated the 4th July 1854, states that he has cancelled his *parwanas* to his Munshis and has forbidden their applying to Maharaja Golab Singh for men, rafts, &c., for the Government works. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 220.

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730	No. 2919, dated 7th July 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Formation of a Standing Committee at Karachi for purchase of remounts.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 259, dated the 3rd April 1854, sanctions the formation of a Standing Committee at Karachi for admitting horses into the service for the mounted branches of the Bengal army. Adds that the scheme is an experimental one and to be reported on at the expiry of two years.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd July 1854— Nos. 20—22.
	No. 1594, dated 20th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
731	No. 512-A, dated 10th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed new road from Tonsa to Simla.	With reference to previous correspondence, forwards an extract from a report from the Commissioner of Meerut and requests to be informed whether the Chief Commissioner is prepared to renew the question of forming a new road, and along what line, from Tonsa to Simla	Nos. 25—7.
	No. 1586, dated 20th July 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces	Ditto	In reply, the Chief Commissioner regrets that he is unable to renew the scheme, as the exigencies of many works already undertaken in the campaign territory under his jurisdiction occupy at present every available officer.	
732	No 223, dated 17th July 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed transfer of the Educational Department from the Judicial to the Financial Commissioner.	Requests (if there be no objection to the measure) that the Chief Commissioner will obtain sanction to the transfer of of the Educational Department to the Financial Commissioner, Punjab, who is willing to undertake the duty.	Nos. 35-6.
	No. 644—1601, dated 20th July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and, with reference to the special qualifications of Mr. McLeod for the supervision of educational operations, recommends that the proposed transfer be sanctioned.	
733	No. 159, dated 14th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Simla cemeteries.	Forwards copies of correspondence relative to the conservancy and repairs to the Simla cemeteries, and recommends that these be placed under the superintendence of the Chaplain of Simla who will submit contingent bills for all sums disbursed. Solicits sanction to an outlay of Rs. 500 for immediate repairs, &c., to the graveyards.	Nos. 37 - 41
	No. 1602, dated 20th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that the general superintendence of these cemeteries should rest with the Chaplain who will submit reports to the Deputy Commissioner of whatever repairs appear necessary. The Deputy Commissioner will, in the absence of an Executive Engineer, submit plans and estimates of the same. The cost of these repairs should be defrayed from the Local Funds. Before sanctioning the outlay of Rs. 500 solicited, the Chief Commissioner would prefer the submission of an estimate prepared in the manner indicated in the body of this letter.	

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734	No. 160, dated 14th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Intention of the Maharaja of Patiala to proceed to England. Repayment of 30 lakhs due to Maharaja of Patiala by the British Government.	Reports that as His Highness the Maharaja of Patiala has made up his mind to proceed to England, he is desirous that the sum of 30 lakhs due to him by the Government should be refunded to him. Suggests that a letter be addressed to the Accountants at Agra and Calcutta, requesting them to name the treasuries between Karnal and Calcutta where any surplus specie exists, simultaneous orders being given to the Collectors in charge, authorizing them to pay on demand to His Highness, or order, such sums as may be convenient to spare.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd July 1854— Nos. 44-5.
	No. 645—1604, dated 20th July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and, with reference to the suggestions of Mr. Barnes, solicits the instructions of Government, since no positive orders have been received for the repayment of the loan.	
735	No. 704, dated 11th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pashtu dictionary by Lieutenant Turner of the Guide Corps.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Turner, of the Guide Corps, offering to Government for public use a Pashtu dictionary, and recommends that Government should sanction the expense required to put it through the press.	Nos. 60—64.
	No. 1614, dated 20th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissoner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	In reply, observes that the Chief Commissioner views with satisfaction the efforts of officers to acquire a knowledge of dialects of the districts in which they are serving, yet in the present instance, further critical information is necessary as to the philological merits of Lieutenant Turner's work. Requests he will instruct that officer to lay before Captain James such portions of the work as have been completed and will require the latter to submit a detailed report on it to this office.	
736	No. 2930, dated 7th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bridge over the Ban Ganga at Kangra. Donation made by Rattan Chand, Dahriwala.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 507, dated the 12th June 1854, sanctions a grant of Rs. 8,000 for the bridge over the Ban Ganga at Kangra and requests that the thanks of Government may be conveyed to Rattan Chand, Dabriwala, for his handsome contribution towards its erection.	Nos. 68-9.
	No. 1616, dated 20th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing, for information.	
737	No. 1635, dated 22nd July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Trans-Ravi Circle.	Treatise on the treatment of snake bite by Dr. Jadub Chandur Ghose.	States that Sub-Assistant Surgeon Jadub Chandur Ghose has submitted a treatise on the treatment of snake bite in the Punjab, a copy of which has in all probability been sent to him also. Requests he will submit his opinion of the Sub-Assistant Surgeon's system.	No. 103.

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738	No. *Nil*, dated 11th July 1854 ... From—Revd. H. S. Fisher, Commissary to the Lord Bishop of Calcutta. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Authority responsible for repairs, &c., to churches	Submits an application from the Chaplain at Hoshiarpur to place the church at that station under the Department of Public Works, for repairs.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd July 1854— Nos. 105—07.
	No. 657—1637, dated 22nd July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Informs the Government of India of the application contained in the above letter and recommends that as a rule, in the case of all churches similarly situated, the Chaplain and Church Committee be charged with the preservation of the structure, requisitions for repairs being made to the Superintending Engineer and the repairs being executed by the Executive Officer, or, in his absence, by the Deputy Commissioner of the District.	
739	No. 1463, dated 14th July 1854 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed purchase of Mr. Bayley's house at Dharmsala for the Deputy Commissioner's kutchery.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1492, dated the 10th July 1854, recommends that the house lately erected by Mr. Bayley at Dharmsala be purchased for the Deputy Commissioner's kutchery for Rs. 13,000.	Nos. 110-11.
	No. 658—1639, dated 22nd July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and previous correspondence, and observes that the house is built of stone and lime throughout, has a double roof, the outer one being slate, and that it is sufficiently commodious for a Deputy Commissioner's kutchery. Recommends that the house be purchased for Rs. 18,000 since, if a kutchery were erected on the standard plan, it would cost Rs. 16,000.	
740	No. 743, dated 17th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Substitution of Urdu for Persian in the courts of the Peshawar Division.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1227, dated the 7th June 1854, explains his reasons for considering the substitution of Urdu for Persian in his courts advisable and states that it would be very beneficial to the people.	Nos. 114-15.
	No. 1641, dated 22nd July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the substitution of Urdu for Persian in the Peshawar courts.	
741	No. 896, dated 20th June 1854 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of a new kutchery at Simla and sale of the old building.	Reports that he has issued instructions for the sale of the old and the erection of a new kutchery at Simla. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 121.
742	No. 158, dated 14th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of the old kutchery at Simla.	Reports the sale of the old kutchery at Simla for Rs. 5,825. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 122.

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743	No. 221, dated 14th July 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed road from Khudian to Ganda Singhwala.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Chief Engineer, reporting that he will adopt measures for tracing the road from Khudian to Ganda Singhwala.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd July 1854— Nos. 129-30.
744	No. *Nil*, dated 15th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Punjab Committee for Selection of Works for the Paris Exhibition. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles selected for the Paris Exhibition, 1855.	Forwards a catalogue of articles selected for the Paris Exhibition of 1855.	Progs. for the week ending 29th July 1854— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 1643, dated 24th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Punjab Committee for Selection of Works, etc, for the Paris Exhibition.	Ditto	Invites attention to the expense which will be entailed on Government by the purchase of the articles enumerated in the catalogue, exceeding nearly half a lakh of rupees. Mentions the amount charged for the articles forwarded to the London Exhibition, and adds that Government have now directed the adoption of "the same measures" as were at that time carried out. Suggests, therefore, the feasibility of reducing or limiting the articles of minor importance.	
745	No. 883, dated 26th June 1854 ... From—The Officiating Junior Secretary, Revenue Board. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Great London Exhibition of 1851.	Advises despatch of 4 medals and certificates awarded to the parties named by the Royal Commissioners of the Great Exhibition.	Nos. 7-8.
	No. 1645, dated 25th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Advises despatch of the medals for the Rajas of Nabha and Jind and the Nawabs of Malerkotla and Raja Wazeer Singh of Amballa.	
746	No. 79, dated 18th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Improvement of the navigation of the Jhelum.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Grounds, Indian Navy, relative to his plan for the improvement of the navigation of the Jhelum.	No. 8½.
	No. 1647, dated 25th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards Lieutenant Grounds' letter, in original, and calls for his opinion.	
747	No. 77, dated 15th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fuel for river steamers.	With reference to the proposition for planting *bubbul* and tamarisk trees by the banks of the river for ensuring a regular and permanent supply of fuel for the river steamers, states that he considers the plan a good one and feasible.	Nos. 14-15.
	No. 1650, dated 25th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, requests that he will take the necessary measures for carrying out his views.	

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748	No. 249, dated 17th July 1854 ... From—H. Monckton, Esq, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispute between Commissioner of Multan (Major Hamilton) and Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang.	Forwards copies of correspondence regarding the conduct of Major Hamilton, Commissioner of the Division, in having received in open court, with marked courtesy and favour, Khawaja Ahmed, Tahsildar of Kadirpur, a man against whom he (Mr. Monckton) had brought charges of peculation and bribery.	Progs. for the week ending 29th July 1854— Nos. 18 -27.
	No. 251, dated 17th July 1854 ... From—H. Monckton, Esq., Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of his letter No. 440, to the Commissioner of the Multan Division, forwarding the cases in which Hidayat Ali, late Faujdaree Sheristadar, was charged with bribery; and requesting that the correspondence which has passed between Major Hamilton and himself may be submitted to superior authority.	
	No. *Nil*, dated 20th July 1854 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	States that Major Hamilton, instead of trying those of his late officials against whom charges of malversation had been preferred by him (Mr. Monckton), has issued an *ishtihar* inviting complaints against him. In suspending Faiz Muhammad, the Thanadar of Jhang, the Commissioner sent the Nazir of his court direct to the thana for the purpose, without giving him (Mr. Monckton) any intimation of his intentions.	
	No. 253, dated 21st July 1854 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Mr. Monckton's suspension by Major Hamilton.	In continuation of the foregoing, forwards a copy of the statement drawn up by Messrs. Davies and Stroyan, the Assistant and Extra Assistant at Jhang, of an interview between Major Hamilton and himself. Adds that he has not observed the verbal order of Major Hamilton, suspending him from his functions of Deputy Commissioner, and requests the interference of superior authority.	
	No. 254, dated 22nd July 1854 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Arrest of the Jamadar of Kheewa.	In continuation of the foregoing, states that the Commissioner of the Division has followed up the suspension of the Thanadar by the arrest of the Jamadar of Kheewa, an important police station, and that all police work appears to be at an end, as well as his own authority as District Officer.	
	No. 255, dated 23rd July 1854 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Charges against Thanadar of Jhang.	Reports that the charges against the Thanadar of Jhang have not been proved, and that in consequence of information of his (Mr. Monckton's) suspension by the verbal order of the Commissioner, great excitement has been caused throughout the district.	
	No. 83, dated 21st July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits a report on the conduct of the Deputy Commissioner of Jhang in setting at defiance his authority as Commissioner of the Division.	

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748 — *concld.*	No. 1652, dated 25th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Dispute between Commissioner of Multan (Major Hamilton) and Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang.	In reply, points out certain proceedings of his with which the Chief Commissioner has reason to be dissatisfied; and, with reference to the agitation and ferment into which the district has been thrown by the dissensions between him and the Deputy Commissioner of Jhang, requests that he will complete all the cases of peculation, etc., in which he has commenced proceedings and will forward them, with his opinion, to the Judicial and Financial Commissioners. With reference to the suspension of the Tahsildar of Jhang, requests that he will instruct Mr. Monckton to complete, in the course of one fortnight, whatever enquiries he may have to make in the case. Regarding prior instances of insubordination on the part of Mr. Monckton and the state of the various departments in Jhang, directs Commissioner to send that officer a copy of the letter to which this is a reply, for such remarks as he may have to offer. Requests that both he and the Deputy Commissioner will reflect earnestly on the public evils which these disagreements inflict on the district of Jhang.	Progs. for the week ending 29th July 1854— Nos. 18—27.
749	No. 3035, dated 14th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Management of the Chamba State.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 540, dated the 21st June 1854, intimates that the Government approve of the arrangements adopted for the management of the Chamba State during the minority of its Chief.	Nos. 28-9.
	No. 1653, dated 26th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
750	No. 1662, dated 26th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispute between Major Hamilton, and Mr. Monckton. Trial of certain officials of the Jhang district accused of corruption	Forwards an extract from the Chief Commissioner's letter to the Multan Commissioner, directing him to submit his proceedings connected with the trial of certain of the establishment of the Jhang district accused of corruption.	Nos. 46-7.
	No. 1663, dated 26th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards an extract similar to the above.	
751	No. 84, dated 17th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Commercial importance of the Kulu iron mines.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 150, dated the 29th May 1854, calling for an opinion as to the commercial importance of the iron mines of Kulu, states that these are situated in so lofty a range of hills that he is of opinion that the profitable working of them is impracticable	Nos. 48—50.

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751—*concld.*	No. 668—1668, dated 27th July 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Commercial importance of the Kulu iron mines.	Forwards a copy of M. Marcadieu's report on the Kulu mines, with copies of the foregoing letter and of a memo. by Mr. McLeod. Recommends that specimens of the ore be smelted and their commercial value tested by gentlemen practically conversant with the state of the iron market, before any further steps are taken.	Progs. for the week ending 29th July 1854— Nos. 48—50.
752	No. 829, dated 22nd July 1854 ... From—The Quartermaster-General of the Army. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road from Kohat to Hangu.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1546, dated the 13th July 1854, sanctions an outlay of Rs. 36,000 for the earthwork of the road from Kohat to Hangu.	Nos. 62—6.
	No. 1675, dated 28th July 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the forgoing letter, for information.	
	No. 3051, dated 14th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 545, dated the 26th June 1854, sanctions an outlay of Rs. 36,000 for the earthwork of the road from Kohat to Hangu.	
	No. 1676, dated 28th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and of previous correspondence.	
	No. 1677, dated 28th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter from the Government of India, for information and guidance.	
753	No. 227, dated 26th July 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the Simla school.	In continuation of letter No. 210, forwards, in original, a report from Mr. Saunders, Assistant Commissioner of Simla, on the Simla school.	Nos. 67-8.
	No. 1678, dated 28th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, returns the report, the Chief Commissioner having perused it with much satisfaction.	
754	No. *Nil.*, dated 25th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Specimens of flax sown in the Society's garden.	Forwards a further report on the specimens of flax sown in the Society's garden. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 88-9.
755	No. 1241, dated 19th July 1854 ... From—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repayment of the loan taken from Patiala.	Forwards a copy of his letter to the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, regarding the sums available in the treasuries of the North-Western Provinces for the payment of the demand of the Raja of Patiala. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 94.

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756	No. 1758, dated 25th July 1854 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Hydraulic screw presses for packing cotton, etc.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No 1481, dated the 10th July 1854, relative to the introduction of hydraulic screw presses into the Punjab for packing cotton, etc., states that he is of opinion that the ordinary screw press would be preferable as the former are liable to accidents, to remedy which would be difficult.	Progs for the week ending 5th August 1854— Nos. 26—8.
	No. 83, dated 17th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1480, dated the 10th July 1854, states that he has no practical acquaintance with the working of either the hydraulic or ordinary screw press, but from the little he has seen of the former, he thinks that any danger arising from its getting out of order would be easily removed by Messrs. Coates at Ferozepore.	
	No. 685—1698, dated 31st July 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Reports the result of the enquiries on the subject of the introduction of screw presses in the Punjab, and observes that the Chief Commissioner concurs in the opinion of the Chief Engineer. Suggests that a few ordinary screw presses might be made up at Calcutta for the benefit of the mercantile community of the Punjab.	
757	No. 687—1701, dated 1st August 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Proposed re-adjustment of salaries of Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners.	Submits certain proposals for the better adjustment of the salaries of Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners in the Punjab, with the Chief Commissioner's reasons for the same.	No. 31.
758	No. 2019, dated 12th May 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Distribution and sale of postage stamps	Forwards a copy of a letter No. 96, dated the 21st April 1854, regarding the distribution and sale of postage stamps.	Nos. 38—40½.
	No. 2965, dated 7th July 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the above, forwards a copy of the rules for the sale and distribution of postage stamp labels.	
	Cir. No. 19—1705, dated 1st August 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Forwards to each Commissioner a copy of the rules and requests that the instructions therein contained may be carried out.	
	No. 1705½, dated 1st August 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the rules.	
759	No. 3171, dated 21st July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of flax in the Punjab. Award of prizes sanctioned.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 573, dated the 4th July 1854, relative to cultivation of flax in the Punjab, intimates that an application will be made for the seed and implements required, and sanctions the grant of small prizes for encouraging its cultivation.	Nos. 58-9.

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759—*concl'd.*	No 694—1716, dated 3rd August 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Cultivation of flax in the Punjab.	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	Progs. for the week ending 5th August 1854— Nos. 58-9.
760	No. 1736, dated 26th July 1854 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conservancy and repairs of cemeteries.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1602, states that he is of opinion that the conservancy and repairs of burial grounds and repairs should be defrayed from the general treasury and not the Local Funds. All ordinary estimates should be prepared by the Deputy Commissioner; all extraordinary ones by the Chaplain and Executive Engineer.	Nos. 62-3.
	No. 695—1718, dated 3rd August 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits certain suggestions relative to the repair of burial grounds in the Punjab.	
761	No. 1782, dated 26th July 1854 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Divisional and Staff quarters at Anarkali to the Civil Department.	The Divisional and Staff quarters at Anarkali having been transferred to the Civil Department, submits a scale of proposed rent of the buildings.	Nos. 73-4.
	No. 1726, dated 2nd August 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, approves of the scale of rent proposed by him.	
762	No. 1787, dated 21st July 1854 .. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road between Balakoh and Khaghan.	Forwards a copy of plan and a report by Lieutenant Nightingale on the road from Balakoh to Khaghan. Chief Engineer states that he is still of opinion that preference ought to be given to the old track through the valley rather than the course now advocated. It would cost about Rs. 300 per mile to widen the former.	Nos. 75—8.
	No. 700—1727, dated 2nd August 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and recommends that nothing further be attempted than the improvement of the old track through the valley.	
763	No. 770, dated 21st July 1854 ... From The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Planting of forest and fruit trees and the cultivation of sugar, cotton, indigo, etc.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 13, submits reports of his District Officers on the planting of forest and fruit trees and the cultivation of sugar, cotton, indigo, etc., in the Division.	Nos. 87—9.
	No. 1732, dated 3rd August 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto Cotton saw gin for Kohat.	Forwards, in original, the reports received with the above, and requests their return when no longer required. The Chief Commissioner has directed the Deputy Commissioner of Kohat to procure a small cotton saw gin at a price not exceeding Rs. 40.	

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763—*concld.*	No. 1733, dated 3rd August 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Planting of forest and fruit trees and the cultivation of sugar, cotton, indigo, etc.	Conveys the approval of the Chief Commissioner to Captain Coke's procuring a saw gin of simple construction so as to be worked by hand.	Progs. for the week ending 5th August 1854 — Nos. 87—9.
764	No. 3179, dated 21st July 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition in 1855.	In continuation of Circular dated the 24th March 1854, forwards a copy of the general regulations for the management of the French Exhibition in 1855 and a summary of the conditions on which it will be conducted.	Nos. 93-4.
	No. 1735, dated 3rd August 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Committee of Selection, Paris Exhibition.	Ditto	Forwards enclosures received with the foregoing.	
765	No. 1877, dated 29th July 1854 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Navigation of the Jhelum river.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No 1047, relative to the navigation of the Jhelum, states that, in his opinion, the plan proposed by Lieutenant Grounds would be of but small advantage, and that he would propose building steamers adaptedfor the Punjab rivers.	Nos. 105-06.
	No. 703—1742, dated 4th August 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and of previous correspondence and explains the objections of the Chief Commissioner to Lieutenant Grounds' plan and submits that of Colonel Napier for consideration.	
766	No. 265, dated 3rd August 1854 ... From—H. Monckton, Esq., Deputy Commissioner of Jhang To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bribery cases in the Jhang district. Dispute between Major Hamilton and Mr. Monckton.	Forwards a letter to the Commissioner of the Multan Division, regarding his sending for the bribery cases while they are on trial in Mr. Monckton's court.	Nos. 115—16½.
	No. 266, dated 3rd August 1854 ... From—H. Monckton, Esq., Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Proceedings in the case of the Thanadar of Jhang.	Remonstrates against the proceedings of the Commissioner of Multan in the case of Faiz Muhammad Khan, Thanadar of Jhang.	
	No. 1748, dated 5th August 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Monckton, Esq., Deputy Commissioner of Jhang.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Monckton that the Chief Commissioner will not interfere and requests him to discontinue correspondence direct with this office.	
	No. 1749, dated 5th August 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and enquires whether a copy of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1652, dated the 25th July 1854, has been sent to Mr. Monckton, as directed.	
767	No. *Nil*, dated 20th July 1854 ... From The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioer, Punjab.	Quality of the flax raised by the Punjab Society.	Forwards a copy of a letter for the Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society of India, regarding the quality of the flax raised by the Punjab Society. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 122-23

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768	No. 2425, dated 18th July 1854 ... From—The Officiating Secretary, Bombay Government. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of flax in Sind.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, regarding the cultivation of flax in Sind. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Progs. for the week ending 5th August 1854— No. 124.
769	No. 181, dated 27th July 1854 ... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Trans-Ravi Circle. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sub-Assistant Surgeon Jadut Chunder Ghose's system of treating snake bite.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1635, dated the 22nd July 1854, forwards copy of a report by the Medical Board on Sub-Assistant Surgeon Jadut Chundar Ghose's system of treating snake bite. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 127-28.
770	No. *Nil*, dated 2nd August 1854 ... From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner of Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pashtu grammar.	Forwards a prospectus of his grammar of the Pashtu language and solicits the patronage of Government.	Progs. for the week ending 12th August 1854— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 705—1750, dated 7th August 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards the prospectus received with the above and recommends that 150 copies be purchased at Rs. 4 each.	
771	No. 784, dated 25th July 1854 . From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual report on dispensaries for 1853.	In reply to Circular No. 17, dated the 4th July 1854, submits his report on the dispensaries in his Division for 1853, and forwards also reports from Drs. Cathcart and Cox and Mr. Apothecary Hayes.	Nos. 14—18.
	No. 1760, dated 9th August 1854 ... Faom—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissoner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner considers the report highly satisfactory and that it reflects the highest credit on Drs. Cathcart and Cox and Mr. Apothecary Hayes.	
772	No. 168, dated 29th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charitable dispensary at Simla.	Forwards a copy of a report from the Superintendent, Hill States, regarding the utility and efficiency of the dispensary at Simla, and with reference to the precarious maintenance of the institution, supported as it is by private contributions only, recommends that Government be solicited to allow to this dispensary the same establishments as have been granted to similar dispensaries throughout the Punjab.	Nos. 19-20.
	No. 715—1761, dated 9th August 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Recommendation supported.	Forwards a copy of the above and submits the details of the income and disbursements of the Simla dispensary. Supports the recommendation of the Commissioner.	

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773	No. 1933, dated 2nd August 1854... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed reward for Captain Fagan for salving iron from the Ravi.	States that, in the month of June 1852, some boats laden with 1,070 maunds of Government iron sank in the Ravi during a violent storm, but the energetic exertions of Captain Fagan succeeded in salving 1,045 maunds. In consequence of the exposure, he contracted a violent fever which obliged him to proceed on leave, with a loss of staff salary of Rs 600 per month. Recommends, therefore, that a species of salvage on the iron thus saved, at the rate of 10 per cent., be allowed to Captain Fagan as compensation.	Progs. for the week ending 12th August 1854— Nos. 21-2.
	No. 717—1762, dated 9th August 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter and solicits the orders of Government on it.	
774	No. 3240, dated 28th July 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Abolition of duty on timber passing through Kashmir territory.	With reference to the abolition of duty on timber passing through Maharaja Gulab Singh's territories, requests that the Chief Commissioner will report, after a short time, how the new system works. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 73.
775	No. 3216, dated 28th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Death of Mr. P. Melvill.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 628, dated the 14th July 1854, intimates the regret of the Government of India and of the Governor-General personally at the untimely decease of Mr. P. Melvill. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 74.
776	No. 3219, dated 28th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Mr. R. Temple as Secretary to the Chief Commissioner.	In continuation of the foregoing, conveys sanction to the appointment of Mr. R. Temple as Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, on a fixed salary of Rs. 2,000 per month. MEMO —NO ORDERS.	No. 75.
777	No. 88, dated 31st July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispute between Major Hamilton, Commissioner of Multan, and Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang.	Forwards an explanation of the conduct of Messrs. Davies and Stroyan on the occasion of his (the Commissioner's) visit to Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 82—4.
778	No. *Nil*, dated 14th August 1854... From—Lieutenant Bruce, Commanding at Asni To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Memorandum on the cantonment of Asni.	Submits a memorandum on the cantonment of Asni.	Progs. for the week ending 19th August 1854— Nos. 14-14½.
	No. 1799, dated 14th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that Lieutenant Bruce having recommended that compensation should be given to Bejor Khan, the Drishak Chief, for the materials taken from the deserted city of Asni and used in the cantonments established at that place, the Chief Commissioner has been pleased to sanction the payment of Rs. 250 on that account.	

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779	No. 95, dated 11th August 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual Dispensary Reports for 18 3.	Submits reports of his Division.	Progs. for the week ending 19th August 1854— Nos. 15-16.
	No. 1800, dated 14th August 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, remarks that the Amritsar report does not appear to have been attested by the Committee.	
780	No 2148, dated 31st July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Registration of boats.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 46, dated the 9th January 1854, relative to the registration of boats, states that such registration in the Punjab will entitle boats to pass free down the Indus through Sind.	Nos. 16½-17.
	No. 1801, dated 14th August 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply, enquires whether it has been finally determined by the Bombay Government to introduce into Sind the proposed system of registry and taxation of boats.	
781	No. 3274, dated 28th July 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mineral springs in the Kot Kangra district.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Superintendent, Geological Survey, containing his report on the mineral springs discovered by M. Marcadieu in the district of Kot Kangra.	Nos. 24—6.
	No. 1805, dated 15th August 1851... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing, for information.	
782	No. 3282, dated 28th July 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Collection of samples of mineral waters.	Forwards a copy of directions for the collection of mineral waters, and requests that the Chief Commissioner will cause to be collected and transmitted to the Medical Board specimens of the waters of every mineral spring within his jurisdiction.	Nos. 58—61.
	Circular No. 23—1824, dated 16th August 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Cis- and Trans-Sutlej States, Jhelum, and Multan.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter, and requests they will, in communication with the nearest Medical Officer, make arrangements for carrying out the arrangements therein contained.	
	No. 1825, dated 16th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and informs him of the instructions above issued.	
783	No. 3330, dated 4th August 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Simla to Ballyhach.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 614, dated the 12th July 1854, authorizes the removal of the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Simla to the new building called Ballyhach, and to the payment of Rs. 800 as rent for the remainder of the season.	Nos. 66-7.
	No. 1828, dated 16th August 1851 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	

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784	No. 3350, dated 4th August 185 ... From—The Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual statements of proposed public works.	In continuation of letter No. 1388, dated the 31st March 1854, forwards a copy of the further orders issued to the subordinate Governments, respecting the form in which projects of public works are to be submitted annually for the sanction of Government.	Progs. for the week ending 19th August 1854— Nos. 76—80.
	Nos. 1834—6, dated 18th August 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab, and the Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing, for information.	
785	No. 1839, dated 18th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Report on the epidemic in the Moradabad district.	Forwards copies of a report on the epidemic in the Moradabad district.	No. 84.
786	No. 3352, dated 4th August 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dr. Fleming's report on the Salt Range	Sanctions the publication of Dr. Fleming's report on the Salt Range. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 98.
787	No. 240, dated 11th August 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Number of boys taught in the Simla school.	Submits, in original, a statement showing the number of boys taught in the Simla school. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 110.
788	No. 93, dated 8th August 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conduct of Mr. Monckton. Dispute between that officer and his Commissioner, Major Hamilton.	States that a copy of the Chief Commissioner's letter animadverting on the conduct of Mr. Monckton was sent to that gentleman.	No. 116.
789	No. 3394, dated 10th August 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Loans due to the Rajas of Patiala and Nabha.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 645, dated the 20th July 1854, forwards a copy of a resolution of Government, in the Financial Department, regarding the loans due to the Rajas of Patiala and Nabha.	Progs. for the week ending 26th August 1854— Nos. 1—3.
	No. 1846, dated 21st August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
790	No. 3413, dated 11th August 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of Mr. Bayley's house at Dharamsla for a kutchery.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 658, dated the 22nd July 1854, sanctions the purchase of Mr. Bayley's house at Dharmsala for Rs. 13,000 for a kutchery, and Rs. 1,000 for the construction of record-racks, repairs, etc.	Nos. 24-5.
	No. 1860, dated 23rd August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing.	

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791	No. 89, dated 22nd July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for the preservation of forests in the Cis-Sutlej Hill States.	States that, after a perusal of the rules promulgated by Mr. Edmonstone in the Cis-Sutlej Hill States for the preservation of forests, he sees no reason for modifying his own.	Progs. for the week ending 26th August ber 1854— No 30.
792	No. 2170, dated 18th August 1854 From—The Assistant Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road from Loprah to Patnee.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of Meerut, from which it will be perceived that the Saharanpur Road Fund Committee have already commenced the road from Loprah to Patnee in their district.	Nos. 36-7.
	No. 1867, dated 24th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing, for information.	
793	No. 3318, dated 7th August 1854 ... From The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams from Sydney.	With reference to letter No. 1724, dated the 26th April 1854, intimates the safe arrival from Sydney of 25 merino rams and states that they will be forwarded by steamer to Allahabad as soon as arrangements are made for receiving them at that place.	Nos. 41—44.
	No. 1871, dated 25th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Allahabad.	Ditto	Requests the favour of his assistance in arranging for the transport of the rams to Lahore, any disbursement on their account which he may make being remitted from this office.	
	No. 752—1872, dated 25th August 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Communicates the purport of the above.	
794	No. 94, dated 14th August 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams from Mysore.	Reports having received intimation of the despatch of 10 merino rams, and solicits instructions with regard to their distribution.	Nos. 49-50.
	No. 1875, dated 26th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	In reply, requests that he will send 2 to Jhang and the remainder to Lahore, and gives detailed instructions relative to their treatment and food while on the road.	
795	No. 1850, dated 2nd July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Trade in Sind	Forwards statements (in original) on the subject of the trade in Sind. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 68—70½.
796	No. 3622, dated 18th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Responsibility for repairs to churches in the Punjab.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 657, dated the 22nd July 1854, states that as every church which Government largely aids becomes Government property, no special rule is necessary regarding their repairs, and that the Department of Public Works will be requested to bring the church at Hoshiarpur on its books.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd September 1854— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 1885, dated 29th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Revd. H. Saunderson Fisher, Commissary to the Lord Bishop.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing, for information.	

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797	No. 3555, dated 18th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Educational Department to the Financial Commissioner.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 644, dated the 20th July 1854, sanctions the transfer of the Educational Department to the Financial Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd September 1854—Nos. 20—22.
	Nos. 1896-7, dated 29th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing.	
798	No. 100, dated 5th August 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the Amritsar dispensary for 1853.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1800, dated the 14th August 1854, calling for Mr. Hinder's report on the Amritsar dispensary, forwards an extract from a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar, stating that it has been sent to the Medical Board.	Nos. 23—6.
	No. 627, dated 24th August 1854 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the Amritsar dispensary report for the year 1853.	
	No. 1898, dated 29th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner of the receipt of the dispensary report, but adds that the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar has not returned the Committee's report which was sent him with letter No. 1800.	
799	No. 3341, dated 4th August 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for Simla Local Funds.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 517, dated the 26th June 1854, submitting a draft of rules for the management of the Local Funds of the station of Simla, states that Government approve of the suggestions of the Chief Commissioner, with the exception of that relative to the amount of Local Funds to be at the disposal of the Local Commissioners, as it is preferable that, on this point, the rules at Mussoorie should be adopted, with this difference that ½ instead of ⅓ of the ground rents, the whole of the rents of shops, all the fines levied under Act 26 of 1850, and all the forest produce should be assigned to the Municipal Commissioners.	Nos. 37-8.
	No. 1903, dated 30th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and requests that he will have rules drawn out in accordance with the instructions therein contained.	
800	No. 168, dated 21st August 1854 ... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Mian Mir. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on mineral waters in the Punjab.	Forwards, in original, a Circular received from the Medical Board, relative to a report on the mineral waters of the Punjab, and enquires where the places named therein as being in the Lahore Division are situated.	Nos. 44-5.
	No. 1905, dated 30th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Mian Mir.	Ditto	Returns the original enclosure and informs him that the Commissioners of Divisions and local officers of districts have been already addressed relative to the required information.	

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801	No. 232, dated 4th August 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of carriage to troops on the march.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 989, dated the 11th May 1854, submits reports from the Commissioners of Peshawar and Multan on the system of supplying carriage to troops on the march, and explains his reasons for thinking that the plan advocated by the Commissary General would not be feasible in the Punjab. Although the chaudriah system, as it at present exists, is open to objection, there is nevertheless a prospect of its improving in time.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd September 1854—Nos. 66-7.
	No. 761—1916, dated 1st September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and submits the Chief Commissioner's opinions and views on the subject.	
802	No. 3684, dated 23rd August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Screw press for cotton, wool, etc.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 685, dated the 31st July 1854, states that Messrs. Jessop & Co. of Calcutta have been instructed to prepare an ordinary screw press at a cost of Rs. 4,650. After its utility has been tested, the question of extending its usefulness will be reconsidered.	Nos. 68-9.
	No. 1917, dated 1st September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter.	
803	No. 39, dated 12th August 1854 ... From—Lieutenant A. H. Heath. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Duty on timber cut in Maharaja Gulab Singh's territory.	Enquires if the remission of duty on timber by Maharaja Gulab Singh applies to timber cut by merchants as well as to that cut by Government.	Progs. for the week ending 9th September 1854—Nos. 1-2.
	No. 1927, dated 4th September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. H. Heath.	Ditto	In reply, informs Lieutenant Heath that, as the abolition embraced all timber felled in British territory and floated down the Chenab, the arrangement applies as well to timber cut by private individuals as by Government.	
804	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd August 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Committee of Selection for the Paris Exhibition. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles purchased for the Paris Exhibition, 1855.	Submits a list of articles purchased for the Paris Exhibition, and reports the measures adopted by the Committee for meeting the wishes of the Chief Commissioner as regards expense.	Nos. 15-16.
	No. 764—1933, dated 5th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and states that the cost of the proposed collection will be from Rs. 47 to 50,000.	

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805	No. 3731, dated 25th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Road from Balakoh to Khahgan.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 700, dated the 3rd August 1854, regarding the projected road from Balakoh to Khahgan, in the Hazara district, calls for a fuller statement, together with a report by the Surveying Officer.	Progs. for the week ending 9th September 1854—Nos. 17-18.
	No. 1934, dated 5th September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, and requests that he will furnish the information required.	
806	No. 3557, dated 18th August 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines discovered by M. Marcadieu in Kulu.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 668, dated the 27th July 1854, approves of the Chief Commissioner's suggestions for eliciting certain particulars in regard to the iron ore discovered by M. Marcadieu, before taking further steps for working the mines.	Nos. 28—31.
	No. 1942, dated 6th September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Requests the Commissioner to send a sufficient quantity of the ore from the iron mines at Kulu to Lieutenant Allen, in charge of the Workshops at Roorkee, and to Mr. Coates, the merchant at Ferozepore, to enable them to test it.	
	No. 1943, dated 6th September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. Allen, Roorkee.	Ditto	Informs Lieutenant Allen of the issue of the above instructions and requests that he will report the commercial value of the iron.	
	No. 1944, dated 6th September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Coates, Ferozepore.	Ditto	Forwards a letter similar to the foregoing.	
807	No. 3781, dated 25th August 1854 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant Raverty's Pashtu grammar.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 705, dated the 7th August 1854, sanctions the purchase of 150 copies of Lieutenant Raverty's Pushtu grammar at Rs. 4 per copy.	Nos. 43-4.
	No. 1950, dated 7th September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, and requests that he will forward 150 copies of the work.	
808	No. 95, dated 20th August 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispute between Major Hamilton, Commissioner of Multan, and Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang.	Forwards, with his comments, a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhang, explanatory of certain points in his conduct which had been reported on by the Commissioner.	Nos. 70—72.
	No. 1964, dated 8th September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Communicates the opinions of the Chief Commissioner on the various subjects contained in this and the previous correspondence. Points out such of Mr. Monckton's proceedings as have not met with the approval of the Chief Commissioner, and requests that the bribery cases may be terminatad as speedily as possible.	

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809	No. 3740, dated 25th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Navigation of the Jhelum.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 703, dated the 4th August 1854, relative to the scheme for the navigation of the Jhelum, states that the Governor-General concurs in considering Lieutenant Grounds' plan doubtful. The navigation of the Punjab rivers has been long present to the mind of the Governor-General, and at the proper time it will have the consideration so important a subject deserves.	Progs. for the week ending 9th September 1854—Nos. 75—7.
	Nos. 1966-7, dated 9th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, and Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the foregoing.	
810	No. 1971, dated 9th September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major H. E. Longden, Superintendent, Pangi T. Agency.	Capabilities and resources of the forests in Bashahr. Timber agency on the Sutlej.	Requests Major Longden to submit a report on the capabilities and resources of the forests in Bashahr, and also on the expediency of establishing a timber agency on the Sutlej.	Nos. 84-5.
	No. 1972, dated 9th September 1854 From—The Secretary to thh Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Hill States.	Ditto	Informs the Superintendent of the above communication and, with reference to paragraph 1 of his letter No. 361, dated the 28th November 1853, requests that he will furnish a report on the logs floated down the Sutlej and on the outturn of the timber which may have been delivered to the Engineer Officer at Ferozepore.	
811	No. 96, dated 11th August 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the Amritsar school for 1853.	Forwards the report of the progress of the Amritsar school.	Progs. for the week ending 16th September 1854—Nos. 16—19.
	No. 1981, dated 11th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner considers the report satisfactory and that the state of the institution reflects credit on the master. Observes that the number of teachers appears too small for the number of scholars. It is desirable that sound and useful knowledge should be acquired such as history and geography, before more abstruse subjects are attempted, such as the exact sciences. Some of the teachers appear to be inadequately paid and this should be obviated by a grant from the surplus Town Duty proceeds. Requests that all future reports of this school may be for warded to the Financial Department.	
	No. 1982, dated 11th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the report in original and also a copy of the foregoing letter.	

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812	No. 1983, dated 11th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Merino rams from Mysore and Australia.	Forwards correspondence regarding the Mysore and Australian rams and states that the necessary instructions have been issued to the Commissioners of Allahabad and Multan to have them sent by marches to Lahore.	Progs. for the week ending 16th September 1854—No. 20.
813	No. 99, dated 16th August 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Site for a sanitarium in Chamba (Dalhousie).	Enquires who are the persons who will be required to fix on the site for the new sanitarium at Chamba and requests to be informed of the time when he will be required to be present there.	Nos. 42-3.
	No. 1997, dated 11th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner objects to any sites being fixed for the sanitarium till the road leading to it is made passable for laden animals.	
814	No. 3842, dated 1st September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed reward for Captain Fagan for salving iron from the Ravi.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 717, dated the 9th August 1854, states that the Government cannot comply with Colonel Napier's recommendation in behalf of Captain Fagan for the grant to that officer of Rs. 862 in the way of salvage for having recovered a quantity of Government iron from being sunk in a storm, since that officer did nothing beyond his duty.	Nos. 54-5.
	No. 2003, dated 12th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. T—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing.	
815	No. *Nil*, dated 12th August 1854 From—Mr. M. Ter Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Duty on timber	Complains against Lieutenant Heath for interfering with his business and states that that officer wishes to re-establish the duty on his timber which was remitted by Maharaja Gulab Singh.	Nos. 60—2.
	No. 2009, dated 12th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—Mr. M. Ter Arratoon.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Arratoon that the Chief Commissioner is not aware whether the remission of duty alluded to on the part of the Maharaja was permanent or not. If it was the former, he can easily produce the Maharaja's *parwanah*, but if the latter, his timber is liable to duty. Observes that the Chief Commissioner cannot consent to adjudicate his cases in the first place, whereas if he (Mr. Arratoon) is dissatisfied with Lieutenant Heath's decision, he can then appeal to the Chief Commissioner.	
	No. 2010, dated 12th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Heath, Sialkot.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing.	
816	No. 2154, dated 31st July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of horses by the Remount Committee at Karachi.	Suggests that early intimation may be given of the wants and wishes of Commanding Officers regarding the purchase of horses by the Remount Committee, notifying, at the same time, the required breed and limit of price.	Nos. 77—80.

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816—*concld.*	No. 2017, dated 13th September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Adjutant-General of the Army in India.	Purchase of horses by the Remount Committee at Karachi.	Forwards a copy of the above and trusts that the Commander-in-Chief will see fit to accord his support to the project in question.	Progs. for the week ending 16th September 1854—Nos. 77—80.
	No. 2018, dated 13th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing.	
	No. 2019, dated 13th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the foregoing correspondence, with the view to a communication being made on the subject to the Brigadier Commanding the Punjab Irregular Force.	
817	No. 70, dated 24th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary Report for 1853.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 14, dated the 7th July 1854, submits Dispensary Report of his Division for 1853.	Nos. 87-A—Y.
	No. 82, dated 24th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhélum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replying to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 3, dated the 19th January 1854, submits statements showing working of the Dispensaries of the Division during 1853.	
	No. 82, dated 13th July 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards statements showing the working of the Dispensaries of his Division during 1853.	
818	No. 802—2025, dated 14th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Punjab Administration Report for 1852-53.	Forwards a general report on the administration of the Punjab territories during 1852-53.	No. 88.
819	No. 2, dated 11th September 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Progress Report of Punjab roads.	Forwards his report on the progress made in constructing roads since his last report in August 1852.	Nos. 89-90.
	No. 803—2026, dated 11th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a road report (in 2 sections) for the Punjab proper up to May of the current year.	
820	No. 31, dated 4th September 1854 From—Lieutenant A. H. Heath, Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prohibition by Kashmir Diwan of labourers from Kashmir working for the timber agency.	Forwards vernacular documents reporting that Diwan Jawala Sahai has positively probibited any craftsmen, carpenters, or coolies in the Maharaja's territories from working for him.	Nos. 102-03.

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820—*concld*	No. 2033, dated 15th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. H. Heath, Sialkot.	Prohibition by Kashmir Diwan of labourers from Kashmir working for the timber agency.	In reply, remarks that it appears from the vernacular papers that his information has been derived from Munshis, etc. The preferable course would have been to have proceeded to Akhnur in person and there ascertained the real facts of the case. Observes that, by the agreement concluded with Jawala Sahai, it was not contemplated that British officers had a right to the services of men residing on the right bank of the Chenab. It was clearly the duty of these officers to make their arrangements within British territory.	Progs. for the week ending 5th August 1854— Nos. 102—03.
821	No. *Nil*, dated September 1854 ... From—Mr. M. Ter Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Duty on timber	With reference to his former letter complaining of Lieutenant Heath's interference with his timber business, forwards the depositions of certain parties taken before Captain Chambers, Cantonment Joint Magistrate.	Nos. 109—11.
	No. 2036, dated 16th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. M. Ter Arratoon.	Ditto	In reply, observes that he should not have sent his witnesses to be examined by the Cantonment Joint Magistrate during the absence of Lieutenant Heath, and, pending that officer's reply to the letter which has been now addressed to him, the Chief Commissioner declines to interfere. Informs him also that he is wrong in thinking that Lieutenant Heath is bound to aid him in his trading operations. With reference to his paragraph relative to timber duty, refers him to letter No. 2009, dated the 12th September.	
	No. 2037, dated 16th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. H. Heath, Sialkot.	Ditto	Forwards the above correspondence, with the original evidence, and requests he will report on the complaints entered therein.	
822	No. 286, dated 3rd September 1854 From—The Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispute between Major Hamilton, Commissioner of Multan, and Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang.	Submits an appeal against some of the proceedings of the Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Nos. 112—16.
	No. 2038, dated 16th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Jhang.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner declines to interfere. Observes that the Chief Commissioner considers him to have been very ill-advised in the measures he has taken to set himself right.	
	No. 2039, dated 16th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	

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822—*concld.*	No. 2040, dated 16th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispute between Major Hamilton, Commissioner of Multan, and Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. Bribery cases in the Jhang district.	In continuation of letter No. 1663 of the 26th July 1854, requests the Financial Commissioner, after he has decided the bribery cases in the Jhang district, to forward the correspondence to the Chief Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 16th September 1854— Nos. 112—16.
	No. 2041, dated 16th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, with reference to the charges advanced against Judicial employés.	
823	No. 2317, dated 19th August 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Project to keep the Jhelum in a single stream between the towns of Jhelum and Shahpur during the winter.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Taylor, Superintendent, Lahore and Peshawar road, regarding the project to maintain the Jhelum in the cold weather in a single stream between the towns of Jhelum and Shahpur. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 145-46.
824	No. 2374, dated 22nd August 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Navigation of the Jhelum.	Forwards a letter from the Superintendent, Inundation Canals, on the subject of improving the navigation of tha Jhelum. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 147.
825	No. 2754, dated 8th September 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the foregoing, forwards copies of 2 letters relative to the project for improving the channel of the Jhelum. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 148-49.
826	No. 3644, dated 18th August 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Medals for exhibits at the London Exhibition of 1851.	Forwards 8 cases of medals received from Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Great Exhibition and requests that they may be forwarded, with the Kharitas accompanying, to the several Chiefs for whom they are intended.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd September 1854— Nos. 17-18.
	No. 2063, dated 18th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards the medals received with the above and requests that he will have them forwarded.	
827	No. 818—2065, dated 18th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Care of cemeteries in the Punjab.	Explains that a question having arisen relative to the conservancy of burial grounds at Simla, the Chief Commissioner took the whole subject of the conservancy of cemeteries in the Punjab into consideration, and submits his suggestions for the orders of Government.	No. 21.

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828	No. *Nil*, dated 6th September 1854 From—Mr. M. Ter Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Detention of Mr. Ter Arratoon's timber at Aknur.	Complains against the conduct of Lieutenant Heath in detaining at Akhnur the timber cut by Mr. Arratoon in Pangi.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd September 1854— Nos. 27-8.
	No. 2070, dated 18th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. Heath.	Ditto	Forwards the above letter (in original) and calls for a report on the allegations therein contained.	
829	No. 45, dated 1st September 1854... From—Lieutenant A. Heath. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Working of Timber Agency.	Submits a report of his proceedings in August 1854.	Nos. 29-30.
	No. 2071, dated 18th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. Heath.	Ditto Duty on timber cut by Mr. Arratoon.	With reference to the claim of Chowdhri Fullu for duty on timber felled by Mr. Arratoon in Pangi, observes that the Chief Commissioner is not aware if this is the second or third year of that gentleman's timber operations in that district. If this is his second year, then the agreement made by that gentleman with Diwan Jawala Sahai exempts his timber cut during the first year from duty, but if it is his third year, then he is liable to pay tribute for wood cut in the second year.	
830	No. 2074, dated 19th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esquire, Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Articles sent by the Raja of Jhind for the Paris Exhibition, 1855.	Forwards certain articles contributed by the Raja of Jhind for the Paris Exhibition, with a list of them.	Nos. 35-6.
831	No. *Nil*, dated 12th September 1854 From—Mr. Coates, Merchant, Ferozpore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed visit to the iron districts of Kulu by Mr. Coates. Iron mines in Kulu.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1944, dated the 6th September 1854, Mr. Coates states that he would wish to visit the iron districts of Kulu in January 1855 and requests to be furnished with information regarding the climate, features of the country, &c.	Nos. 43—5.
	No. 2082, dated 19th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Coates, Merchant, Ferozepore.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Coates that the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States, has been requested to give him the required information.	
	No. 2083, dated 19th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter from Mr. Coates and requests that he will supply the required information.	
832	No. 2564, dated 29th August 1854 From The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Excavation of a new channe for the nulla near Wazira Ghât.	Submits, with his recommendations, estimates for the excavation of a new channel for the nulla near Wazira Ghât. States that the nulla in question crossed the Lahore and Beas road and it was deemed necessary to make a fresh cutting in order to throw it into the Beas higher up, so as to obviate the necessity for its crossing the road.	Nos. 51—3.

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832—*concld.*	No. 821—2086, dated 19th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Excavation of a new channel for the nulla near Wazira Ghât.	Forwards a copy of the foregoing, and recommends the estimates for sanction, as the nulla is likely to cause frequent injury to the road during floods.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd September 1854— Nos. 51—3.
833	No. 213, dated 2nd September 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Medals for exhibits at the London Exhibition of 1851.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1645, dated the 25th July 1854, reports that all the medals but one have been disposed of, and enquires for whom the remaining one is intended, since there is no such person as Wazir Singh, Raja of Ambala, though the Raja of Faridkot bears the same name.	Nos. 54-5.
	No. 2087, dated 19th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, requests the Commissioner will procure from the Raja of Faridkot a list of the articles he supplied for the Exhibition, in order that it might be decided whether the medal is intended for him or not.	
834	No. 3149, dated 21st July 1854 ... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Punjabi dictionary prepared by the Ludhiana Mission.	Intimates that 75 copies of the Punjabi dictionary prepared by the Ludhiana Mission will be forwarded for distribution to the several officers in the Punjab.	Nos. 58—60.
	No. *Nil*, dated 6th September 1854 From—The Revd. L. Janvier. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards 75 copies of the Punjabi dictionary.	
	No. 2089, dated 19th September 1854.	Ditto	MEMO.—Directs the distribution of the above dictionary to the various Commissioners in the Punjab.	
835	No. 273, dated 12th September 1854 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispute between Major Hamilton, Commissioner of Multan, and Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. Unsatisfactory condition of Jhang district.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Multan Division, complaining against the offensive line of conduct adopted towards him by Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. States that it appears to him that Mr. Monckton does not seem to be aware of his position or of the respect due to his superiors. The state of the Jhang district is very unsatisfactory, and prompt and decisive measures will alone be able to retain order and peace in the district.	Nos. 66—8.

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835—*concld.*	No. 2092, dated 19th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispute between Major Hamilton, Commissioner of Multan, and Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang. Unsatisfatory condition of Jhang district. Mr. Monckton's insubordination. Alternative between apology and suspension.	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner concurs in the views taken of the conduct of Mr. Monckton. Judging from the tenor and tone of that officer's letters, the Chief Commissioner deems his general course of conduct most unbecoming and it has become necessary that he should learn the relative position and duties of himself and his Commissioner, of which, up to this time, he appears to have formed no just idea. Mr. Monckton was selected for the charge of Jhang, and he received his Deputy Commissionership in priority to several of his contemporaries, but instead of rendering the services expected of him, he has thrown the district of Jhang into confusion. He will be required, through his Commissioner, to apologize for his conduct to that officer and to promise proper subordination for the future. If Mr. Monckton objects or refuses to do this, the Chief Commissioner will be compelled to refer the matter to the Governor-General in Council and to recommend that he be suspended from office, and that his conduct and the condition of his district might be made the subject of a personal enquiry by a Commission.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd September 1854—Nos. 66—8.
	No. 2092, dated 19th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	With reference to the correspondence regarding the conduct of Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang, forwards a copy of the foregoing letter and requests he will call upon Mr. Monckton to choose which of the two alternatives contained in the 5th paragraph he will adopt.	
836	No. 267, dated 6th September 1854 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Serais on main road from Rawalpindi to Kashmir.	Submits correspondence regarding the erection of 4 serais on the main road from Rawalpindi to Kashmir, at a cost of Rs. 6,118-12-0, of which Rs. 2,000 might be defrayed from the Ferry Funds and the balance granted by Government.	Nos. 69—71.
	No. 2094, dated 19th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the erection of the 4 serais at the proposed cost, Rs. 2,000 being defrayed from the Ferry Funds and the balance being debited to the General Revenues.	
837	No. 2748, dated 8th September 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cost of Lahore and Beas road. Estimates for the Phillaur-Dyalpur and Lahore-Ferozepore roads.	In continuation of letter No. 2564, reports what the Lahore and Beas road has cost, and submits estimates for the Phillaur-Dyalpur and Lahore-Ferozepore roads at the same rate, and requests permission to commence on these roads in the cold season.	Nos 79—82.
"	No. 829—2098, dated 20th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Importance of the proposed roads	Forwards a copy of the above. The total cost of the road from Lahore to the Beas, including metalling, &c., is Rs 4,41,525. With reference to the lines proposed to be now constructed, states that the Chief Commissioner considers them of importance, and that they are much required in the Punjab.	

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838	No. 3900, dated 1st September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Proposed re-adjustment of salaries of Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners. Proposed increase in number of Commissioners negatived. Personal Assistant for Commissioner, Lahore, suggested.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 687, dated the 1st August 1854, submitting certain proposals for the adjustment of official salaries in the Punjab, observes that the scale submitted appears to have been framed with reference rather to personal considerations of the day than with a view to having a well balanced scale. Suggests what appears to be a simpler and more natural arrangement. His Lordship in Council cannot consent to add another to the number of the Commissioners in Punjab, since the work of the Lahore Commissioner might be lightened by the appointment of a Personal Assistant and by the re-arrangement of limits of Divisions.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd September 1854— Nos. 119-20.
	No. 836—2118, dated 22nd September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that the amended scale suggested in the above letter would be preferable to that previously submitted, but urges in detail the reasons which influence the Chief Commissioner in thinking that the formation of two Commissionerships in the Lahore Division would be advantageous.	
839	No. 97, dated 25th August 1854 From—The President of the Committee for framing Regulations for the Department of Public Works. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Management and administration of Ferry and Road Funds.	Forwards a copy of the rules which obtain in Bengal for the management and administration of the Ferry and one per cent. Road Funds, and requests the submission of the Chief Commissioner's opinion on the subject.	Nos. 130—32.
	No. 2023, dated 23rd September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Loan unions.	Forwards the above letter in original, and requests he will submit his opinion on the applicability of the rules for the management of the one per cent. and the Ferry Fund to the Punjab. Calls his attention more particularly to the best mode of appropriating the surplus collections from Ferries and the advisability or otherwise for establishing loan unions for their distribution.	
840	No. *Nil*, dated 14th September 1854 From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of flax. Encouragement of silk-worm rearing by zamindars. Mulberry cultivation.	Forwards an extract from the proceedings of the Society, applying for sanction to rent 40 bighas of ground near their garden for the cultivation of flax and to the grant of graduated rewards for the production of silk cocoons by zamindars in the Punjab. Also, that the Agent of the Governor-General at Murshedabad be authorized to expend Rs. 250 for the purchase of eggs, and that these be forwarded to the Society free of charge. Further, suggesting that prizes be also given for the cultivation of the better kind of mulberry, as also a grant to the Society of 100 bighas of land for the same cultivation.	Nos. 133-34.
	No. 839—2124, dated 23rd September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing, with Chief Commissioner's recommendation.	

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841	No. 89, dated 11th September 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation paid to the Drishak Chief.	Reports that Rs. 250 have been given as compensation to the Drishak Chief, through Lieutenant Bruce at Asni. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd September 1854— Nos. 167-68.
842	No. 4103, dated 12th September 1854. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron ore discovered in Kulu.	Forwards a report from the Chemical Examiner on the iron ore discovered in Kulu. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 171-72.
843	No. 97, dated 11th August 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Restoration to Raja Tej Singh of land included in Amritsar cantonment.	With reference to the propositions made to Raja Tej Singh for the restoration of certain lands of his included in the cantonment of Amritsar, the Commissioner forwards a *khat* in which the Raja expresses his gratitude for the consideration shown him and states that he will abstain from cultivating the land in question.	Progs. for the week ending 30th September 1354— Nos. 9-10.
	No. 848—2136, dated 26th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply to Government letter No. 1571, dated the 15th April 1854, intimates the consent of Raja Tej Singh (given in writing) to abide by the conditions imposed by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief with reference to the lands included in the Govindgarh cantonment, and recommends, therefore, that these be restored to the Raja.	
844	No. 38, dated 6th September 1854... From—Lieutenant A. Heath. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	*Murasila* from Diwan Jawala Sahai, regarding timber.	In continuation of letter No. 36, dated the 4th September 1854, forwards the original *murasila* received from Diwan Jawala Sahai, with copy of his reply.	Nos. 14-15.
	No. 2139, dated 26th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. Heath.	Ditto	In reply, forwards a vernacular proceeding addressed to Diwan Jowala Sahai.	
845	No. 857—2157, dated 27th September 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Franking of official letters by uncovenanted officers	Solicits instructions as to whether the uncovenanted heads of offices in the Punjab can be authorized to post letters of their departments on the public service without actual payment of postage, after the date of the new Postage Act. Points out the great inconvenience which will result in the event of these officers not being considered competent to frank such letters, the postage being charged as heretofore to their respective departments.	No. 42.
846	No. 2164, dated 28th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esquire, Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Merino rams	Sends him six merino rams just arrived from Multan and requests that he will report the arrangements which the Society propose for their disposal.	No. 54.

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847	No. 2411, dated 22nd August 1854 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Registration of boats.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1801, dated the 14th August 1854, states that the question relative to the registration and taxation of boats plying down the river Indus is still before the Government of Bombay.	Progs. for the week ending 30th September 1854— Nos. 70-71.
	No. 866—2174, dated 29th September 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and of previous correspondence, and observes that most of the authorities consulted are in favour of registration, though averse to its being accompanied by any penal measures. The Chief Commissioner concurs in this view of the question. Adds that, in the event of the system being established in Sind, the Chief Commissioner would recommend its extension to the rivers of the Punjab, but not otherwise, seeing that however reasonable and just the rates decided on may be, they must be carried out with imperfect and ill-supervised machinery, thus causing annoyance at a time when the encouragement to boat building is an object of great importance.	
848	No. 42, dated 27th September 1854 From—Lieutenant A. Heath. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Labour required for Timber Agency.	Forwards a rough sketch of the course of the Chenab from Nasum to the Kullowal ghât, from which it will be seen that it is impossible for him on account of the distance to employ labourers from British territory on his timber, more especially as, for a great part of the distance, both banks are in the territory of the Maharaja of Kashmir. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 75-6.
849	No. 373, dated 16th September 1854 From—The Superintendent of the Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of timber floated down the Sutlej.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1972, dated the 9th September 1854, states that the report regarding timber floated down the Sutlej has been delayed on account of the non-arrival of the logs at their destination. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 77.
850	No. 3 44, dated 23rd September 1854. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of Dhangur coolies for labour on the Peshawar road.	Forwards a copy of correspondence between him and the Commissioner of Chota Nagpur, relative to the supply of Dhangur coolies for labour on the Peshawar road. Observes that, to induce these men to leave their homes and come for employment to such a distance, it was obviously necessary to guarantee to them shelter, clothing, &c. States the terms and conditions proposed to be offered to these men, and solicits the Chief Commissioner's sanction to them.	Progs. for the week ending 7th October 1854— Nos. 5-7.
	No. 2178, dated 2nd October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, approves of the employment of Dhangur coolies on the Trans-Indus portion of the Lahore and Peshawar road. States that the terms agreed on are liberal and the extra contingencies, such as clothing and shelter, will probably be heavy. But as labour is scarce and dear in the north-west, the Chief Commissioner is willing that the experiment should be made.	

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851	No 43 dated 20th September 1854 From Lieutenant A. H. Heath. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mr. Arratoon's complaint about his timber.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2037, dated the 16th September 1854, relative to certain complaints preferred against him by Mr. Arratoon, timber merchant, Lieutenant Heath states that he has on no occasion issued orders prohibiting raftsmen from conveying that gentleman's timber down the stream. Encloses a letter from Diwan Jawala Sahai, showing clearly that the duty on Mr. Arratoon's timber was remitted by Maharaja Gulab Singh for the year 1853 only, and observes that the real obstacle to success in Mr. Arratoon's speculations has arisen from his having raised the prices for his timber considerably.	Progs. for the week ending 7th October 1854— Nos. 12—16.
	No. 44, dated 20th September 1854 From—Lieutenant A. Heath. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2070, dated the 18th September, relative to Mr. Arratoon's complaint of the detention of his timber at Akhnur, Lieutenant Heath observes that the statement is correct. The wood cut last year by that gentleman was detained by Chaudri Phillu, but as soon as he (Lieutenant Heath) receive intimation of it, he addressed Diwan Jawala Sahai on the subject, from whose reply (which is annexed), the Chief Commissioner will perceive that the timber has been released.	
	No. 45, dated 20th September 1854 From—Lieutenant A. H. Heath. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2071, dated the 18th September 1854, relative to the period for which duty on Mr. Arratoon's timber was remitted by Maharaja Gulab Singh, Lieutenant Heath states that it appears from Diwan Jawala Sahai's letter that the remission was for one year, that is, on all timber felled in 1853. In consequence, Mr. Arratoon owes duty for all timber felled by him this year previous to the 20th June last (1854), but as it is impossible to say what logs were cut up to that date, he has obtained Mr. Arratoon's consent to abide by Major Longden's decision, who, being in the forests, can ascertain with tolerable accuracy how many were cut before the date specified.	
	No. 2181, dated 3rd October 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Punjab. To—Lieutenant A. H. Heath.	Ditto	With reference to the relinquishment on the part of the Maharaja of duty on Mr. Arratoon's timber for one year, remarks that that gentleman must pay the duty for the intermediate period between the expiration of the stipulated time and the abolition of all duty on timber, *i.e.*, the 20th June. Requests that Lieutenant Heath will instruct Mr. Arratoon to submit all his complaints through Lieutenant Heath, instead of sending them direct to the Chief Commissioner.	

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852	No. 2185, dated 3rd October 1854 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esquire, Secretary to the Committee for Selecting Articles for the Paris Exhibition.	Articles received from Nawab of Bahawalpur for Paris Exhibition of 1855.	Forwards a lst of articles received from the Nawab of Bahawalpur for the Paris Exhibition.	Progs. for the week ending 7th October 1854— No. 23.
853	No. 287, dated 28th September 1854 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection by the Deputy Commissioner of Shahpur of a private residence within the precincts of the Kacheri.	Forwards, in original, correspondence between the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division and the Deputy Commissioner of Shahpur, relative to the erection by the latter of a private residence within the precincts of the Kacheri, and recommending that, when the latter vacates it, it should be removed.	Nos. 31-2.
	No. 881—2190, dated 6th October 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that the Chief Commissioner considers Captain Hollings' conduct injudicious. Recommends therefore that, as he has chosen to build on ground appropriated for public purposes, he should not be allowed to sell or otherwise dispose of it.	
854	No. 4264, dated 26th September 1854. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles selected for the Paris Exhibition.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 764, dated the 5th September 1854, states that the Governor-General approves of the articles selected for the Paris Exhibition, and sanctions, on this account, a sum not exceeding Rs. 50,000.	Nos. 41-2.
	No. 2195, dated 6th October 1854 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Committee of Selection for the Paris Exhibition.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing, for their information.	
855	No. 101, dated 12th September 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Insubordination of Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang, to his Commissioner.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1964, dated the 8th September 1854, submits copies of correspondence and vernacular proceedings regarding the conduct of Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang, and his entire disobedience of orders and insubordination to his Commissioner.	No. 60.
	No. 2205, dated 7th October 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	In reply, states it is clear that the conduct of Mr. Monckton has been both irregular and indefensible. If he was of opinion that injustice was being perpetrated by the Sessions Court, he ought to have waited till the close of the cases and then (if so disposed) have assumed the grave responsibility of appealing against the procedure and the judgment. The Chief Commissioner is still anxious that Mr. Monckton should have an opportunity for calm reflection and the expression of proper regret.	

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856	No. 4277, dated 27th September 1854. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Phillour-Beas and Lahore-Ferozepore roads.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 793, dated the 12th September 1854, sanctions the entertainment of establishment for the roads from Phillour to the Beas, and from Ferozepore to Lahore.	Progs. for the week ending 14th October 1854. Nos. 8-9.
	No. 2211, dated 9th October 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
857	No. 294, dated 5th October 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for management of Road and Ferry Funds.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2123, dated the 23rd September 1854, relative to the rules for the management of the one per cent. Road and Ferry Funds, submits a draft of such rules as he thinks best adapted for the districts of the Punjab.	Nos. 29—31.
	No. 2227, dated 14th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—C. Allen, Esquire, President of Committee for framing a Code of regulations for the Department of Public Works.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and of the rules referred to therein, and recommends that these latter be adopted. Points out that although they would seem to read as if concerning the Ferry Funds alone, they in point of fact hold good as regards the one per cent. Fund.	
858	No. *Nil*, dated 27th September 1854. From—Mr. Ter Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Duty on timber. Withdrawal of complaints against Lieutenant Heath.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2036, dated the 16th September 1854, Mr. Ter Arratoon tenders his grateful acknowledgments for the consideration shown him by the Chief Commissioner, and begs that his complaints against Lieutenant Heath may be withdrawn. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 65.
859	No. 2252, dated 17th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Petroleum in the vicinity of Salt Range.	Forwards an extract from a letter to the Chief Commissioner from Dr. A. Fleming, regarding the existence of petroleum in the vicinity of the Salt Range, and requests he will be good enough to forward as much of this substance as may be contained in six bottles.	Progs. for the week ending 21st October 1854— Nos. 19-20.
860	No. 233, dated 9th October 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	London Exhibition medals.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2087, dated the 19th September 1854, forwards a list of the articles supplied by the Raja of Faridkot for the London Exhibition, in order that it may be determined whether the medal sent for "Wazir Singh, Raja" is intended for him.	Nos. 21-2.
	No. 2253, dated 17th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the list does not agree with that of the articles sent by "Wazir Singh, Raja of Ambala," and requests that he will, therefore, return the medal and certificate.	

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861	No. 292, dated 5th October 1854 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bribery cases in Jhang.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No 2041, dated the 16th September 1854, regarding the submission to the Chief Commissioner of all cases decided against Judicial employés in Jhang, who have been accused of peculation, &c., states that he has as yet received but one case, that of Faiz Muhammad, Thanadar of Jhang, and that he will submit the others as they are sent in.	Progs., for the week ending 21st October 1854— Nos. 23—5.
	No. 2254, dated 17th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Remarks that the instructions of the Chief Commissioner were that these cases in Jhang should be rapidly decided and he, therefore, cannot understand why they have not been sent from the Commissioner's office, seeing that these trials have been concluded and that, in consequence, the Commissioner has taken his departure from Jhang. Requests that they may be submitted without delay, whatever the result may have been, and that the Deputy Commissioner of Jhang may be directed to submit a detailed list of these charges.	
	No. 2255, dated 17th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner has received no information of the final results of the proceedings relating to corruption on the part of the Jhang officials, and requests that he will supply it at once and that he will have a list of all these cases drawn up.	
862	No. 107, dated 6th October 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Apology tendered by Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang, for his insubordination.	Forwards a copy of the apology tendered by Mr. Monckton, Deputy Commissioner of Jhang, for his late insubordinate conduct.	Nos. 26-7.
	No. 2256, dated 17th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner accepts the apology with an earnest hope that, for the future, the public business in the Jhang district may progress smoothly and satisfactorily.	
863	No. 43, dated 5th October 1854 .. From—The Adjutant-General of the Army. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of horses for mounted corps by Standing Committee at Karachi.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2017, dated the 13th September 1854, relative to the supply of horses to mounted corps through a Standing Committee of Selection at Karachi, states that a communication on this subject was made to Government in August 1854 and that the result will be duly intimated.	Nos. 28-9.
	No. 2257, dated 17th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	

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864	No. 188, dated 13th October 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Allahabad Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams from Australia.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1871, dated the 25th August 1854, states that, according to advices received from the Deputy Commissary General, 21 Australian rams were shipped on board the "Kallee," and he has directed the Magistrate to keep them for a week after they have been landed and to give them the benefit of grazing pasture after their late confinement on board the flat.	Progs. for the week ending 21st October 1854— Nos. 50-51.
	No. 2272, dated 20th October 1854... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Allahabad Division.	Ditto	In reply, observes that the best mode of conveyance for these rams would be the Government bullock-train, precaution being taken against their being overcrowded and arrangements being made for their having occasional exercise to counteract the effects which might possibly arise from their being confined to a recumbent position.	
865	No. 3219, dated 11th October 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New road from Attock to Peshawar round the Gidar Galli pass.	Reports that the new line of road from Attock to Peshawar round the Gidar Galli pass was thrown open to traffic of every description on the 29th September 1854.	Nos. 55-6.
	No. 911—2275, dated 20th October 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Intimates the opening of the road as a result satisfactory and important.	
866	No. 2277, dated 21st October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Informs the Chief Engineer, that his report of the opening of the line of road from Attock to Peshawar, round the Gidar Galli pass, has been communicated to Government.	No. 59.
867	No. 123, dated 9th October 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the Amritsar dispensary.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1800, dated the 14th August 1854, submits the Amritsar dispensary report, duly attested by the Committee MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 85-6.
868	No. 168, dated 16th September 1854 From—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Insanitary condition of a garden in the Amritsar cantonment.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding at Amritsar, together with the proceedings of a Committee assembled for the purpose of reporting on the causes existing in the vicinity of Sardar Khushal Singh's garden inducing, in their opinion, a noxious state of the atmosphere. Recommends that the improvements therein suggested be carried out.	Progs. for the week ending 28th October 1854— Nos. 1—5.

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868—*concld.*	No. 2287, dated 23rd October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Insanitary condition of a garden in the Amritsar cantonment. Raja Tej Singh's land.	Forwards the report received with the above and requests that he will take the earliest opportunity of visiting the ground in company with Raja Tej Singh or his Diwan and point out such improvements as are requisite and practicable. Desires him to impress on the Raja the expediency of his taking precautions that the military authorities shall have no just ground for dissatisfaction, such conduct being the surest means of his retaining unmolested use and possession of the property.	Progs. for the week ending 28th October 1854— Nos. 1—5.
	No. 2288, dated 23rd October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major-General Gowan, C.B., Commanding, Lahore Division.	Ditto	Informs him that the condition of Khushal Singh's garden and its immediate environs has been brought to the notice of the Commissioner of the Division.	
869	No. 4481, dated 12th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of flax and encouragement of silk manufacture.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 839, dated the 23rd September 1854, sanctions all the propositions of the Agri-Horticultural Society connected with the cultivation of flax and manufacture of silk, with the exception of the grant to the Society of 100 bighas of land for the rearing of mulberry trees.	Nos. 12-13.
	No. 2293, dated 24th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
870	No. 4486, dated 13th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Phillour-Dyalpur and Lahore-Ferozepore roads.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 829, dated the 20th September 1854, states that Government sanction the commencement of the earthwork of the roads from Dyalpur to Phillour and from Lahore to Koinda Ghât, pending the submission of detailed plans and estimates.	Nos. 20-21.
	No. 2298, dated 24th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing.	
871	No. 4444, dated 13th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Excavation of a new channel for the nulla near Wazir Ghât.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 821, dated the 19th September 1854, sanctions the expenditure of Rs. 19,689-6-8 for turning the course of a nalla that crosses the Lahore and Beas road.	Nos. 30-31.
	No. 2309, dated 25th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	

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872	No. 921—2317, dated 26th October 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Conveyance of despatches or packets weighing over 12 tolas.	Solicits directions as to the construction to be put on section 14 of the new Post Office Act, under which no despatch or packet exceeding 12 tolas in weight can be sent by lettter dak along a line where conveyance by *banghy* has been established. Points out the inconveniences of the rule, and enquires whether officers may not be empowered to send packages exceeding that weight free of postage, certifying that such parcel is emergent and on the public service only.	Progs. for the week ending 28th October 1854—No. 39.
873	No. 236, dated 13th October 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Taccavi advanced to Messrs. Dyer Brothers, for a brewery at Kasauli.	Submits correspondence regarding the grant of a taccavi advance to Messrs. Dyer Brothers, brewers, Kasauli. Observes that although the application is an unusual one, he would still support it, on the ground that the establishment of a brewery at Kasauli may be regarded as being of public utility, inasmuch as good and wholesome beer can be supplied from it to the European troops quartered in the hills.	Nos. 49—53.
	No. 923—2323, dated 27th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing correspondence and commends the matter to the consideration of Government.	
874	No. 127, dated 5th October 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Formation of a Dispensary Committee at Kangra.	As decided in Circular No. 3, dated the 19th January 1854 reports the formation of a Dispensary Committee at Kangra and solicits sanction to the necessary establishments at that station and Nurpur, and suggests that the Civil Surgeons of the two places may be gazetted as being in charge of those institutions.	Nos. 54-5.
	No. 2324, dated 27th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the required establishments and requests that he will state the date on which Dr. Dunbar assumed charge of the dispensary at Nurpur.	
875	No. 2329, dated 27th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary, Paris Exhibition Committee.	Articles forwarded by Maharaja Gulab Singh for the Paris Exhibition.	Forwards a list of articles received from Maharaja Gulab Singh for the Paris Exhibition.	No. 62.
876	No. 4369, dated 6th October 1854... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conservancy of cemeteries.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 818, dated the 18th September 1854, relative to the conservancy of cemeteries, refers the Chief Commissioner to the notification of the Government of Bengal, dated the 16th January 1852, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 17th idem (January), page 145.	Nos. 78-80.

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876—*concld.*	No. 925—2342, dated 28th October 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Conservancy of cemeteries. Source from which cost of repairs should be met, and by whom they should be carried out.	In reply, observes that the reason for the Chief Commissioner's reference to Government on the subject of cemeteries and their conservancy was to ascertain the source from which the cost of repairs should be defrayed and the officer by whom they should be executed. The notification alluded to does not meet those questions, and the Chief Commissioner, therefore, again enquires whether the repairs of cemeteries should be defrayed from the General Treasury or from the Local Funds, and whether they should be executed by the Executive Engineer or by the District Officer on the requisition of the Chaplain.	Progs. for the week ending 28th October 1854—Nos. 79-80.
877	No. 58, dated 14th October 1854 ... From—The Surveyor-General in India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant Walker's report on survey of northern Trans-Indus frontier.	Forwards first part of Lieutenan Walker's report, narrating the matnner in which the survey of the northern Trans-Indus frontier was executed.	Nos. 86—9.
	No. 2346, dated 28th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Surveyor-General in India.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments for the report, which will be published in an early number of the Punjab Selections, and adds that the second part will be looked for with interest.	
878	No. 194, dated 26th October 1854... From—The Commissioner of Allahabad. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams from Australia.	Reports that the Australian rams have arrived at Allahabad and that they will be sent off on the 22nd October 1854. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 92.
879	No. 3573, dated 28th October 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposals for the sub-division of the Punjab Public Works.	Submits his propositions for the sub-division of the Punjab Public Works, exclusive of the Canal Department and the Lahore and Peshawar road.	Progs. for the week ending 4th November 1854—Nos. 52—6.
	No. 3629, dated 1st November 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the above, forwards a statement showing the present divisions of the Punjab Canals and the Trunk Road from Lahore to Peshawar.	
	No. 3670, dated 3rd November 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the foregoing, requests that certain alterations may be made in the statement therewith submitted.	
	No. 938—2376, dated 3rd November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the three foregoing letters, with the Chief Commissioner's opinion on the several points mooted therein	
880	No. *Nil*, dated 26th October 1854 From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Land required for rearing mulberry trees.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2293, dated the 24th October 1854, relative to the refusal by the Governor-General to grant the Society 100 bighas of land in the vicinity of the town for the purpose of rearing mulberry trees, on the grounds of the probable high expense of the experiment and of the absence of all estimates of such expense, submits the required information and reqests that the Governor-General may be moved to reconsider the question.	Nos. 75-6.

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880—*concld.*	No. 2386, dated 4th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Land required for rearing mulberry trees. Common mulberry leaves good enough for silk worms.	In reply, observes that the Chief Commissioner hesitates to make any further recommendation to Government. The leaves of the common mulberry, which grows abundantly in the vicinity of Lahore, will in a great measure answer for the sustenance of the silk worms, as it has actually done for the greater portion of the current season. To occupy, therefore, so much land as 100 bighas at so high an annual cost as Rs. 2,000 for the cultivation of the finer species of mulberry, appears a measure of doubtful necessity.	Progs. for the week ending 4th November 1854—Nos. 75—6.
881	No. 127, dated 30th October 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Preservation of forests.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1488, dated the 10th July 1854, submits the report called for, regarding the preservation of timber in the mountainous parts of the Rawalpindi district.	No. 99.
882	No. 388, dated 25th October 1854... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Ambala. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams from Australia.	Reports that he has been informed by the Commissioner of the Allahabad Division that 21 Australian rams are *en-route* for Ambala, by order of Government, for the Punjab, and enquires what he is to do with them on their arrival.	Nos. 94-5.
	No. 2396, dated 4th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Ambala.	Ditto	In reply, requests that the rams may be forwarded to Lahore by bullock-train, precaution being taken that they should not be overcrowded. If they cannot be sent by bullock-train, they should be sent on by marches.	
883	No. 4423, dated 13th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Number of Commissioners. Increase refused.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 836, dated the 22nd September 1854, states that His Lordship in Council, having carefully weighed the arguments advanced for giving an additional Commissioner to the Punjab, is not convinced of the necessity for the measure. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 104.
884	No. 95, dated 1st November 1854... From—The Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the Pangi valley.	Advises despatch of his report on the Pangi valley and of the specimens of borax, &c. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 106.
885	No. 276, dated 24th October 1854 .. From—The Magistrate and Collector, Allahabad. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams from Australia.	Intimates that he has forwarded 21 Australian rams to Lahore, under charge of two shepherds and a chaprasi. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 109.
886	No. 4533, dated 18th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Confiscation of the Chappur estate.	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, regarding the Chappur estate, to the effect that it does not appear to be just that in the confiscation of these estates on account of the affray of Nihal Singh with the Zainpore chief, the share of the eldest son, Jussa Singh, who took no part in the matter, should come under forfeiture, and that, therefore, the pension of Rs. 747 per annum granted to his father ought to be restored to him.	Progs. for the week ending 11th November 1854—Nos. 1—3.

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886—*concld.*	No. 952—2399, dated 6th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Confiscation of the Chappur estate. Pensions for Nihal Singh's sons.	In reply, states that in conformity to the instructions contained in the foregoing letter, the entire amount of pensions granted to this family, including the two younger sons, is Rs. 1,120-8-0 per annum, to be borne by the revenues of the confiscated share of Nihal Singh.	Progs. for the week ending 11th November 1854—Nos. 1—3.
887	No. 2400, dated 7th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Collector of Meerut.	Merino rams from Australia.	Requests that on the arrival of the Australian rams at Meerut, he will be so good as to have them washed with country soap, with a solution of arsenic in the proportion of one pound to 12 gallons of water.	No. 14.
888	No. 336, dated 26th October 1854... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Examination of the Simla school.	In continuation of letter No. 210, dated the 5th July 1854, forwards a report on the examination of the Simla school held on the 29th September, with extracts from the Visitors' Books.	Nos. 27—30.
	No. 2415, dated 8th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, observes that the system of Managing Committees and half-yearly examinations is entirely approved of. The successful exertions of Mr. R. F. Saunders, the Assistant Commissioner, have been observed with satisfaction, and the Chief Commissioner considers that the question of appointing an European Headmaster does not call for immediate considerations.	
889	No. 299, dated 13th October 1854... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Church at Murree.	Forwards a copy of correspondence regarding the erection of a church at Murree. Observes that it having been found necessary to enlarge the original plan of the church, in consequence the increased ecclesiastical necessities of the station, the funds required for the purpose amount to Rs. 22,000. Recommends that Government be solicited to make a grant of half that amount, to be expended at once on the building and not withheld till the balance has been made up from private subscriptions.	Nos. 31—3.
	No. 958—2416, dated 8th November 1851. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and recommends that the grant of Rs. 7,000 previously sanctioned for the Murree church be raised to Rs. 11,000 and that the restriction be removed which precluded the expenditure of the Government donation until the remaining moiety of the estimated sum was made up by private subscriptions.	
890	No. 133, dated 26th October 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Selection of a site for the Dalhousie sanitarium.	States that Lieutenant Dawson, in charge of the Dalhousie road, reports that he expects it will be completed in December next. Solicits instructions for the appointment of a Committee for the selection of sites, &c.	Nos. 34 7.

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890—*concld.*	No. 960—2417, dated 8th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Selection of a site for the Dalhousie sanitarium.	Reports that the road to the Dalhousie sanitarium is approaching the requisite state of completion. Therefore suggests that a committee consisting of the Commissioner of the Division (Trans-Sutlej States), one Engineer officer to be selected by the Chief Engineer, and one Medical officer from the regiment at Nurpur or that at Gurdaspur be appointed to determine the sites of the European barracks.	Progs. for the week ending 11th November 1854—Nos. 34—7.
	No. 2418, dated 8th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner of the above recommendation, and observes that so soon as the road is opened, the locality of the station is to be first carefully surveyed and mapped and the main lines of roads traced and cut. After the allocation of the barracks and depôt, the selection of an eligible situation for the bazar is of special importance, and the rules which have been promulgated with so much advantage at Murree, regarding conservancy, &c., are to be followed at Dalhousie.	
	No. 2419, dated 8th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner. Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing.	
891	No. 1093, dated 30th October 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tahsils in each district.	Each of the Commissioners named submits a list of the tahsils in the several districts of his Division.	Nos. 40—49.
	No. 132, dated 23rd October 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 101, dated 6th October 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 238, dated 14th October 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 110, dated 14th October 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 125, dated 13th October 1854 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 125, dated 10th October 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			

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891—*concld.*	No. 2421, dated 8th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Adjutant-General of the Army.	Tahsils in each district.	Forwards a list of the several tahsils and districts in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 11th November 1854—Nos. 40—49.
892	No. 132, dated 27th October 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Arabic books for the Paris Exhibition, 1855.	Solicits sanction to make over three books, now in the custody of the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, to be sent with the other articles to the Paris Exhibition. These books were brought by Tamerlane from Arabia and found their way into the hands of Ranjit Singh. They are written in the Kufic character and would interest the savants of Paris.	Nos. 50—52.
	No. 2422, dated 8th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, authorizes the Commissioner to include the books in the selection being made for the Paris Exhibition, in anticipation of the sanction of Government, which has been applied for.	
	No. 962—2423, dated 8th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter, and states that the Chief Commissioner has authorised the transfer of the books in anticipation of Government sanction, which is now solicited. Requests instructions regarding the ultimate disposal of the books, as to whether they should be a donation to the French or English Government.	
893	No. 257, dated 4th November 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Medals, etc., for London Exhibition, 1851.	Reports that the medals and diplomas forwarded with letter No. 2063, dated the 18th September 1854, have been distributed, with the exception of those sent for Raja Wazir Singh. Observes that no *khariṭa* has been received to the address of the Maharaja of Patiala, and requests that one be forwarded. As it does not appear that the medals, etc., sent for Raja Wazir Singh are intended for the Chief of Faridkot, Commissioner would recommend that they be made over to Nawab Dilawar Khan of Maler Kotla, who was also an exhibitor. Encloses a list of the articles forwarded by him.	Nos. 77-8.
	No. 2433, dated 9th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, forwards a *khariṭa* for the Maharaja of Patiala, but observes that the list of articles supplied by the Nawab of Maler Kotla for the London Exhibition in no way corresponds with the list of those said to have been contributed by Raja Wazir Singh. Requests that he will, therefore, retain the medals, etc., till further orders.	
894	No. 4680, dated 27th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Roads from Hoshiarpur to Kangra and from Kohat to Hangu.	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, sanctioning the construction of the proposed roads from Hoshiarpur to Kangra and from Kohat to Hangu.	Nos. 79—83.
	No. 2434, dated 10th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and of paragraphs connected with the Hoshiarpur and Kangra road, but observes that the work of constructing that road is not to be commenced till the revised plan called for by Government in letter of the 6th of June has been approved of.	

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894—*concld.*	Nos. 2435-36, dated 10th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab, and the Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Roads from Hoshiarpur to Kangra and from Kohat to Hangu.	Forwards copies of the foregoing and of paragraphs relative to the Kohat and Hangu road.	Progs. for the week ending 11th November 1854— Nos. 79—83.
895	No. 3558, dated 28th October 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grand Trunk Road between Karnal and Ferozepore.	Submits a memorandum showing the state of the Grand Trunk Road between Karnal and Ferozepore and states that the sum of four of lakhs of rupees are required for prosecuting the work during the next six months.	Nos. 89—91.
	No. 971—2440, dated 11th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and solicits sanction to the expenditure of the amount required.	
896	No. 4733, dated 3rd November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles for the Paris Exhibition, 1855.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Central Committee for the selection of articles for the Paris Exhibition, and requests that the articles of the Punjab selection may be sent to Calcutta instead of to Bombay.	Nos. 101—03.
	No. 2446, dated 11th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Committee of Selection for Paris Exhibition.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
897	No. 4702, dated 27th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Construction of roads in the Punjab.	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, sanctioning the construction of the proposed roads in the Punjab, and requests that the instructions for the future therein contained, regarding the submission of proposals for the formation of roads and of estimates for their construction before the commencement of each working season, may be borne in mind.	Progs. for the week ending 18th November 1854— Nos. 1—6.
	Nos. 2447—9, dated 13th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab, the Judicial Commissioner, and the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards extracts from the enclosure of the foregoing letter.	
	No. 2450, dated 13th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
898	No. 4625, dated 26th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Roads planned and executed since annexation.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 803, dated the 14th September 1854, submitting a report by the Civil Engineer of the Punjab, with maps and plans of the roads planned and executed since annexation, intimates the appreciation of the Governor-General in Council of the zeal and energy which have been evinced in the department.	Nos. 12—18.

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898—*concld.*	No. 2453, dated 13th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Roads planned and executed since annexation.	Forwards a copy of the above and congratulates him and his subordinates on the success which the Government has commended in such handsome terms. Requests that he will send extracts to such of those officers of his department as have been specially mentioned therein.	Progs. for the week endihg 18th November 1854—Nos. 12—18.
	Nos. 2454—57, dated 13th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioners of Sialkot, Jhelum, Lahore and Gugera.	Ditto	Forwards extracts from the foregoing Government letter, commending them for their exertions in road making in their districts.	
899	No. 707, dated 27th October 1854... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of vegetables in the vicinity of cantonments to be encouraged.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissary-General and requests that the Chief Commissioner will cause effect to be given to the suggestion it contains for encouraging the cultivation of vegetables in the vicinity of Military cantonments.	Nos. 19-20.
	Circular No. 27—2458, dated 13th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of Major Ramsay's letter and requests they will instruct District Officers in whose jurisdiction cantonments may be situated to bring the subject to the special notice of chowdries and zamindars and to explain to them the profitable return which the culture of vegetables is likely to give.	
900	No. 3083, dated 14th October 1854 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of bungalows and dharmsalas for travellers.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Bombay Government, on the subject of construction of bungalows and dharmsalas for travellers in Sind, and requests to be favoured with suggestions on the subject.	Nos. 26—9.
	No. 2463, dated 14th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply, forwards a brief account of the arrangments made in the Punjab for the protection and comfort of travellers, and also a list of staging bungalows standing on the main roads.	
901	No. 1349-A, dated 30th October 1854. From—The Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of books for use in churches.	Forwards original letter from the Commissary to the Lord Bishop of Calcutta, with a bill from the Revd. Mr. Mayne, Chaplain at Ambala, for the purchase of books for the communion table in the church at that station.	Nos. 46—8.
	No. 981—2473, dated 14th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissary, with the bill, and observes that the Chief Commissioner does not feel confident that the Government will approve of the charge itself or of the amount, inasmuch as when the outlay for the church was sanctioned, it was implied that no further donation would be made by Government.	

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902	No. 4633, dated 25th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection by Captain Hollings of a private dwelling house within the precincts of the kutchery at Shahpur.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 881, dated the 6th October 1854, regarding the erection by Captain Hollings of a private dwelling house within the established precincts of the kutchery at Shahpur, observes that the Governor-General in Council considers that the proceeding of Captain Hollings was unauthorized and wrong, and His Lordship cannot regard that officer's defence as less than disingenuous Directs that the house be purchased by Government on the departure of Captain Hollings.	Progs. for the week ending 18th November 1854—Nos. 49-50.
	No. 2474, dated 14th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and with reference to the concluding paragraph, observes that the Chief Commissioner will not add anything to the terms of the Government letter which in themselves constitute a severe reprimand.	
903	No. 8, dated 25th October 1854 ... From—The Geological Surveyor. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the borax of Pangi.	Submits his report on the borax of Pangi, and forwards a map of the valley.	Nos. 57—60.
	No. 986—2479, dated 16th October 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards the above report and observes that as Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner of Kulu, who accompanied the Geologist on this excursion, has afforded practical information on previous occasions, some report from him would doubtless be interesting and he will, therefore, be addressed on the subject.	
	No. 2480, dated 16th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner at Kulu.	Ditto	Requests Captain Hay to submit a report on the result of his observations on the occasion of his accompanying Monsieur Marcadieu into Tibet, as to the resources of the valley and the prospects of an increased supply of borax.	
904	No. 4558, dated 20th October 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of public works in India.	Forwards a copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, regarding the construction of public works in India on an extended scale, and requests the Chief Commissioner will act on the instructions therein contained, with as little delay as possible.	Nos. 63—6.
	Circular No. 28—2482, dated 16th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Intimates that Government has called on the Chief Commissioner to submit a report on the wants of the Punjab as regards public works. Indicates the various points on which information is required and requests that they will submit the required information as early as possible. Explains that these reports are to refer only to works of unusual magnitude and importance.	
	No. 2483, dated 16th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing Government letter and requests that he will submit his report on the requirements of the Punjab within six weeks.	

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905	No. 4755, dated 7th November 1854. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Uncovenanted Head Assistants of offices authorized to frank official letters.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 857, dated the 27th September 1854, states that the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to authorize the Judicial and Financial Commissioners and the Secretaries to the Chief Commissioner to delegate their power of franking official letters to the uncovenanted Head Assistants of their respective offices.	Progs. for the week ending 18th November 1854—Nos. 92—5.
	Nos. 2497—99, dated 18th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Financial Commissioner and Military Secretary to Chief Commissioner.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the foregoing.	
906	No. 3762, dated 9th November 1854. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Opening of the bridge of boats over the Chenab.	Reports that the bridge of boats over the Chenab was opened for traffic on the 2nd November 1854. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 100.
907	No. 3755, dated 9th November 1854. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Completion of the bridge of boats at Attock.	Reports that the bridge of boats over the Indus at Attock was completed on the 27th October 1854. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 104.
908	No. *Nil*, dated 1st November 1854 From—Lieutenant A. Heath, on special duty. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Working of Timber Agency for October 1854	Submits his report of proceedings for October 1854. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 112.
909	No. 4813, dated 14th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New road from Attock to Peshawar round the Gidar Galli.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 911, dated the 20th October 1854, expresses the satisfaction of the Governor-General that the new line of road from Attock to Peshawar round the Gidar Galli pass is open to traffic.	Progs. for the week ending 25th November 1854—Nos. 24-5.
	No. 2515, dated 23rd November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
910	No. 27, dated 29th September 1854 From—The Superintendent, Pangi Timber Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Kashmir subjects prohibited from working for the Agency.	Reports that Lieutenant Heath has written to him to the effect that Diwan Jowala Sahai has prohibited the subjects of the Maharaja of Kashmir from working for him.	Nos. 32-3.

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910—*concld.*	No. 2521, dated 23rd November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Pangi Timber Agency.	Kashmir subjects prohibited from working for the agency.	In reply, observes that by the agreement executed in June 1854 it was intended that the officers of the British Agency should make their own arrangements regarding workmen, though, at the same time, it was not contemplated that any obstacles would be thrown in the way of those arrangements. Remarks that, on the submission of a similar complaint by Lieutenant Heath, the Chief Commissioner dissuaded the Maharaja from laying the embargo. Requests that he will make such arrangements by which the Agency will suffer no detriment from the indirect opposition of the Maharaja's agents, but should this be impracticable, requests he will prefer complaints for specific instances of prohibition on the part of the Maharaja's officers with substantiation proofs.	Progs. for the week *ending* 25th November 1854— Nos. 32-3.
911	No. 4853, dated 15th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Taccavi grant to Messrs. Dyer Brothers for a brewery at Kasauli.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 923, dated the 27th October 1854, regarding an application made by Messrs. Dyer Brothers, brewers at Kasauli, for an advance of Rs. 5,000, states that His Lordship in Council sees no sufficient reason why Government should lend money for the furtherance of such speculations.	Nos. 41-2.
	No. 2528, dated 24th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing, for information.	
912	No. 26, dated 28th September 1854 From—The Superintendent, Pangi Timber Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bashahr forests.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1971, dated the 9th September 1854, calling for an expression of his opinion on the capabilities of the Bashahr forests, refers the Chief Commissioner to his report on the Beas and Sutlej rivers, and observes that an Agency might will be established on the banks of the latter river, since the Chiefs of the States on the banks are anxious to dispose of their timber.	Nos. 46-7.
	No. 2530, dated 24th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Hill States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and of extracts from Major Longden's report and observes that that officer is favourable to the establishment of an Agency on the Sutlej, but as many political and social questions are involved in the matter, calls his special attention to the point, and requests that he will submit his positive opinion thereon. Remarks that, for the purpose of mastering the subject, he should visit the timber producing localities within his jurisdiction, so that his report may be founded on information obtained on the spot.	
913	No. *Nil*, dated 6th November 1854 From—The Superintendent, Electric Telegraph. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Telegraph messages.	Forwards three copies of instructions for conveying messages of importance by electric telegraph. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 92.

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914	No. 320, dated 2nd November 1854 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scheme for drainage of Gujrat.	Submits correspondence containing a proposition for an extensive system of drainage in Gujrat, involving an expense of Rs. 35,000.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd December 1854— Nos. 23-4.
	No. 2560, dated 28th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner concurs with the Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner in thinking that the necessity or even expediency of the proposed measure is hardly apparent. The inundation referred to by the Engineer officers is extremely fertilizing, leaving as it does a rich deposit, thereby producing the prosperity of a fine tract of land. The agriculturists themselves attach the utmost importance to these floods and contemplate their divergence with dismay.	
915	No. 115, dated 27th November 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Glauber salts from *kullur*.	States that M. Marcadieu had proceeded to Ladak previous to receipt of Circular No. 13, relative to experiments for the production of glauber salts from *kullur*, and that, therefore, no chemical experiments could be tried.	No. 30.
916	No. 4855, dated 15th November 1854 From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repairs to cemeteries.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 925, dated the 28th October 1854, states that the repairs to the cemeteries in the Punjab will be made by the Department of Public Works, on the requisition of the Chaplain in whose immediate charge they are.	Nos. 37—40.
	Circular No. 29—2567, dated 30th November 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto Responsiblity of Chaplains, Deputy Commissioners and Executive Engineers defined.	Circulates copies of the above letter to the officers concerned, and observes that at stations where there is a resident Chaplain, he will himself see to the conservancy of the burial ground, but when such is not the case, the Deputy Commissioner should report to the Chaplain within whose circle of superintendence the station may be, whenever repairs may be needed. Adds, however, that in stations not within the cure of any particular Chaplain, the Deputy Commissioner will consider himself responsible for the conservancy of the burial ground and will address requisitions for repairs to the nearest Executive Engineer. Directs that at stations where no burial ground has been established, the Deputy Commissioner should proceed to mark one off.	
	No. 2568, dated 30th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto Provision of a burial ground at Gujrat.	In sending the above Circular, calls attention to the circumstance that there is no properly constituted burial ground at Gujrat and requests that he will instruct the Deputy Commissioner to provide one.	
	No. 2569, dated 30th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing Government letter and of the circular.	

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917	No. 653, dated 22nd November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repair to cemeteries.	With reference to letter No. 4855, dated the 15th October 1854, requests that the Chief Engineer may be directed to repair the cemeteries in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 9th December 1854— Nos. 11-12.
	No. 2581, dated 5th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
918	No. 2585, dated 5th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Administration of the Peshawar Division. Improvement s noticeable in police working. Working of *Chungi* system. Revenue administrati o n unsatisfactory.	Communicates the remarks of the Chief Commissioner on the administration of the Peshawar Division. With regard to the Police arrangements, observes that there are many improvements visible, yet there are points that are still susceptible of improvement and open to remedy. Conveys instructions as to the proper and careful introduction and management of the *Chungi* system. Expresses the satisfaction of the Chief Commissioner at the greater popularity and improved management of the Peshawar civil courts. Remarks on the investiture of Tahsildars with judicial powers, their primary duties being those pertaining to the revenue department. That under these circumstances the Tahsildar of Peshawar should not have been so vested, nor those of the Hazoor Tahsil who have a large quantity of miscellaneous work on their hands. The revenue administration of the Division has not made that progress which was desirable, and the village Patwaris do not appear to have been organized or instructed. Calls his special attention to the fact that, when in Eusufzai, the Chief Commissioner was beset with complaints regarding landed tenures and on looking over the revenue returns of the Assistant Commissioner no suits appeared to have been preferred, it being manifest from this that there was something wrong in the revenue administration of the district.	Nos. 17—20.
	No. 2586, dated 5th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from the above.	
	No. 2587, dated 5th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from the above.	
	No. 2588, dated 5th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from the foregoing letter and requests that he will impress on Lieutenant Hamilton the necessity of keeping himself in communication constantly with Major Edwardes. With reference to those passages which allude to separate lines of roads for short distances leading from the same given point, one to the city and the other to cantonments, it is desirable that the Civil authorities should have an opportunity of expressing their views before such double lines are commenced.	

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919	No. 4054, dated 24th November 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Boats for the Peshawar district.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Taylor, Superintendent, Lahore and Peshawar Road, reporting that the 70 boats ordered to be built by the late Board of Administration for the Peshawar district have been completed and made over to the Civil authorities.	Progs. for the week ending 9th December 1854—Nos. 41—3.
	No. 2598, dated 6th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	With reference to the intimation contained in the above letter, requests the Commissioner will state the manner in which he proposes employing and distributing these vessels.	
920	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd November 1854 From—Revd. H. Saunderson Fisher, Commissary to the Lord Bishop To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Provision of furniture for churches.	Requests that the Revd. Mr. Shaw, Chaplain at Rawalpindi, may be permitted to submit an indent for church furniture for the new church at that station.	Nos. 44-5.
	No. 2599, dated 6th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Revd. H. Saunderson Fisher, Commissary to the Lord Bishop.	Ditto General principles.	In reply, states that the Hon'ble Court of Directors in a despatch having reference to the erection of churches in the Punjab, laid it down as a fundamental principle that while the substantial fabric should be raised by the State, the accessories, such as furniture and ornaments, should be defrayed by private subscriptions. On these grounds, the Chief Commissioner does not think that an application to Government would be of any avail, but suggests that, if His Lordship the Bishop of Calcutta should think a Government grant for furniture to the Rawalpindi church absolutely necessary, His Lordship might possibly see fit himself to address the Government on the subject.	
921	No. 5052, dated 28th November 1854. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Confiscation of the Chappar estate. Pensions for Nihal Singh's sons.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 952, dated the 6th November 1854, conveys sanction to the distribution of the pensions, as detailed, to the family of Nihal Singh, chargeable to the confiscated share of that individual in the Chappar estate.	Nos. 61-2.
	No. 2609, dated 7th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
922	No. 5043, dated 28th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Murree church.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 958, dated the 8th November 1854, conveys sanction to the grant to the Murree church being raised to Rs. 11,000, and removes the restriction precluding the expenditure of the Government donation till the estimated sum is made up by private subscriptions.	Nos. 75-6.
	No. 2616, dated 7th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing, for information.	

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923	No. 3164, dated 23rd November 1854. From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Management of dâk bungalows.	Requests to be furnished with a copy of the rules for the management of dâk bungalows in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 9th December 1854—Nos. 77—80.
	No. 2617, dated 7th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply, forwards copies of certain documents containing the information required, and adds, with reference to the cost of establishment required for staging bungalows, that although it varies according to the size of the station in which the bungalow is located, it nowhere exceeds Rs. 17 per month.	
924	No. 155, dated 24th November 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Antimony in Spiti.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner of Kulu, reporting the discovery of a mine of antimony in Spiti.	Nos. 83-4.
	No. 2619, dated 7th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, requests that Commissioner will send spicemens of the ore for transmission to Government. Instructs him also to ascertain and report the price of the mineral at the foot of the hills.	
925	No. 4111, dated 27th November 1854. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Measures for securing timber floated down the Chenab at a Akhnur.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer, Sialkot, containing a proposal for securing timber floated down the Chenab at Akhnur, by fixing a boom across that river at that station and, as the cost would be trifling, recommends that the experiment be tried. Adds that Captain Maxwell, on a previous occasion, addressed the Board of Administration on the same subject.	Nos. 93—5.
	No. 2624, dated 8th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, calls for a rough estimate of the probable cost, as without such information, the expediency of the plan cannot be determined. Adds that the letter of Captain Maxwell alluded to cannot be traced in this office, and requests he will therefore send a copy.	
926	No. 270, dated 24th November 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for management of the Simla Local Funds.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, with a set of the rules for the management of the Simla Local Funds.	Nos. 96 -100.
	No. 2625, dated 8th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the proposed rules have met with the Chief Commissioner's approval, but calls attention to the concluding sentence of the first rule which enacts that an individual refusing to act as Commissioner when once elected will be fined Rs. 200. Observes that the legality of the rule is questionable. Under sections 6 and 7, a person so refusing can only be fined to the extent of Rs. 50. Requests a reconsideration of the point and enquires whether this rule obtains in Mussoorie.	
927	No. 272, dated 25th November 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Samples of mineral waters.	In reply to Circular No. 23, dated the 16th August 1854, states that the Deputy Commissioner of Ambala has sent on to the Medical Board 8 bottles of the mineral waters of the Cis-Sutlej States. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 122.

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928	No. 4967, dated 24th November 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Selection of sites in new sanitarium at Dalhousie.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 960, dated the 8th November 1854, conveys the approval of Government to the proposal to assemble a committee to determine the sites for the European barracks at the new sanitarium at Dalhousie.	Progs. for the week ending 16th December 1854—Nos. 25—8.
	No. 2654, dated 12th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and states that the Chief Engineer and the Superintending Surgeon have been directed to nominate the Engineer and Medical members, respectively. Calls his special attention to the injuction of Government relative to the primary importance of selecting a good site for the European Barracks.	
	No. 2655, dated 12th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will name an Engineer Officer to serve on the committee.	
	No. 2656, dated 12th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon.	Ditto	Requests that he will nominate a Medical Officer to serve on the committee.	
929	No. 1, dated 29th November 1854 From—Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner, Kulu. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Borax in Pangi	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2480, dated the 16th November 1854, reports in detail on the subject of borax.	Nos. 29-30.
	No. 1060—2657, dated 12th December 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and observes that it will be seen that Captain Hay does not concur with many of the opinions advanced by M. Marcadieu on practical points.	
930	No. *Nil*, dated 6th November 1854 From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of flax.	Submits an application on the part of the society for the building known as Sardar Lehna Singh's Chowni for the purpose of carrying out the views of the Society with reference to the cultivation of flax.	Nos. 35—8.
	No. *Nil*, dated 27th November 1854 From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Land required for mulberry plantations for silk worms.	Requests a reconsideration of the application made for a piece of land on which to cultivate the *morus multicantis* for food for silk worms, and submits additional reasons advanced by the Society in support of the proposition.	

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930—*concld.*	No. 2659, dated 13th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Land required for mulberry plantations for silk worms. Private enterprise to be encouraged. No intention to establish a Government silk factory.	In reply to the preceding letters, explains that the object in view has been, not to establish a large silk factory as a Government concern, but to make an experiment on a moderate scale for producing indigenous silk so as to induce capitalists to engage in the production. The amount already allowed by Government, namely, Rs. 250 per month, together with the cost already incurred (nearly Rs. 6,000), which it is likely will be incurred for the next two years, also is very liberal and the means at present at the Society's disposal ought enable it to pursue the experiment quite as far as it ought to be carried. Calls for a detailed statement of what has been undertaken hitherto in the silk operations and with what result; what it is proposed to undertake and what to expend next year; how long the operations will last, and what will be the total cost of the experiment to Government.	Progs. for the week ending 16th December 1854—Nos. 35—8.
931	No. 3309, dated 6th November 1854 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transit duties levied in Bahawalpur on goods sent by Government camel-train. Alternative route for the camel-train.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Postmaster in Sind, and requests the Chief Commissioner will state whether any or what transit duties will be levied in Bahawalpur territory on goods sent by Government camel-train from Rohri to Multan. In the event of their being any difficulties in running the camel-train to Multan along the left bank *viâ* Bahawalpur, enquires whether arrangements could be made to ensure the safety of the goods in transit along the right bank from Kusmore *viâ* Asni, and also whether the post office boats on the Sutlej can be made available for crossing the train goods or whether it would be necessary to employ the ferry.	Nos. 61—4.
	No. 2671, dated 13th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner of arrangements having been made for the establishment of a Government camel-train between Sukkur and Multan, for the transit of merchandize, and enquires whether the post office boats on the Sutlej could be made available for crossing the train goods or whether it would be necessary to employ the ferry contractor for the purpose, and requests in both cases he will state the number and quality of the boats.	
	No. 2672, dated 13th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from the preceding letter and requests he will enquire how protection could be afforded for the safety of the goods along the right bank of the Indus, should it be found expedient to adopt that route.	
932	No. 4412, dated 9th December 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a gallery in the Rawalpindi church.	Forwards a copy of correspondence relative to a proposition for the construction of a light gallery in the church at Rawalpindi at a cost of Rs. 300, for the accommodation of the chair and harmonium.	Nos. 83—5.

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932—*concld.*	No. 2681, dated 16th December 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto General principles.	In reply, informs the Chief Engineer that, under the terms of the Government orders sanctioning certain sums for Punjab churches, the Chief Commissioner is prohibited from making any additional or subsidiary grants. From intimations already received, he has reason to think that such a grant would not be approved by Government. Such applications for the Rawalpindi church have not been infrequent, as furniture has been asked for, a verbal request was made to the Chief Commissioner for the construction of an enclosure to preserve the edifice from desecration, and now a gallery has been projected. If the Chaplain has reason to think the Government grant insufficient, he should state the fact and his reasons for so thinking, for the consideration of Government.	Progs for the week ending 16th December 1854. Nos. 85—5.
933	No. *Nil*, dated 29th November 1854 From—H. L. Inman, Esq., Chief Engineer, Chukkarry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Coal mines near Kalabagh and Attock.	Submits a proposition for examining the coal mines near Kalabagh and Attock.	Nos. 102—04.
	No. 2696, dated 16th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. L. Inman, Esq., Chief Engineer, Chukkarry.	Ditto	In reply, states that there is no coal at Kalabagh, but thin layers of lignite not worth excavating.	
934	No. 4319, dated 6th December 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Opening of the bridge of boats over the Jhelum.	Reports that the bridge of boats over the Jhelum river was opened for traffic on the 18th October with a single road way. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 128.
935	No. 5134, dated 1st December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Provisions of books for churches.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 981, dated the 14th November 1854, forwards copy of a letter to the Commissary of the Lord bishop of Calcutta, passing the Bill for books for the communion table of the Ambala church. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 130-31.
936	No. 352, dated 11th December 1854 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Kasauli church.	Forwards correspondence, in original, regarding a sum of Rs. 12,000 required for the completion of the church at Kasauli. Explains that 9/10 of the church is occupied by the European soldiers at the station and that of the entire sum raised by Government donation, private subscriptions, from the church building fund, &c, 1/5 only has been contributed by the Supreme Government. On these grounds, recommends that Government be moved to grant a further donation of Rs. 12,000.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd December 1854— Nos. 16—17.

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936—*concld.*	No. 1084—2707, dated 22nd December 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	The Kasauli church.	Forwards a copy of the foregoing and, for the reasons urged by Mr. Montgomery and the Church Committee, recommends that the required sum be granted.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd December 1854.—Nos. 16-17.
937	No. 4329, dated 6th December 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scheme for draining the country between the Sursuttee Tangi and Mirkunda rivers.	Forwards a copy of correspondence from the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Circle, relative to a proposition for draining the country between the Sursutti Tangi and Mirkunda rivers, and applying the waste water for purposes of cultivation.	Nos. 18—20.
	No. 2708, dated 22nd December 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that as the work alluded to can hardly be undertaken at the present, the Chief Commissioner suggests that he should include it among the great public works for the Punjab, a report of which has been asked for by letter No. 2483, dated the 16th November 1854.	
938	No. 5163, dated 6th December 1854 From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Three Arabic books belonging to the late Lahore Government.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 962, dated the 8th November 1854, states that the three oriental books belonging to the late Lahore Government and now in the Toshakhana should be sent to Calcutta, for despatch to the Hon'ble Court of Directors.	Nos. 25-6.
	No. 1090—2711, dated 22nd December 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Under-Secretary to the Government of the India.	Ditto	In reply advises despatch of the books required by dâk *banghy*.	
939	No. *Nil*, dated 8th December 1854 From—Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner of Kulu. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supplementary report on borax. Localities in Tibet at which borax is sold.	Submits a supplementary report on borax and mentions certain localities in Tibet at which borax of a superior description is sold in large quantities.	Nos. 35-6.
	No. 1088—2716, dated 22nd December 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, in continuation of letter No. 1060, dated the 12th December 1854.	
940	No. 4011, dated 22nd November 1854. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of timber for the Bari Doab Canal works. Difficulty experienced in getting timber from the Chamba agents.	With reference to letter No. 244, dated the 10th February 1854, forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Dyas, Director of Canals, regarding the supply of timber for the Bari Doab Canal works. Remarks on the difficulty now experienced in getting timber from the Chamba agents, and solicits the Chief Commissioner's interference in the matter, as the authorities at that place state that they cannot sell wood without authority from Lahore.	Nos. 52—4.
	No. 2721½, dated 22nd December 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, observes that there must be some mistake in the matter, but as the Chief Commissioner is on his way to Shahpur, he will, by personal enquiry, ascertain the circumstances of the case and issue the necessary instructions.	

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941	No. *Nil*, dated 15th December 1854 From—H. Cope, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lime stone from the Salt Range suitable for lithography.	Asks to be supplied with a few slabs of the lime stone alluded to in Dr. Fleming's report on the Salt Range as suitable for lithographic purposes.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd December 1854— Nos. 66-
	No. 2727, dated 22nd December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from Dr. Fleming's report and requests he will procure three or four of the slabs therein alluded to, and forward them to Lahore.	
942	No. 1263, dated 12th December 1854 From—The Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Samples of petroleum.	Advises despatch of five bottles of petroleum.	Nos. 82—4.
	No. 2737, dated 22nd December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto Protection against white ants.	Forwards two bottles, as it is understood that wood smeared over with the substance is preserved from white ants, and requests, if such should be found to be the case, after trial, that he will report it.	
	No. 2738, dated 22nd December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiarpur.	Ditto	Forwards two bottles of petroleum, as his office racks suffer from white ants and the liquid might be useful to him. Requests he will report the result to this office.	
943	No. 2753, dated 23rd December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant R. N. Tronson, Captain of Police, Multan Division.	Medal and certificate, etc., awarded for London Exhibition, 1851.	Forwards a medal, a certificate and a copy of the Jury Reports awarded to him by the Royal Commissioners of the Great Exhibition.	No. 110.
944	No. 446, dated 18th December 1854 From—The Deputy Commissioner of Ambala. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams from Australia.	Reports that he has forwarded the Australian rams by bullock-train and that one of them has died.	No. 132.
945	No. *Nil*, dated 14th December 1854 From—Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner of Kulu. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles from Kulu for Paris Exhibition, 1855.	States that, under instructions from the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, he has collected some specimens of silks and other curiosities for the Paris Exhibition, and requests to be informed to whom he is to make them over and how he is to be reimbursed.	Progs. for the week ending 30th December 1854— Nos. 6-7.
	No. 2766, dated 27th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Paris Exhibition Committee.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter and requests he will make the necessary arrangements in the matter.	
946	No. 5251, dated 8th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Education in the Punjab.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, calling for information regarding the state of education throughout the Punjab, and requests that the required information may be submitted.	Nos. 8—10.
	No. 1107—2767, dated 27th December 1854. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, refers the Hon'ble Court to letter No. 363, dated the 1st May 1854, with its enclosures, from the Judicial Commissioner.	

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947	No. 172, dated 21st December 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Objections to proposed new road from Phillaur to Wazirghat.	In connection with the proposed new road from Phillaur to Wazirghat, states that it will necessitate a new bridge, at a large cost, over the eastern Beyn, and that all the 'serais and police posts built along the present road will be rendered useless. A railroad will certainly supersede it before long, absorbing all the traffic to and from the North-West. It passes through a tract of very highly cultivated country, and will therefore do injury to individuals, without any corresponding advantage to the public. For these reasons, he recommends that the present line should be simply put into good order and straightened, where it is needlessly tortuous.	Progs. for the week ending 30th December 1854—Nos. 28-9.
	No 2779, dated 28th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing, for consideration, and requests that, before the works are actually commenced, Mr. Edgeworth's arguments may be carefully weighed and a further report thereon, together with sketch maps, may be submitted to this office.	
948	No. 310, dated 23rd December 1854 From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiana. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Certain books for the Paris Exhibit i o n, 1855.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter dated the 15th December 1854, states that the books therein referred to have all been sent to the Paris Exhibition and forwards a list of them, with the prices paid for each.	Nos. 44—6.
	No. 2786, dated 28th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary to the Paris Selection Committee.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
949	No. 5292, dated 15th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	M. Marcadieu's report on borax.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 986, dated the 16th November 1854, conveys the thanks of the Government to M. Marcadieu for his very full and complete report on borax in the Pangi valley.	Nos. 50-51.
	No. 2788, dated 28th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for perusal.	
950	No. 360, dated 19th December 1854 From—The Secretary, Paris Exhibtion Committee. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lahore collection for the Paris Exhibition.	Enquires the probable date on which he may expect the Lahore collection.	Nos. 66-7.
	No. 2796, dated 29th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Paris Exhibition Committee.	Ditto	In reply, states that the first package has already been sent; the second will start on the 31st December 1854, and the whole collection ought to reach him by the 5th February 1855.	

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951	No. 2890, dated 4th December 1854 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed bridge over the Barra river.	Submits a plan and estimate for a bridge over the Barra river, intended [at all seasons to connect Peshawar with Kohat, *vid* Bazid Khel, and trusts that, in consideration of the very great importance of the work, the outlay of Rs. 8,477-6-9 may be sanctioned.	Progs. for the week ending 30th December 1854—Nos. 85-6.
	No. 2855, dated 29th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the proposed expenditure.	
952	No. 174, dated 23rd December 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules in force at the sanitarium at Murree to be applied to Dalhousie.	Returns the correspondence relative to the rules in force at the sanitarium at Murree and states that they will be rigidly observed in laying out the sanitarium at Dalhousie. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 107.
953	No. 5303, dated 15th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Carriage of packages exceeding 12 tolas by letter mail.	Forwards a copy of Government instructions regarding the despatch of packages exceeding 12 tolas by letter mail, when such despatch is emergent and on the public service. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 111-12.

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954	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd November 1854 From—Messrs. Jehangeer & Co., Merchants, Peshawar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Seizure at Jhelum of camels loaded with merchandise.	Complain of the seizure by the local authorities at Jhelum of their camels while conveying merchandise of great value *vid* Jhelum to Peshawar, by which they have been put to serious loss.	Progs. for the week ending 6th January 1855— Nos. 1—4.
	No. 1, dated 2nd January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards the petition, for report, and observes that the firm showed the Chief Commissioner, when he was at Peshawar, numerous chests said to contain 3,000 dozen of beer which had been spoiled by exposure to the sun during their detention after seizure at Jhelum. This circumstance is greatly regretted, inasmuch as the protection and encouragement of commerce is an important branch of civil duty. If the camels were seized for the use of troops, it was the duty of the Military officer to have given timely notice of his requirements, by which such a seizure as the one complained of would have been avoided.	
	No. 2, dated 2nd January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Jehangeer & Co., Peshawar.	Ditto	Informs them that their petition has been referred to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division for report.	
955	No. 2—11, dated 3rd January 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Merino rams from Australia.	Intimates the arrival at Lahore of 20 of the Australian rams.	No. 13.
956	No. *Nil*, dated 8th November 1854 From—E. Balfour, Esq., Surgeon, Madras Army. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cholera in the Punjab.	Asks for any information which may be forthcoming on the subject of cholera in the Punjab.	Nos. 15-16.
	No. 13, dated 5th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—E. Balfour, Esq., Surgeon, Madras Army.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner is not in possession of any statistics of the nature required, and suggests a reference to the Medical Board for professional details regarding occasional visitations of the epidemic at large stations in the Punjab. Communicates a few general remarks on the subject for his further guidance.	
957	No. 5352, dated 19th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Administration Report of the Punjab for 1852-53.	Conveys the orders and remarks of the Governor-General in Council on the Report of the Administration of the Punjab for the year 1852-53.	Nos. 27—39.
	No. 21, dated 5th January 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards extracts from the above letter and requests that the thanks of the Government may be communicated to the officers therein named.	
	No. 22, dated 5th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards extracts from the above letter.	

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957—*concld.*	No. 23, dated 5th January 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—G. P. Edmonstone, Esq., late Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Administration Report of the Punjab for 1852-53.	Forwards extracts from the above letter.	Progs. for the week ending 6th January 1855—Nos. 27—39.
	No. 24, dated 5th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards extracts and requests that he will convey the thanks of Government to the officers therein named.	
	Nos. 25—32, dated 5th January 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The (1) Chief Engineer; (2) Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States; (3) Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States; (4) Commissioner of the Lahore Division; (5) Commissioner of the Multan Division; (6) Commissioner of the Jhelum Division; (7) Commissioner of the Leiah Division; (8) Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards extracts from the letter and requests that the thanks of Government may be conveyed to the officers therein named.	
	No. 33, dated 5th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Prisons, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from the letter conveying the approval of the Government of his efficiency and zeal.	
958	No. 266, dated 13th November 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Preservation of hill forests.	Forwards a copy of his instructions to the Deputy Commissioner of Simla on the subject of the preservation of hill forests, and observes that, although he has frequently called on that officer for his report on the subject, he has not received a reply.	Progs. for the week ending 13th January 1855—Nos. 5—9.
	No. 285, dated 6th December 1854 Fro —The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits the report called for from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, and observes that that officer promises to forward to the Chief Commissioner a more comprehensive one than that now submitted. Proposes certain rules for the better conservation of the hill forests of the Cis-Sutlej States.	
	No. 43, dated 8th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of Hill States.	Ditto	With reference to his promise to submit a full report on the subject of hill forests and their conservation, requests that he will do so at an early date, but if he is unable to do so, he is requested to intimate accordingly.	
959	No. 162, dated 8th December 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Trans Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Price of antimony.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2619, reports the prices at which antimony is sold at Jullundur and the foot of the hills, *viz.*, Rs. 20 per Company's maund, and adds that he will address Monsieur Marcadieu on the subject.	Nos. 14—16.
	No. 173, dated 22nd December 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on antimony discovered by Captain Hay in Kulu.	Forwards the report of M M readieu on the antimony discovered by Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner of Kulu.	

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959—*concld.*	No. 19—46, dated 8th January 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Report on antimony discovered by Captain Hay in Kulu.	Forwards a copy of the above correspondence and of Monsieur Marcadieu's report, and observes that the accuracy of the several opinions therein can only be tested by experiment, but if the mineral were to prove really good antimony, there is no doubt that it would find a ready market in the Punjab, where large quantities of it are used by the natives for medicinal purposes and also as collyrium.	Progs. for the week ending 13th January 1855—Nos. 14—16.
960	No. *Nil*, dated 1st January 1855 ... From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Experiments in sericulture.	Submits a memo. of the expenses which have attended the experiment in the production of silk and of those likely to attend it during 1855-56, from which it will be seen that the operations of the Society will have cost by that time (1856) Rs. 21,000.	Nos. 22-3.
	No. 50, dated 8th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto Mulberry plantations.	Observes, in reply, that in his present estimates, the fitting up of Lehna Singh's *chauni* and the provision of police accommodation have not been included. The Chief Commissioner, therefore, trusts that these proposals have been abandoned. Remarks, however, that the cost of the proposed mulberry plantations, *viz.*, Rs. 2,000 per annum, have been included and further consideration has only served to render the Chief Commissioner more averse than ever to this proposition. By the omission of this item, there will be a saving of Rs. 4,000, in consequence of which the aggregate will fall to Rs. 17,000. If the Society will consent to forego the two projects relative to the *chauni* and the plantations, the Chief Commissioner will recommend sanction to the expenditure of Rs. 17,000 or 18,000, but if, on the contrary, the Society still desire to urge either of those propositions, the Chief Commissioner will submit the correspondence, but will withhold his recommendation.	
961	No. 908, dated 30th December 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed transfer of the Saddar Station from Thanesar to Ladwa.	Submits correspondence received from the Deputy Commissioner of Thanesar (and a report from the Medical Committee assembled for the purpose), relative to the proposed abandonment of the Saddar Station of Thanesar on account of its insalubrity. Remarks that he entirely concurs in the opinions therein expressed, and recommends the selection of Ladwa as a site for the Saddar, after it has been examined by a Medical Committee.	Nos. 24—30.

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961—*concld.*	No. 52, dated 8th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Proposed transfer of the Saddar Station from Thanesar to Ladwa. Sanitary improvement of Thanesar suggested. Temporary transfer to Ladwa sanctioned.	In reply, states that although the Chief Commissioner believes that much weight is due to the arguments he has adduced, there are considerations which show that Thanesar should not be lightly abandoned. Observes that Thanesar has administrative advantages; that it is the most important and populous city in the district; that it is centrally situated and is on the Grand Trunk Road, advantages which neither Ladwa nor Kythal possesses. Requests he will try whether the locality of Thanesar cannot be improved by scientific means, and states that the Chief Engineer will, therefore, be addressed on the subject. In the meanwhile, conveys authority for the removal of the whole or the greater portion of the establishment to Ladwa during the sickly season.	Progs. for the week ending 18th January 1855—Nos. 24—30.
	No. 53, dated 8th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to a proposal which has been made relative to the abandonment of the Saddar Station at Thanesar on account of the sickness with which the establishment have been annually afflicted, requests that he will consider whether the evil cannot be remedied by any judicious system of drainage.	
962	No. 1294, dated 12th December 1854. From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	List of covenanted Civil Servants.	Calls for a list, as soon after the current year as possible, of the covenanted Civil Servants in the Punjab.	Nos. 43—5.
	No. 61, dated 10th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, submits the required statement, prepared as far as practicable according to the forms prescribed.	
963	No. *Nil*, dated 21st October 1854 ... From—Major J. G. Holmes. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Two merino rams and 12 ewes from the Cape of Good Hope for Hazara.	Intimates the shipment of two merino rams and 12 ewes from the Cape of Good Hope in order to introduce the breed into the Hazara country and recommends that they be reared in a place called Mangul in that district.	Nos. 70—72.
	No. 75, dated 12th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests that he will furnish any information he may possess regarding Mangul, the locality referred to, and will state whether waste lands are available in the neighbourhood of Mangul.	
	No. 76, dated 12th January 1855 ... *From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.* *To—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.*	Ditto	Forwards an extract from Major Holmes' letter relative to his having shipped two merino rams and 12 ewes for the Punjab, with the view of introducing the breed into the Hazara country.	

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964	No. 3 dated 5th January 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Simla Local Committee rules.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2625, dated the 8th December 1854, forwards a copy of correspondence received from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, from which it will be seen that the Municipal Commissioners are now desirous of having the clause levying a fine of Rs. 00 on any member refusing to sit as a Commissioner when once elected, expunged.	Progs. for the week ending 13th January 1855—Nos. 79—83.
	No. 34—81, dated 13th January 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the correspondence, together with copies of the new rules framed by the Municipal Commissioners of Simla, and proposes that the scale of establishment as originally sanctioned be increased.	
965	No. 3872, dated 30th December 1854 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of remounts by a Standing Committee at Karachi.	Forwards copies of correspondence with the Bombay Government on the subject of the formation of a Committee at Karachi or at Sukkur for the purchase of horses for the mounted branches of the army, together with his reasons for thinking the former the more eligible locality.	Nos. 101—04.
	No. 90, dated 13th January 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Observes, in reply, that the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that the objects of the scheme would be defeated if the Committee were established at Sukkur, the chief of which objects was to enable parties in the Punjab to purchase Arab horses, which they are at present unable to do owing to the enormous prices now required. Northern horses can be purchased in the Derajat and in Peshawar in abundance for the Frontier Irregular Regiment.	
	No. 39—91, dated 13th January 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
966	No 5474, dated 27th December 1854 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Private dwelling house built by the Deputy Commissioner of Shahpur in the kutchery compound.	Forwards a copy of correspondence with Major Hollings, Deputy Commissioner, Shahpur, regarding his private dwelling house at that station. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 107-08.
967	No. 254, dated 29th December 1854 From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Kangra. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Antimony discovered by Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner of Kulu.	Forwards a specimen of the antimony discovered by Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner of Kulu. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 109.

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968	No. 8, dated 7th January 1855 ... From—Major G. E. Hollings, Deputy Commissioner of Shahpur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Navigation of the Jhelum.	Reports that H. M.'s 22nd Regiment passed Shahpur by water the day before, and, as the water is low, it is clear that the Jhelum is practicable for the conveyance of troops at all seasons of the year. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Progs. for the week ending 13th January 1855—No. 114.
969	No. 33, dated 5th January 1855 ... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of the Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repayment of war loan to Patiala.	Forwards correspondence relative to the payment to the Maharaja of Patiala of the sum of 5 lacs of rupees, in part liquidation of the debt of 28 lacs due to him by the British Government.	Progs. for the week ending 20th January 1855—Nos. 20—22.
	No. 102, dated 18th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
970	No. 4857, dated 4th January 1855 .. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Training of students in Sanawar Asylum as Public Works Department Overseers.	States that he (Chief Engineer) during his recent tour visited the Lawrence Asylum and ascertained from the Revd. Mr. Parker that he was proposed to educate a number of youths in the lower branches of the Department of Public Works, with the view to their being of use to the department as Overseers, provided the necessary scientific instruments were supplied. Solicits permission to make over such as he may have in store and to the purchase of the rest.	Nos. 36-7.
	No. 57—112, dated 20th January 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation.	
971	No. 40, dated 13th January 1855 ... From—Captain Hay, Assistant Commissioner, Kulu. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles for the Paris Exhibition.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter dated the 8th January 1855, intimates the despatch of articles for the Paris Exhibition, and encloses a list.	Nos. 41—3.
	No. 114, dated 20th January 1855 . From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Committee of Selection for the Paris Exhibition.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and priced catalogue and observes that the articles should be paid for from the unappropriated balance, if there be any, remaining out of the half lac sanctioned by Government. Otherwise an application must be submitted for the extra expenditure.	
972	No. 10, dated 12th January 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ferruginous resources of the Kulu district.	Submits a report by Monsieur Marcadieu, in French and English on the ferruginous resources of the Kulu district, together with a sketch map of the localities alluded to therein.	Nos. 53—6½.
	No. 62—120, dated 20th January 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and report, and observes that the Chief Commissioner concurs with Mr. Edgeworth in thinking that, in the event of further measures being undertaken, a smelting furnace near the mines will be preferable to one at Boyowra, as proposed by Monsieur Marcadieu.	

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972—*concld.*	No. 121, dated 20th January 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ferruginous resources of the Kulu district.	Requests that the specimens of iron alluded to by him in his letter may be sent to this office, for transmission to Government.	Progs. for the week ending 20th January 1855—Nos. 53—½.
973	No. *Nil*, dated 6th January 1855 ... From—Messrs. Jehangeer & Co., Peshawar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Seizure at Jhelum of camels laden with merchandise.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1, dated the 2nd January 1855, and returns their acknowledgments for the prompt attention given to their complaint regarding the detention of their camels by the Jhelum authorities. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 59.
974	No. 5124, dated 12th January 1855 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Proposed transfer of headquarters from Thanesar to Ladwa.	With reference to the suggestion for the abandonment of the station of Thanesar on account of its insalubrity, reports that he has given instructions for the submission of a report on the state of the country around the city. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 60.
975	No. 80, dated 8th January 1855 .. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repayment of war loan to Patiala.	Intimates that 8 lacs of rupees have been paid by the sub-treasurer of Fort William to the Maharaja of Patiala.	No. 71.
976	No. 4, dated 5th January 1855 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ghazi Khan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of the manufacture of silk into the Dera Ghazi Khan district.	Asks for assistance in procuring a small supply of silkworm eggs, as he is of opinion that the manufacture of silk in the neighbourhood of Dera Ghazi Khan could be successfully introduced.	Progs. for the week ending 27th January 855—Nos. 5-6.
	No 126, dated 22nd January 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ghazi Khan.	Ditto	Advises despatch of a parcel containing the required eggs, together with a memo. of instructions for his guidance.	
977	No. 8, dated 11th January 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iodiferous spring in Joalla Nath.	Submits an application from Monsieur Marcadieu for the assistance of some person practically acquainted with mining operations to examine the iodiferous spring of Joalla Nath.	Nos. 9-10.
	No. 128, dated 22nd January 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Asks for Commissioner's opinion as to the expediency of the measure, the amount of aid to be afforded and the probable cost and duration of any operation which may be sanctioned.	
978	No. 137, dated 29th December 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of the Batala jail and dispensary to Gurdaspur.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Gurdaspur, requesting sanction to the removal of the Batala jail and dispensary to Gurdaspur, and the appointment of Dr. White, of the Irregular Cavalry, to the civil charge of the station. Observes that by this arrangement the services of Dr. Bhose, now in civil medical charge of Batala, will be placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner.	Nos. 16-17.

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978—*concld.*	No. 68—130, dated 22nd January 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Removal of the Batala jail and dispensary to Gurdaspur	Submits a copy of the above letter and recommends that Dr. Bhose be either transferred to Simla, in place of Sub-Assistant Surgeon Rajkish Chatterjee, who has gone on leave, or to Etah, to which station His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces, was desirous of posting him, provided the Chief Commissioner could dispense with his services in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 27th January 1855— Nos. 16-17.
979	No. 44, dated 6th January 1855 ... From—Major H. E. Longden, Superintendent, Pangi Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Administrative control of Pangi Timber Agency.	Asks for an authorized signification to the effect that his department is under the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States and not that of the Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Nos. 22—5.
	No. 133, dated 23rd January 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major H. E. Longden, Superintendent, Pangi Agency.	Ditto	In reply, states that he (Superintendent, Pangi Agency) is to consider himself subordinate to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, by whom his bills will be audited and to whom all representations will be transmitted.	
	No. 134, dated 23rd January 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
	No. 135, dated 23rd January 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
980	No. 140, dated 24th January 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major G. H. Macgregor, C.B, Agent to the Governor-General, Murshidabad.	Silk winders employed for the Punjab.	Asks for a copy of the correspondence between himself and Government, relative to the establishment of silk winders entertained by him for the Agri-Horticultural Society of the Punjab	No. 35.
981	No. 168, dated 12th January 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rams from Australia.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2, dated the 3rd January 1855, remarks that 21 Australian rams only were landed, and not 25, from the vessel which brought them from Sydney.	Nos. 67-8.
	No. 160, dated 25th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and requests he will state officially how the animals which reached Lahore have been disposed of.	
982	No. 189, dated 12th January 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Borax in the Pongah valley.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1060, dated the 12th December 1854, forwarding Captain Hay's report on the borax of the Pongah valley, requests that measures may be at once taken to prevent, if possible, Maharaja Gulab Singh from closing or impeding this newly discovered supply of borax, and states that there is no objection to Captain Hay using his influence with the Lamas of that valley.	Nos. 69-70.
	No. 161, dated 25th January 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	

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983	No. 163, dated 25th January 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Paris Exhibition Committee, Lahore.	A manuscript treatise on the horse, for the Paris Exhibition.	Forwards a small manuscript treatise on the horse, with illustrations by a native artist, as a contribution from His Highness the Raja of Kapurthala to the collection of oriental works intended for the Paris Exhibition.	Progs. for the week ending 27th January 1855— No. 72.
984	No. 226, dated 16th January 1855... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of the India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Colonel Tremenheere's report on the agriculture of the Punjab and Dr. Fleming's note on geological structure and mineral wealth of the Salt Range.	Forwards a copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, noticing with approval Colonel Tremenheere's report on the agriculture of the Punjab and Dr. Fleming's dissertation on the geological structure and mineral wealth of the Salt Range.	Nos. 76—9.
	Nos. 166 and 167, dated 26th January 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— (1) Lieutenant-Colonel Tremenheere, Superintending Engineer, Pegu; (2) Dr. A. Fleming, Civil Surgeon, Saran.	Ditto	Forwards extracts from the above letter, for information.	
985	No. 5520, dated 29th December 1854. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards copies of the report of the Royal Commission of the Patriotic Fund and requests the Chief Commissioner will invite subscriptions from all within his sphere of jurisdiction.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd February 1855— Nos. 1—3.
	Circular No. 3, dated 29th January 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Circulates copies of the preceding letter and requests their zealous and liberal co-operation as well as that of all other servants of the Government in their Divisions, with the exception of Military officers not in Civil employ and those of the Civil Engineer Department.	
986	No 9, dated 25th January 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repayment of war loan to Patiala.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 102, dated 18th January 1855 submits a statement of the exact amount due to the Maharaja of Patiala.	Nos. 12-13.
	No. 93—203, dated 29th January 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
987	Nos. 206—208, dated 29th January 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The (1) Judicial Commissioner; (2) Financial Commissioner; (3) Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Requests their co-operation in obtaining contributions to the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 17—19.

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988	No. *Nil*, dated 19th January 1855 From—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Silk and flax operations at Lahore.	Intimates the conditions on which the Society is prepared to abide by their estimate for the silk experiment, and submits a memo. of the expenditure on silk and flax operations.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd February 1855— Nos. 27—9.
	No. 95—213, dated 30th January 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and recommends the expenditure of Rs. 17,000 on silk operations at Lahore, to the close of 1856.	
989	No. 7, dated 18th January 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prohibition against re-employment of dismissed officials.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 1, dated the 10th January 1855, relative to the non-employment of dismissed uncovenanted officials, observes that it would be well if the grounds which disqualify a man from Government employ were more strictly defined. Every man who is turned out of Government employ is not morally disqualified for re-entering the service and it does not always happen that he is dismissed on sufficient grounds, many being removed from caprice or from a desire to make room for other nominees. Adds that notorious bad character, involving moral turpitude, should exclude a man from Government employ, but it would be hard to refuse re-employment to a man who has been dismissed for incompetency in one grade when he may be fit for another, whose moral character is clear.	Nos. 34—6.
	No. 216, dated 31st January 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Observes, in reply, that the Chief Commissioner does *not* consider that additional directions are needed, the existing safeguards against improper dismissals being sufficient. Besides that, the dismissed have the right of appeal.	
	Circular No. 5, dated 31st January 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The (1) Judicial and Financial Commissioners; (2) Commissioners of Divisions; (3) Chief Engineer.	Ditto	Circulates copies of the foregoing letter.	
990	No. 67, dated 25th January 1855 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Argillaceous limestone in the Salt Range.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2727, dated the 22nd December 1854, states that he has not succeeded in discovering any argillaceous limestone in the Salt Range.	Nos. 47-8.
	No. 226, dated 1st February 1855 . From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope Esq., Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	

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991	No. 46—323, dated 31st January 1855. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of bribery against officials in the Jhang district.	Submits a list of cases instituted against officials in the Jhang district, together with an explanatory letter from the Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd February 1855— Nos. 69—71.
	No. 241, dated 3rd February 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns the lists.	
992	No. 244, dated 3rd February 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Flax and linseed cultivation in the Punjab.	With reference to the flax and linseed operations in the Punjab, conveys authority to the entertainment of Mr. Steniers for the purpose of examining the field which, in various districts, have been sown with tillee.	No. 77.
993	No. 50, dated 30th January 1855 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of his letter to the Commissioner of Lahore, showing that 8,194 acres of land had been sown with flax in his district. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 81-2.
994	No. 54, dated 3rd February 1855 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 206, dated the 29th January 1855, forwards the sum of Rs. 241, being the amount of collections made in his office in aid of the Patriotic Fund.	No. 90.
995	No. 417, dated 26th January 1855... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Specimens of antimony from Kulu.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 19, dated the 8th January 1855, intimates that the specimens of antimony from Kulu have been sent to the Chemical Examiner, and directs that a further examination of the mine may be made after the snow has thawed.	Progs. for the week ending 10th February 1855— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 246, dated 5th February 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and calls the Commissioner's attention to the concluding sentence.	
996	No. 403, dated 31st January 1855 ... From—Dr. Graham, Superintending Surgeon, Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Working of the Government charitable dispensaries.	Suggests that working of the Government charitable dispensaries (which have no European Assistant) would be promoted by an occasional direct correspondence between Superintending Surgeons and the Managing Committees or local authorities.	Nos. 12—17.
	Circular No. 7, dated 5th February 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Circulates a copy of the above letter and requests Commissioner's earnest attention and that of District Officers to this important class of charitable institutions. States that the local committees should correspond direct with the Superintending Surgeons of their circles.	
	No. 250, dated 5th February 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. Graham, Superintending Surgeon, Trans-Ravi Circle.	Ditto	Informs Dr. Graham that the Chief Commissioner approves of the tenor of his letter and sends Dr. Graham a copy of the foregoing Circular.	

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996—*concld.*	Nos. 2·1 to 253, dated 5th February 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To (1)—The Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Circle; (2) Superintending Surgeon, Lahore Circle; (3) Superintending Surgeon, Peshawar Circle.	Working of the Government charitable dispensaries.	Forwards to each a copy of the foregoing letter from Dr. Graham and of the Circular above.	Progs. for the week ending 10th February 1855—Nos. 12—17.
997	No. 11, dated 20th January 1855 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prohibition against re-employment of dismissed officials.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 1, dated the 10th January 1855, regarding the non-employment of dismissed officials, observes that it frequently happens that an individual may be dismissed from an employment solely on the score of inefficiency for that appointment, although, perhaps, sufficiently well qualified to hold some other. In such a case, the order alluded to ought not to be applied. Suggests that officers should enter in the body of the order of dismissal their opinions as to whether such dismissal should be considered as debarring the dismissed from re-employment.	Nos. 18—20.
	No. 254, dated 5th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, refers, the Financial Commissioner to letter No. 216, dated the 31st January last, to the address of the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, a copy of which was sent to him.	
998	No. 13, dated 29th January 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repayment of war loan to Patiala.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 102, dated the 18th January 1855, requests that he may be furnished with the dates on which the sums of 2 and 5 lakhs, respectively, were paid to the Maharaja of Patiala; and observes that similar information should be furnished on further payment, to enable him to adjust the interest allowed to the Maharaja on the advance from the Ferozepore treasury.	Nos. 21-2.
	No. 113—255, dated 5th February 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Requests to be informed of the dates of the payment of all sums to the Maharaja of Patiala, in liquidation of the debt due to him.	
999	No. 4, dated 11th January 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Alternative route for the Sind camel-train.	Furnishes the required information regarding the transit of goods by the Sind camel-train along the right bank of the Indus.	Nos. 106—08.

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999 — *concld.*	No. 308, dated 10th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Alternative route for the Sind camel-train.	Replying to his letter No. 3309, dated the 17th November 1854, states the amount of duty leviable on goods passing through Bahawalpur territory, and remarks that, as it is high, the Chief Commissioner has written to the Nawab recommending his lowering it. If this cannot be arranged, the Chief Commissioner would suggest the route along the right bank of the Indus. Sends a copy of the Commissioner of Leiah's letter above and enclosures, and remarks that, although the Commissioner of Leiah and the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ghazi Khan consider the route safe during certain periods of the year, the Chief Commissioner does not consider the route a desirable one.	Progs. for the week ending 10th February 1855—Nos. 106—08.
1000	No. 5825, dated 6th February 1855 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Employment of Monsieur Dubignon, late an officer in the Sikh service.	Solicits sanction to the entertainment of Monsieur Dubignon, late an officer in the Sikh service, as an Overseer under Lieutenant Grindal, Executive Officer, Grand Trunk Road, on a salary of Rs. 100 per mensem, from the 12th January 1855.	Progs. for the week ending 17th February 1855—Nos. 13-14.
	No. 137—317, dated 12th February 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for sanction.	
1001	No. *Nil*, dated 10th February 1855 From—Mr. Ter Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Agreement between Mr. Arratoon and the Raja of Chamba for felling trees.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 70, dated the 26th January 1855, Mr. Arratoon sends a copy of the agreement between him and Isri Singh, Raja of Chamba, relative to the felling of trees at the rate of Re. 1-4 per tree, and observes that the subsequent engagement of the Government with that Prince, to pay Rs. 3 per tree, ought not to affect his contract.	Nos. 15-16.
	No. 318, dated 12th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Ter Arratoon.	Ditto	In reply, informs him that the Chief Commissioner declines entering into further correspondence on the subject of his timber cutting. With reference to the vernacular agreement forwarded by him, points out that it does not declare that the rate of Re. 1-4 will be permanently received by the Raja. The latter is at liberty to demand, in future, what he likes.	
1002	No. 325, dated 13th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Engineer, Punjab.	School for native surveyors attached to the Civil Engineer's office.	Intimates that the Chief Commissioner has observed that a school for native surveyors, under the superintendence of an Assistant Civil Engineer, is attached to the Chief Engineer's office. Although there is no doubt that the school is useful, yet it has never been sanctioned. Requests that he will submit an official application, stating what has been the cost of the school, including salaries and contingencies, and how these items have been hitherto charged and passed.	No. 30.

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1003	No. 25, dated 9th February 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a committee at Dalhousie for selection of sites.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 28, dated the 10th January 1855, intimates that he has fixed the 3rd March 1855 as the date for the assembling of the committee at Dalhousie; and as it will be necessary that some officer vested with magisterial powers should be present when applications for sites will be submitted, recommends the appointment of Mr. Extra Assistant Lennox to the charge of the station.	Progs. for the week ending 17th February 185b—Nos. 42—4.
	No. 333, dated 13th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that a reference has been made to Government, but if the appointment in question is sanctioned, the Chief Commissioner could not recommend its being given to Mr. Lennox.	
	No. 143—334, dated 13th February 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation.	
1004	No. 97, dated 3rd October 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Manufacture of glauber salts from *kullur*.	Reports the extent to which glauber salts are manufactured in his division.	Nos. 65—82.
	No. 240, dated 14th October 1854 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports that his experiments in the manufacture of glauber salts from *kullur* have failed.	
	No. 113, dated 1st November 1854... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports the failure of experiments made to obtain glauber salts from *kullur* earth.	
	No. 132, dated 17th November 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of a letter from Mr. Purdon, stating that saltpetre is already manufactured from *kullur* efflorescence and fetches a higher price than glauber salts would, on which account he has not directed him to make any experiments to obtain the latter.	
	No. 1248, dated 7th December 1854 From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	States that his report of the result of the experiment for obtaining glauber salt from *kullur* has been delayed on account of the non-receipt of the Deputy Commissioner of Kohat's report.	
	No. 2, dated 3rd January 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits Monsieur Marcadieu's report on the *kullur* earth of the Jullundur district for the production of glauber salts, from which it will be perceived that that gentleman does not consider it of any utility in a commercial point of view.	

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1004—*concld.*	No. 5, dated 8th January 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Manufacture of glauber salts from *kullur*.	In continuation of the foregoing, submits a further report by Monsieur Marcadieu on the *kullur* earth of the Hosh arpur district.	Progs. for the week ending 17th February 1855—Nos. 65—82.
	No 4, dated 10th January 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 12, dated the 5th January 1855, states that Dr. Irvine has furnished the Financial Commissioner with a paper regarding the *kullur* lands of Multan.	
	No. 29, dated 9th January 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto *Kullur* efflorescence in Peshawar and Kohat.	Submits reports of the Deputy Commissioners of Peshawar and Kohat on the *kullur* efflorescence in their districts.	
	No. 16, dated 20th January 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Specimens of salts manufactured in Gurdaspur and Gujranwala districts.	Submits specimens of salts manufactured in the Gurdaspur and Gujranwala districts.	
	Nos. 347 to 350, dated 14th February 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—(1) The Superintending Surgeon, Lahore Circle; (2) Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Circle; (3) Superintending Surgeon, Trans-River Circle; (4) Superintending Surgeon, Peshawar Circle.	Ditto Specimens of salts manufactured from *kullur*.	Forwards specimens of the salts manufactured from *kullur* earth, and observes that saltpetre, which is a more marketable commodity, is also obtained from the same earth, but in cases in which Medical officers cannot obtain glauber salts except from a distant station, they may manufacture it on the spot from the same earth.	
	No. 351, dated 14th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. Fleming.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1005	Nos. 356 and 357, dated 15th February 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Preparation of character books for all officials	Calls attention to the orders of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces, dated 23rd January 1855, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th current, regarding the preparation of character books relating to the officials of all executive and ministerial establishments, and requests that they will cause the rules to be observed in the Punjab in the departments under their control.	Nos. 94-5.
1006	No. *Nil*, dated 7th February 1855 From—H. Cope, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Expenditure on silk experiments.	Submits memoranda showing the expenditure on silk experiments in the Punjab.	Nos. 100-101.
	No. 361, dated 15th February 1855	Ditto	MEMO.—Directs countersignature of the contingent bill of the Agri-Horticultural Society and its transmission to the Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	

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1007	No. 580. dated 8th February 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for the guidance of the Municipal Commissioners at Simla.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 34, dated the 13th January 1855, approves of the rules for the guidance of the Municipal Commissioners at Simla, and conveys sanction to the proposed establishment, at a cost of Rs. 2,640.	Pogs. for the week ending 17th February 1855—Nos. 20-21.
	No. 371, dated 17th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information and guidance.	
1008	No. 119, dated 6th February 1855... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Distribution of boats for bridges.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar, reporting the manner in which the 70 boats supplied for his district have been distributed. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 152.
1009	No. 5571, dated 29th December 1854. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Classification and promotion of Extra Assistants by merit.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 625 dated the 17th February 1855, relative to the promotion by merit of Extra Assistants in the Punjab and their classification, forwards an extract from a letter from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, approving of the Chief Commissioner's proposition.	Progs. for the week ending 24th February 1855—Nos. 1—3.
	No. 163—376, dated 19th February 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Recommends the promotion of certain Extra Assistants in the Punjab.	
1010	No. 647, dated 9th February 1855 .. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Treatment of covenanted officers in insolvency cases.	Forwards a copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, containing instructions for the treatment of officers of the Covenanted Service who may in future resort to the Insolvent Debtors' Court.	Nos. 18—21.
	Circular No. 10, dated 22nd February 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Circulates a copy of the preceding letter, for communication to all officers of the Civil Service.	
	No. 390, dated 22nd February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1011	No. 675, dated 14th February 1855... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to construct smelting furnaces near the Kulu iron mines.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 62, dated the 20th January 1855, relative to the proposition of Monsieur Marcadieu for the erection of smelting furnaces in the neighbourhood of the iron mines of Kulu, observes that it would be better for that gentleman to complete his investigations before any steps are taken for the establishment of works.	Nos. 31-2.
	No. 395, dated 23rd February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for communication to Monsieur Marcadieu.	

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1012	No. *Nil*, dated 17th February 1855 From—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Distribution of merino and Australian rams.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 326, dated the 13th February 1855, states how the Agri-Horticultural Society proposes to distribute the merino and Australian rams in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 24th February 1855— Nos. 37—40.
	No. 171—398, dated 23rd February 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the preceding letter and adds that the Chief Commissioner has sanctioned the proposed distribution.	
	No. 399, dated 23rd February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq.	Ditto	Intimates that the Chief Commissioner approves of the distribution.	
	No. 400, dated 23rd February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	States that the Chief Commissioner has been informed that the two merino rams, which he directed should be forwarded to Jhang, have not been received by the Deputy Commissioner of that station, and enquires the reason of the delay.	
1013	No. 669, dated 14th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Training of students in the Lawrence Asylum as Overseers for the Public Works Department.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 57, dated the 20th January 1855, conveys sanction to the purchase of mathematical instruments to the value of Rs. 1,000 and their being made over to the Lawrence Asylum.	Nos. 41-2.
	No. 401, dated 23rd February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer of the Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
1014	No. 416, dated 26th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major J. Nicholson, Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ismail Khan.	Major Nicholson to officiate as Commissioner of Leiah.	Informs Major J. Nicholson, Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ismail Khan, of his appointment to officiate as Commissioner of Leiah, on the departure of Major Browne, appointed to officiate as Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd March 1855— No. 13.
1015	No. 13, dated 16th February 1855... From—The Superintendent, Cotton Experiment in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New Orleans cotton sown in the Punjab.	Enquires the result of the New Orleans cotton sown in the Punjab.	Nos. 15-16.
	No. 418, dated 26th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests he will furnish the information required.	
1016	No. 423, dated 27th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Camel-train duties levied on merchandise passing through Bahawalpur territory.	Intimates that the Nawab of Bahawalpur has consented to a modification of the duties levied on merchandise passing through his country. Explains the reduction and observes that it is reasonable.	No. 24.

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1017	No. 534, dated 15th February 1855 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to send mails and passengers from Karachi to Suez.	States that the Government of Bombay have desired him to obtain data for judging as to the probable success of a scheme for sending, once a month, during the fair season, a steamer from Bombay to Suez, *via* Karachi, for mails, parcels and passengers from provinces bordering on the Indus and its territories, and forwards a list of questions to which he solicits replies.	*Progs.* for the week ending 3rd March 1855— Nos. 26—31.
	Nos. 425 to 428, dated 27th February 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The (1) Post Master-General, North-Western Provinces, (2) Post Master, Lahore, (3) Post-Master, Multan, (4) Superintendent, Steamers, Bajghat.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and enclosure, and calls for their opinions on the projected scheme.	
	Circular No. 11—429, dated 27th February 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners in the Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the letter from the Commissioner in Sind and requests their opinion on the projected scheme for sending a steamer once a month from Bombay to Suez, *vid* Karachi.	
1018	No. 436, dated 1st March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.	Register containing the proceedings of the late Darbar for 1899 *Samat.*	Requests that he will obtain from Lala Ram Chand, Ruptee, and forward to this office, the register in which used to be copied all the proceedings of the late Darbar for 1899 *Samat.*	No. 38.
1019	No. 428, dated 22nd February 1855 From—The Secretary, Central Committee, Paris Exhibition. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles despatched for Paris Exhibition.	Intimates that the two despatches of articles from Lahore have been received, but that no invoice or list accompanied them.	Nos. 40—42.
	No. 44, dated 13th February 1855... From—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary, Paris Exhibition, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Com-Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits a report of the proceedings of the Committee, together with an abstract of expenses incurred in the purchase of articles for the Paris Exhibition.	
	No. 438, dated 1st March 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary, Paris Exhibition, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of Mr. Dowlean's letter and requests that if the catalogues are ready, they may be sent off at once. Intimates that his report will be submitted to Government.	
1020	No. 178, dated 26th January 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Government, of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Educational policy	Forwards copies of the educational despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors and requests to be favoured with the arrangements which the Chief Commissioner proposes to adopt in order to meet the views of the Hon'ble Court, as therein expressed.	Nos. 44—6.
	No. 439, dated 1st March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and enclosure. Conveys the opinions of the Chief Commissioner and adds that, before submitting them for the consideration of Government, he would wish to be favoured with the Financial Commissioner's views on the subject.	

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1021	No. 88, dated 23rd February 1855... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazara. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sheep-breeding in Hazara.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 76, dated the 26th January 1855, requesting information on the locality of Mangul as a spot for sheep-breeding, states that the tract of country is generally well supplied with grass and seems suited for the purpose.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd March 1855— Nos. 54-5.
	No. 445, dated 3rd March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 76, dated the 13th January 1855, forwards a copy of the above.	
1022	No. 43, dated 20th February 1855... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Correspondence on the subject of education.	Requests that the Chief Commissioner will transfer to his office any correspondence which he may have on the subject of education.	Nos. 56-7.
	No. 446, dated 3rd March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, forwards the correspondence, in original.	
1023	No. 16-B., dated 29th January 1855 From—The Superintendent of Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Protection of hill forests.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 43, dated the 8th January 1855, reports on the conservancy of hill forests.	Nos. 5860.
	No. 447—196, dated 3rd March 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and of previous correspondence on the subject, with the Chief Commissioner's opinions in detail.	
1024	No. 28, dated 23rd February 1855... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 300, being his subscription to the Patriotic Fund. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 71.
1025	No. 41, dated 27th February 1855... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Glauber salt made from *kullur*.	Forwards further specimens of glauber salt manufactured from *kullur* earth, and solicits sanction to the disbursement of Rs. 30 expended on the experiment.	Progs. for the week ending 10th March 1855— Nos. 3—5.
	No. 452, dated 6th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Lahore Circle.	Ditto	Forwards the specimens received with the above.	
	No. 453, dated 6th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the disbursement of Rs. 30.	

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1026	No. 33, dated 23rd February 1855... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iodiferous spring at Jawala Mukhi.	Forwards reports from Captain Hay and Monsieur Marcadieu on the iodiferous spring at Jawala Mukhi, and solicits sanction to the expenditure of a sum not exceeding Rs. 250 on the excavations, etc., which have been made.	Progs. for the week ending 10th March 1855— Nos. 6-7.
	No. 454, dated 6th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the expenditure of the proposed amount.	
1027	No. 837, dated 27th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Antimony from Kulu.	Forwards a copy of a report from the Chemical Examiner to Government, stating that the antimony forwarded for examination is the sulphuret of antimony, the commonest, but the most valuable of the antimonial ores.	Nos. 34—6.
	No. 472, dated 8th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and enclosure, for information.	
1028	No. 34, dated 26th February 1855 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Antimony and iron mines in Kulu.	With reference to instructions received for the further examination of the antimony and iron mines, enquires whether Monsieur Marcadieu is to proceed again to Kulu this season, because, in that event, it will be necessary to open out some sort of path by which he can proceed, and for this purpose solicits sanction to an outlay of Rs. 300.	Nos. 37-8.
	No. 473—4, dated 8th March 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Observes that Monsieur Marcadieu ought to proceed to Kulu again this season and, therefore, sanctions an outlay of Rs. 300.	
1029	No. 846, dated 27th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repayment of loan to Patiala.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 113, dated the 5th February 1855, forwards a statement showing the several sums paid to the Maharaja of Patiala in liquidation of the debt due him by Government.	Nos. 39—41.
	No. 475, dated 8th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
1030	No. 6565, dated 28th February 1855 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Attack on an Overseer by a *Ghazi*.	Submits a copy of report of an attack made by a *Ghazi* on an Overseer. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 54.
1031	No. 871, dated 27th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Silk experiments	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 95, dated the 10th January 1855, conveys sanction to the silk experiment being carried on for two years, on the distinct understanding that no further assistance will be given by Government.	Progs. for the week ending 17th March 1855— Nos. 40-41.

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1031—*concld.*	No. 506, dated 14th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Silk experiments.	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and observes that the Chief Commissioner trusts that the Society's care and energy will secure at least a moderately successful issue and that the condition imposed by the Government both as regards time and expenditure will be strictly observed.	Progs. for the week ending 17th March 1855— Nos. 40-41.
1032	No. 51, dated 1st March 1855 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prohibition against re-employment of dismissed officials.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 254, dated the 5th February 1855, regarding the re-entertainment of dismissed officials, forwards a copy of instruction issued by him on the subject, and requests that they may be allowed to stand.	Nos. 42-3.
	No. 507, dated 14th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, informs him that the Chief Commissioner agrees to the Circular issued by him (Financial Commissioner) being allowed to stand.	
1033	No. 46, dated 8th March 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 3, dated the 29th January 1855, submits a list of subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund from his office and those of Jullundur and Hoshiarpur. Enquires whether the monthly subscriptions are to be sent direct to Calcutta or to the Chief Commissioner's office.	Nos. 51—3.
	No. 511, dated 14th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of Rs. 379, and states that the monthly subscriptions should be forwarded to this office.	
1034	No. 51, dated 13th March 1855 ... From—H. Cope, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles for the Paris Exhibition.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 438, dated the 1st March 1855, states that the articles for the Paris Exhibition were carefully packed and ticketted and a catalogue was prepared and forwarded, for transmission to Calcutta.	Nos. 67-8.
	No. 521, dated 15th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Central Committee, Paris Exhibition.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and states that the catalogue was transmitted on the 5th instant. Requests, therefore, that he will be good enough to cause the Punjab articles to be fully represented and displayed both in Paris and London.	
1035	No. 17, dated 22nd February 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Means of transit at Bahawalpur for merchandise to and from Sind.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2671, dated the 13th December 1854, reports on the means of transit on the ferry at Bahawalpur for merchandise being conveyed to and from Sind.	Nos. 71—3.
	No. 523, dated 17th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto Reduction in duties levied by Bahawalpur State. Regulation of fares and freights on Government vessels.	In reply, forwards a copy of letter No. 423, dated the 27th ultimo, to the address of the Commissioner in Sind, intimating the reduction by the Nawab of Bahawalpur of the rates heretofore levied by him on merchandise in transit through his territories. Points out the utility of regulating the tolls on the Indus and requests that he will submit a schedule of the dues levied by our officers on passengers and goods transported by Government boats. Calls his attention to the necessity of constructing additional vessels, if those at present plying on the river are not sufficient in number.	

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1036	No. 844, dated 27th February 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Punjab Report for 1849-50-50-51.	Advises the despatch of five copies of the Punjab Report for 1849-50-50-51. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Progs. for the week ending 17th March 1855— No. 82.
1037	No. 303, dated 5th March 1855 ... From—C. S. Curling, Esq., Superintending Surgeon, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Glauber salt made from *kullur*.	Forwards Dr. Gordon's report on the specimens of glauber salt forwarded for analysis. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 89-90.
1038	No. 304, dated 7th March 1855 From—C. S. Curting, Esq., Superintending Surgeon, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to the above, requests that if a minute analysis of the salts is required, it bad better be done by the Chemical Examiner to Government. MEMO —NO ORDERS.	No. 91.
1039	No. 966, dated 9th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Renting of Ballybach for the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Simla for 1855.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 141, dated the 13th February 1855, conveys sanction to a house being engaged at Simla for the office of the Deputy Commissioner of that station, at a rent of Rs. 800 for the current year.	Progs. for the week ending 24th March 1855— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 525, dated 19th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
1040	No. 145, dated 16th March 1855 ... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles for the Paris Exhibition.	Intimates that 28 packages have been received for transmission to the Paris Exhibition, but as the Central Committee have closed their proceedings and all the contributions have already been despatched, enquires what is to be done with the parcels now received.	Nos. 43-4.
	No. 548, dated 22nd March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Paris Exhibition Committee, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and requests he will suggest the best means of despatching or disposing of the packages alluded to.	
1041	No. 981, dated 9th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Furniture for the Rawalpindi church.	Intimates that, on the application of the Officiating Archdeacon of Calcutta, Government have sanctioned a sum of Rs. 4,473 for church furniture at Rawalpindi.	Nos. 49—51.
	Nos. 553 and 554, dated 23rd March 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—(1) The Judicial Commissioner, (2) The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies, for their information.	
1042	No. 415, dated 17th March 1855 From—The Assistant Commissioner, Rawalpindi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a list of subscribers and of subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 52—4.
	No. 555, dated 23rd March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Assistant Commissioner, Rawalpindi.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the draft, and observes that it ought to have been sent through the Commissioner of the Division.	

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1043	No. *Nil*, dated 10th March 1855 ... From—Messrs. Allen Deffell & Co. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Cape sheep for the Punjab.	Intimate the arrival of 12 Cape sheep received from Major Holmes, and state that they have been forwarded by country boat to Meerut. Requests that the Chief Commissioner will send his instructions to Messrs. Gibbon & Co. at Meerut.	Progs. for the week ending 24th March 1855— Nos. 57-8.
	No. 558, dated 24th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Gibbon & Co., Meerut.	Ditto	Requests that they will send, by easy marches, the 12 sheep consigned to their care, but if the animals should appear unequal to the journey, they should be sent by bullock train.	
1044	No. 40, dated 10th March 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Seizure at Jhelum of camels carrying merchandise belonging to Messrs. Jehangeer & Co.	Submits a copy of a letter from Mr. Assistant Commissioner Reckells, regarding the seizure of camels belonging to Messrs. Jehangeer & Co., merchants.	Nos. 68—70.
	No. 564, dated 24th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Jehangeer & Co.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and states that, if they have anything further to urge in support of their charge, they should do so, giving such proof as may be in their power.	
1045	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Paris Exhibition Committee, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles for Paris Exhibition.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 548 of the 22nd March 1855, requests that the packages containing the models of the Lahore Jail and Ranjit Singh's *Samad*, forwarded to the Paris Exhibition Committee of Bengal, may be sent on after Mr. Dowleans.	Nos. 75 C-D.
	No. 569, dated 24th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal.	Ditto	Replying to his letter No. 145 of the 15th March 1855, forwards a copy of Mr. Cope's letter and requests that the packages alluded to may be sent on as proposed.	
1046	No. 6943, dated 13th March 1855... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed transfer of headquarters from Thanesar. Irrigation from the Markanda.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Superintending Engineer, Second Circle, stating, with reference to the unhealthiness of Thanesar, that he has already submitted a project for the drainage near the city and the irrigation of an extensive tract of adjacent country with the waters of the Markanda, etc. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 76-7.
1047	No. 66, dated 10th March 1855 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a list of contributions from his office to the Patriotic Fund. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 79-80.

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1048	No. 73, dated 14th March 1855 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scheme for the formation of district museums.	Forwards a copy of a Circular issued by him, relative to the formation of district museums for the collection of specimens of the natural products of the Punjab, with a view to the development of the resources of the country, and for improvements in agriculture machinery and arts.	Progs. for the week ending 31st March 1855— Nos. 44—6.
	No. 597, dated 28th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, informs him that the Chief Commissioner approves of the instructions issued and requests that the Financial Commissioner will arrange the details of the scheme as sketched by him.	
1049	No. 6123, dated 17th February 1855 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prohibition against re-employment of dismissed officials.	With reference to the Circular relative to the non-employment of dismissed officials, brings to the notice of the Chief Commissioner the case of Mr. Collier, a clerk in his office, who was dismissed from the Postal Department for insubordination, and enquires whether he is to be retained in his office.	Nos. 47—9.
	No. 598, dated 28th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, observes that from all the papers in the case it appears that Mr. Collier behaved with great impropriety towards his official superiors, and the Chief Commissioner fears Mr. Collier will prove an unsatisfactory and troublesome character, but requests that the Chief Engineer will act as he thinks fit regarding his continued entertainment or dismissal.	
1050	No. 22, dated 17th March 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams for Jhang.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 400, dated the 23rd February 1855, states that the merino rams were delayed at Multan in consequence of one of them having been lost, the other being delayed in consequence.	Nos. 50-51.
	No. 599, dated 29th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
1051	No. 54, dated 23rd March 1855 ... From—H. Cope, Esq., Secretary, Paris Exhibition Committee. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles contributed by the Punjab to the Paris Exhibition of 1855.	Submits a complete general register of the articles contributed by the Punjab to the Paris Exhibition of 1855.	Nos. 63—5.
	No. 267—606, dated 30th March 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and of previous correspondence, together with a transcript of the catalogue prepared, with an expression of the Chief Commissioner's opinion on the labours of the Committee.	

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1052	No. 52, dated 20th March 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines in Chamba territory.	Brings to the notice of the Chief Commissioner certain iron mines in Chamba territory, apparently of great value, and states that, from their position, the ore could easily be brought to the plains.	Progs. for the ending 31st March 1855— Nos. 72-3.
	No. 610, dated 30th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner desires that Monsieur Marcadieu will visit these mines and report on them, for which he (the Commissioner) is to obtain the permission of the Raja of Chamba.	
1053	No. 67, dated 12th March 1855 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to transfer the offices of Account and Audit to Lahore from Agra.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Accountant, North-Western Provinces, urging the transfer of the offices of Account and Audit to Lahore from Agra. As it has been found that the retention of these offices at Agra has been the cause of unavoidable inconvenience and delay, the Chief Commissioner may probably recommend the proposition of the Accountant for favourable consideration.	Nos. 84—6.
	No. 616, dated 31st March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	With reference to the preceding letter, requests the Accountant will favour the Chief Commissioner with a further development of his view relative to the advantages likely to arise from the constition of a separate office of Audit and Account at Lahore and that he will state, in detail, what is likely to be the cost to be incurred in the carrying out of the scheme.	
1054	No. 175, dated 21st March 1855 ... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles for the Paris Exhibition.	In continuation of letter No. 145, intimates the arrival of 23 more packages containing articles for the Paris Exhibition, without any invoice or letter of advice.	Nos. 92-3.
	No. 621, dated 31st March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, requests that, if possible, the articles may be despatched to the care of Mr. Dowleans. As it is likely that the Exhibition will remain open for several months, the packages may arrive in time to be displayed.	
1055	No. 622, dated 31st March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Assistant attached to the Electric Telegraph, Lahore.	Authorities in Lahore who are competent to despatch messages by telegraph on public matters.	Forwards a memo. of such of the authorities in Lahore who are competent to despatch messages by telegraph on public matters.	No. 94.
1056	No. *Nil*, dated 21st March 1855 ... From—The Assistant in charge Telegraph at Attock. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Completion of the telegraph as far as Attock.	Reports the completion of the telegraph as far as Attock. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 101.
1057	No. 1046, dated 16th March 1855... From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Statue of the god Baldeo.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors stating that they have not room in their museum for the statue of the god Baldeo, found by Lieutenant Pearse, Assistant Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 7th April 1855— Nos. 8—10.

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1057—*concld.*	No. 628, dated 3rd April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Statue of the god Baldeo.	Forwards a copy of the above.	Progs. for the week ending 7th April 1855— Nos. 8—10.
1058	No. 53, dated 29th March 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to remove the town of Attock from within the fort.	Submits correspondence relative to a proposal for the removal of the town of Attock from within the fort to a spot which he has selected for the purpose, and points out the advantages which will result from the measure.	Nos. 24—6.
	No. 639, dated 4th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, informs him that the opinion of the Chief Engineer has been requested on the subject, and directs him, in the meantime, to cause the estimates for compensation to be completed and verified, in which a sum sufficient to enclose the new town with a strong wall, ten feet high, should be included.	
	No. 640, dated 4th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of Mr. Thornton's letter and enquires whether he considers the proposed removal essential, in the event of a whole regiment being located within the fort, as is at present under contemplation.	
1059	No. 85, dated 21st March 1855 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Donation given by Maharaja Dalip Singh to promote education in the Punjab.	Submits a copy of correspondence relative to the donation given by Maharaja Dalip Singh for the promotion of education in the Punjab. MEMO.—No. ORDERS.	Nos. 58-9.
1060	No. 961, dated 20th March 1855 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of remount horses at Karachi for Irregular corps in the Punjab.	Forwards an extract from a letter received from Major Malet, Superintendent of G. C. Horse, Kathiawar, stating his willingness to purchase remount horses at Karachi for such of the Irregular corps in the Punjab as may require them.	Progs. for the week ending 14th April 1855— Nos. 1—3.
	No. 651, dated 9th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for communication to the officers commanding the Punjab Irregular Cavalry.	
1061	No. 1195, dated 30th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Distribution of Mysore and Australian rams for improving the breed of sheep in the Punjab.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 171, dated the 23rd February 1855, conveys approval to the distribution of the Mysore and Australian rams, and requests that Government may be informed once a year of the result of this experiment for improving the breed of sheep in the Punjab.	Nos. 16-17.
	No. 68, dated 10th April 1855 ... FromThe Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and requests that the yearly report called for may be furnished regularly.	

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1062	No. 25, dated 28th March 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Duty levied on merchandise by the Nawab of Bahawalpur. (Camel-train route).	Replying to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 523, dated the 17th March 1855, reports that the new scale of duty on merchandise proposed to be levied by the Nawab of Bahawalpur appears moderate, but, with reference to the state of the country and of the fact that merchandise is permitted to pass through our territories duty free, Commissioner does not think that traders will venture to forward goods through His Highness' country.	Progs. for the week ending 14th April 1855— Nos. 26—8.
	No. 662, dated 10th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	In reply, requests that the Commissioner will forward some explanation regarding the existing system of ferryage, as the Chief Commissioner is ignorant of what system is at present in force. Enquires more particularly whether British tolls are levied on the *right* bank on goods and passengers crossing in *Bahawalpur* boats or boats belonging to Government, and whether, after the payment of these tolls, additional duties are levied in Bahawalpur.	
1063	No. 1164, dated 27th March 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repayment of war loan to Patiala.	Forwards a copy of a letter to the address of the Sub-Treasurer, Fort William, withdrawing the general authority that was given to pay the Maharaja of Patiala sums on demand on account of the debt due to him.	Nos. 48—50.
	No. 671, dated 13th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, and requests that he will ascertain from the Maharaja his wishes regarding the balance of the debt.	
1064	No. 149, dated 31st March 1855 ... From—The Superintendent, Botanical Gardens. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of Kangra tea.	Forwards a report of the sale of Kangra tea by auction on the 15th March 1855. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 56-7.
1065	Circular No. 14, dated 16th April 1355. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Patriotic Fund	Requests that all sums which have been realized in aid of the Patriotic Fund may be remitted to this office.	Progs. for the week ending 21st April 1855— Nos. 6-7.
	No. 679, dated 16th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1066	No. 245, dated 16th April 1855 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund.	Forwards a draft for Rs. 1,594-8-0, being amount collected for the Patriotic Fund in the districts of Peshawar and Hazara.	Nos. 44—6.
	No. 700, dated 20th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	

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1067	No. 1257, dated 5th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on specimens of silk.	Forwards a letter from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, enclosing a report from Messrs. Durant & Co. on the specimens of silk forwarded to England.	Progs. for the week ending 21st April 1855— Nos. 62—4.
	No. 706, dated 21st April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1068	No. 75, dated 16th April 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary report for 1854.	Submits his dispensary report for 1854. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 72—83.
1069	No. 1333, dated 5th April 1855 ... From—The Postmaster-General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a steam agent at Multan not necessary. Bullock-train from Lahore to Multan.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 619, dated the 31st March 1855, states that as arrangements are being made to extend the bullock-train from Lahore to Multan, there will be no necessity for the appointment of a steam agent at the latter place. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 90.
1070	No. 43, dated 28th March 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of an officer to the charge of the civil duties of Dalhousie.	Conveys authority to the appointment of an officer to the charge of the civil duties of Dalhousie. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 92.
1071	No. 66, dated 9th April 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine return for February 1855.	Submits to the Chief Commissioner his vaccine return for February 1855. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 93.
1072	No. 76, dated 17th April 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 335, being amount of subscriptions from the offices in his Division to the Patriotic Fund.	Progs. for the week ending 28th April 1855— Nos 7-8.
	No. 712, dated 23rd April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	
1073	No. 122-C., dated 13th April 1855... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of the town of Attock from within the fort.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 640, dated the 4th April 1855, relative to the removal of the town of Attock from within the fort to a site without it, observes that he considers the measure an absolutely necessary one, and would recommend also that the roads, etc., of the new settlement be lined out and the spot for the location of public buildings be fixed before the natives are permitted to settle their habitations for themselves.	Nos. 15-16.

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1073—*concld.*	No. 718, dated 24th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Removal of the town of Attock from within the fort.	Forwards a copy of the above and observes that, on receipt of the estimate already called for, the Chief Commissioner will submit the question to Government. The Chief Commissioner considers the suggestion of Colonel Napier, anent the plan for erecting the new town, to be worthy of attention and observance.	Progs. for the week ending 28th April 1855— Nos. 15-16.
1074	No. 1288, dated 9th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Public buildings to be of brick instead of mud. Dr. Connon's vaccination report.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, relative to the construction of public buildings of brick instead of mud in the Punjab, of the laying out and metalling of roads of importance in preference to secondary lines, and conveying the views of the Hon'ble Court on Dr. Connon's vaccination report.	Nos. 17—21.
	No. 719, dated 24th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards an extract relative to Dr. Connon's report on vaccination in the hills.	
	No. 720, dated 24th April 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from the preceding letter, regarding the construction of roads in the Punjab.	
	No. 721, dated 24th April 1855 . From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from the preceding letter, for circulation to Commissioners of Divisions, regarding the construction of public buildings in the Punjab of bricks instead of mud.	
1075	No. 659, dated 19th April 1855 ... From—J. W. Macnabb, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Rawalpindi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 73-4-3, being the amount of subscriptions in his office to the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 22-3.
	No. 722, dated 24th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—J. W. Macnabb, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Rawalpindi Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	
1076	No. 93, dated 28th March 1855 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. T —The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Utilization of the saline soils of the Multan district.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Dr Irvine, on the subject of turning to account the saline soils of the Multan district. Points out the advantage likely to result from the proposed plan, and recommends its submission to Government.	Nos. 29—34.
	Nos. 725 to 727, dated 25th April 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—(1) M. Varcadieu, Geological Surveyor; (2) Dr. Fleming, Civil Surgeon; (3) Dr. Farquhar, Guide Corps.	Ditto	Forwards copy of Dr. Irvine's proposition and calls for their opinion.	

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1077	Nos. 728-729, dated 24th April 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretaries to the Chambers of Commerce, Calcutta and Bombay.	Scheme to extract saltpetre and carbonate of soda from alkaline soil.	Enquires the price at which carbonate of soda is sold in the English market, as a scheme for the extraction of saltpetre and carbonate of soda from the alkaline soil of the Punjab has been submitted to the Chief Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 28th April 1855— Nos. 35-6.
1078	No. 29, dated 18th April 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary report for 1884.	Submits the dispensary report of the Multan Division for the year 1854. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	Nos. 80—99.
1079	No. 73 dated 14th April 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine returns for April.	Submits his vaccine returns for April. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 103.
1080	No. 221, dated 10th April 1855 . From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Contributions to the Paris Exhibition.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 621, intimates that 40 packages containing contributions to the Paris Exhibition have been despatched per steamer "Oriental," and that the Board of Revenue have received instructions to open the remaining eleven and report on their contents, with a view to the despatch of such of their contents as are sufficiently light for transit overland.	Progs. for the week ending 5th May 1855— Nos. 4-5.
	No. 756, dated 30th April 1855 From The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments and thanks for the accommodating promptitude which has been displayed in the transmission of the Punjab collection.	
1081	No. 664, dated 24th February 1855 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Opening of direct steam communication between Karachi and Aden.	Forwards a copy of a further communication from the Bombay Government, relative to the opening of direct steam communication between Karachi and Aden.	Nos. 9-10.
1082	No. 1300, dated 16th April 1855 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Frontier trade of Sind for 1853-54.	Forwards a memo. showing the frontier trade of Sind for 1853-54	Nos. 25—7.
	No. 769, dated 2nd May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the memo. and observes that the statistical results appear gratifying.	
1083	No. 69, dated 27th April 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 780, being the amount of subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund in the Shahpur district.	Nos. 42—4.
	No. 776, dated 3rd May 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the draft.	

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1084	No 282, dated 25th April 1855 ... From—The Assistant Commissioner, Gugera. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 103-1-0, being amount of subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund.	Progs. for the week ending 5th May 1855— Nos .47—9.
	No. 778, dated 3rd May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Assistant Commissioner, Gugera.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the draft and calls for a roll of subscribers.	
1085	No. 1330, dated 10th April 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Borax or tincal from Ladakh.	Forwards a copy of a report by the Staffordshire Chamber of Commerce on the subject of tincal and calls for a report of what further has been done in the way of procuring borax or tincal from Leh in Ladakh.	Nos. 78—80.
	No. 342—793, dated 4th May 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, furnishes the required information.	
1086	No. 81, dated 24th April 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Submits list of subscribers in his Division to the Patriotic Fund. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 92.
1087	No. 131, dated 14th April 1855 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Hoshiarpur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Experiments with petroleum found in the Jhelum district.	Submits a report on the subject of petroleum forwarded for trial, nd observes that as the tahsil of Garhshankar is about to be retimbered, it would be as well to obtain some maunds of the bitumen and give it a fair trial.	Progs. for the week ending 12th May 1855— Nos. 1—4.
	No. 797, dated 7th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Asks the Chief Engineer to report on the petroleum which was sent to him and enquires at what places he would propose to use it, if a large quantity were procured.	
	No. 798, dated 7th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Requests that he will collect a further quantity of petroleum, to the amount of 5 or 6 maunds.	
	No. 799, dated 7th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Hoshiarpur.	Ditto	Informs him of the above instructions to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	
1088	Circular No. 16—810, dated 9th May 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners and Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Descriptive rolls of dismissed officials.	Requests that in all cases of dismissal of native officials whom it may not be desirable to re-entertain, they will forward a vernacular *kulia* with the English descriptive-rolls.	Nos. 23½—5.
	Nos. 811—812, dated 9th May 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner and the Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing Circular.	

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1089	No. 84, dated 24th April 1855 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans Sutlej States To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iodiferous springs at Jowala Mukhi in Kangra.	Forwards Monsieur Marcadieu's report on the iodiferous spring of Jowala Mukhi.	Progs. for the week ending 12th May 1855— Nos. 34-5.
	No. 356—818, dated 9th May 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
1090	No. 80, dated 23rd April 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Trans Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines at Dalhousie.	Forwards an unfavourable report from Monsieur Marcadieu on the iron mines at Dalhousie.	Nos. 36-7.
	No. 819, dated 10th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his opinion.	
1091	No. 234, dated 18th April 1855 ... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Contributions to the Paris Exhibition.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 220, dated the 10th instant, gives the numbers of the packages which remain unshipped for England on account of their immense bulk, and enquires what is to be done with them.	Nos. 50-51.
	No. 830, dated 10th May 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, forwards copy of a m mo. by the Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, on the subject, and points out which of the cases might be sent by ship.	
1092	No. 1117, dated 18th April 1855 .. From—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Hissar bulls for cattle breeding.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissary-General, intimating that 23 bulls are available at Hissar for the Punjab, and requesting that a person may be deputed to receive them.	Nos 55—8
	No. 833, dated 10th May 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto Experiment in Gujrat district	Requests that he will ascertain and report as to what success has attended the importation of Hissar bulls into the Gujrat district.	
	Circular No. 17—834, dated 10th May 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions, except Jhelum	Ditto	Requests that they will report whether Hissar bulls can be beneficially made use of in their divisions for the improvement of the breed of cattle, and that they will take the matter into their earnest consideration, the improvement of the Punjab cattle being a subject of high importance.	
1093	No. 81, dated 7th May 1855 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Asks permission to work at Dharmsala for two months.	Submits an application for leave to be permitted to reside at Dharmsala from the 15th August to 15th October next.	Nos. 78—9.
	No. 36—848, dated 12th May 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation.	

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1094	No. 857*a*, dated 25th April 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea cultivation	Forwards a copy of correspondence with Dr. Jamieson, Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, North-Western Provinces, on the subject of tea cultivation.	Progs. for the week ending 19th May 1855— Nos. 3—5.
	No. 854, dated 14th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto Experiments in Kangra	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and requests the Commissioner will call on the Deputy Commissioner of Kangra to report on the prospects of tea planting in his district; how far the Rajputs have undertaken it; and to favour the Chief Commissioner with such suggestions as he might have to offer as to the best mode of encouraging its extension among the people. Requests the Commissioner will also submit an annual report of the statistics and condition of tea cultivation	
	No. 855, dated 14th August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Tea cultivation Experiments in Hazara	Enquires whether any tea is grown in Hazara and if so, to what extent, and what are the capabilities of the district for its cultivation.	
1095	No. 1563, dated 30th April 1855 ... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Screw presses for the Punjab.	Intimates the despatch of the screw presses which Messrs. Jessop & Co. were ordered to construct for the Punjab.	Nos. 6-7.
	No. 856, dated 14th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
1096	No. 72, dated 5th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 348-8-4, being the amount of subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund in the Jhelum district.	Nos. 16-17.
	No 862, dated 14th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the draft.	
1097	No. 1151, dated 27th April 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Contributions to the Paris Exhibition.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 267, reporting the completion of the collection of the Punjab articles for the Paris Exhibition, states that the thanks of Government are due to Mr. Cope for his exertions as Secretary, and observes that the late arrival of some of the aritcles will, it is feared, really interfere with their advantageous exposition.	Nos. 31-2.
	No. 870, dated 15th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	

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1098	No. 107, dated 5th May 1855 ... From—The Superintendent of Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to levy toll on the Hindustan and Tibet road.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 386, dated the 24th April 1855 (D. P. W.), forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Briggs, Superintendent, Hindustan and Tibet Road, from which it will appear that that officer is decidedly averse to the project for levying a toll on the road in question. States that he concurs with that officer's opinion..	Progs. for the week ending 19th May 1855— Nos. 37—9.
	No. 873—873, dated 17th May 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India	Ditto	Submits a copy of the preceding letter and enclosure and states that the Chief Commissioner concurs in the opinion therein expressed. He is, moreover, inclined to doubt the expediency of levying tolls on any road in such a country as the Punjab.	
1099	No. 80, dated 4th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 5, dated the 29th January 1855, forwards Rs. 4,115-10-10, being the amount of subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund in his Division.	Nos. 60 - 62.
	No 884, dated 18th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the amount.	
1100	No 77, dated 12th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Punjab.	Ditto	Submits a list of subscriptions and a draft for Rs. 130-12-0, being amount subscribed to the Patriotic Fund, received from the Settlement Officer at Gujrat.	Nos. 72—4.
	No. 891, dated 18th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the amount.	
	Nos. 893 to 896, dated 18th May 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The—(1) Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States; (2) Commissioner of the Leiah Division; (3) Commissioner of the Multan Division; (4) Chief Engineer.	Ditto	Reminder.	
1101	No. 43, dated 21st April 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual report on charitable dispensaries.	Submits his annual report on the charitable dispensaries of his Division.	Nos. 87—100

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1101—*concld.*	No. 9 0, dated 19th May 1855 Frm—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Annual report on charitable dispensaries.	In reply, observes that the report of the Dera Ismail Khan dispensary has not been submitted. That for the Khangarh dispensary is unsatisfactory, which result is owing in a great measure to want of supervision by the District officer. Requests that Commissioner will address the Superintending Surgeon on the subject of the want of surgical instruments, so that separate sets may be furnished to each dispensary, and that he will inform the Deputy Commissioner of Khangarh that the Chief Commissioner will hold him responsible for better results during the ensuing year. Adds that the dispensary at Leiah is progressing satisfactorily owing to the zeal and intelligence shown by the Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Ram Soondr Ghose.	Progs. for the week ending 19th May 1855— Nos. 87 106.
	No. 901, dated 19th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Sialkot.	Ditto	Requests that he will supply surgical instruments for the dispensaries of the Leiah Division, as each institution should have one of its own, especially of those intended for eye operations, etc.	
1102	No. 263, dated 2nd May 1855 ... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Contributions to the Paris Exhibition.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. *Nil* dated the 30th March 1855, states that the catolague of articles for the Paris Exhibition was sent to Mr. Lowleans at Paris by steamer on the 7th April 1855. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 112.
1103	No. 22, dated 17th May 1855 ... From—The Assistant Commissioner of Gugera. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund.	Forwards a draft for Rs. 79-2-0, being the amount of the balance of collections for the Patriotic Fund.	Progs. for the week ending 26th May 1855— Nos. 18-19.
	No. 913, dated 22nd May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Assistant Commissioner of Gugera.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the draft.	
1104	No. 916, dated 23rd May 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Government Chemical Examiner.	A sample of coal.	Forwards a small packet of coal and requests he will report on its qualities after they have been analysed.	No. 24.
1105	No. 76, dated 11th May 1855 ... From—The Postmaster General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suggestion to appoint Postmaster at Multan as agent for the bullock and camel-trains.	Suggests that the Postmaster at Multan be appointed for the present Steam Agent at that station for letters, despatch of packets per bullock-train and that he be appointed at the same time agent for the Sind camel-train at Multan.	Nos. 41—5.

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1105—*concld.*	No. 925, dated 25th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Postmaster General.	Suggestion to appoint Postmaster at Multan as agent for the bullock-and camel trains.	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner has no objection to the arrangement proposed as regards the Postmaster at Multan, but, with reference to the camel-train, it will be proper to make a reference to the Commissioner in Sind, by whom it was established Further, that as the Naval Officer at Multan is not in any way under the Chief Commissioner, it would be as well to obtain the orders of Government relative to the former being instructed to make over Government packages to the Postmaster at Multan.	Progs. for the week ending 26th May 1855— Nos. 41—5.
1106	Circular No. 18, dated 26th May 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Instructions for officers transferred from one station to another	Several instances having occurred in which officers have delayed in joining stations to which they have been posted, intimates that when an officer transferred from one station to another fails to proceed by dák within 48 hours, or at the latest three days, he will forfeit his claim to travelling allowance. In submitting travelling allowance bills in future, officers must show that they have strictly adhered to the provisions of the circular or their claim to the allowance will be disallowed.	No. 48.
1107	No. 87, dated 14th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Specimen of salt from *reh* or *kullur*.	Forwards two additional specimens of salt from *reh* or *kullur*. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 62.
1108	No. 83, dated 16th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 862, dated the 14th May 1855. forwards the detailed statement of subscribers to the Patriotic Fund in the Jhelum Division MEMO.—NO ORDER	Nos. 65-6.
1109	No. 85, dated 17th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner. Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards two drafts for Rs. 1,297-14-7 being aggregate of subscriptions in the districts of Gujrat and Shahpur to the Patriotic Fund.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd June 1855— Nos. 13—19.
	No. 939, dated 28th May 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the draft.	
	No. 42, dated 22nd May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a draft for Rs. 1,986-1-0 being amount of subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund in his Division, with the exception of those in the Gugera district which were remitted direct to the Chief Commissioner's office.	
	No. 940, dated 28th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	

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1110	No. 99, dated 26th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 80, being the amount of his monthly subscription to the Patriotic Fund for April 1855.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd June 1855— Nos. 22-3.
	No. 942, dated 28th May 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	
1111	Circular No. 19, dated 1st June 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Regulations for obtaining furlough.	Requests that they will impress on District officers who might be desirous of obtaining furlough, the necessity for their giving timely notice of their intention, in order that the Chief Commissioner may be enabled to appoint successors to them. Such intention should be notified at least six months before actual application. This rule should also be observed in all cases of sickness, when practicable. If such notice is not given, the Chief Commissioner may be induced to hesitate in recommending the application to Government.	No. 51.
1112	No. 104, dated 22nd May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a list of subscribers in his Division to the Patriotic Fund, with the amounts of their donations specified therein, and forwards two drafts for the amount, *viz.*, Rs. 1,291-13-9.	Nos. 57—9.
	No. 960, dated 2nd June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the drafts and enquires if there are no collections from Simla.	
1113	No. 57, dated 29th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a draft for Rs. 1,012-14-6 and a list of subscribers to the Patriotic Fund.	Progs. for the week ending 9th June 1855— Nos. 17—19.
	No. 274, dated 5th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the drafts.	
1114	No. 54, dated 23rd May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the Dera Ismail Khan dispensary and on the progress of vaccination in the district in 1854.	Submits his report on the dispensary at Dera Ismail Khan and on the progress of vaccination in the district in 1854.	Nos. 28—31.
	No. 981, dated 7th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	In reply, observes that the report is satisfactory and the vaccination return creditable. Requests that, for the future, the statistical report may be furnished in the prescribed form, accompanied by a general report.	
1115	No. 107, dated 24th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repayment of war loan taken from Patiala.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 906, dated the 21st May, states that a second reference has been made to the Patiala Raja, as no reply was received to the first reference respecting the balance of the debt due him by Government.	Nos. 38-9.

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1115—*concld.*	No. 985, dated 7th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Repayment of war loan taken from Patiala.	In reply, informs him that it will not be necessary to make any further reference to the Raja on the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 9th June 1855— Nos. 38-9.
1116	No. 88, dated 28th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Failure of the Shaulee experimental tea plantation.	Reports particulars regarding the failure of the Shaulee experimental tea plantation and solicits orders as to the maintenance or dismissal of the establishment.	Nos. 39½-40.
	No. 986, dated 7th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division	Ditto	In reply, requests that he will discharge the establishment. The Chief Commissioner is of opinion that the site was ill-chosen for the success of the experiment.	
1117	No. 988, dated 8th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Remarks of Chief Commissioner on the working of dispensaries in Multan Division.	Conveys the remarks of the Chief Commissioner on the reports submitted on the working of the several dispensaries in the Division and states that he considers them, on the whole, satisfactory.	No. 43.
1118	No. 104, dated 26th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of merino sheep into the Kangra district.	Submits copy of a letter from Major Lake, Deputy Commissioner of Kangra, regarding the introduction of merino sheep into that district, and observes that the climate would appear to be unfavourable to the scheme.	Nos. 59-60.
	No. 998, dated 9th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, observes that it was at the request of Major Holmes, to whom the sheep belong, that it was proposed to send them to the Kangra district, and forwards a copy of the Memo. drawn up by the Commissioner of Mysore on the subject of rearing merino sheep.	
1119	No. 1789, dated 21st May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for conservancy of forests.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 196, dated the 3rd March 1855, conveys general approval of the rules framed for the conservancy of forests, and directs that Commissioners of Divisions be enjoined to prepare sets of rules in accordance with them, with such modifications as may be found necessary to adapt them to the several districts of the Punjab.	Nos. 62—7.
	Nos. 999 to 1002, dated 9th June 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The (1) Commissioner of the Peshawar Division; (2) Commissioner of the Jhelum Division; (3) Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States; (4) Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and of that to which it is a reply, together with a set of the rules, and observes that, as the latter are intended to embrace all kinds of cases connected with the preservation of forests, they are couched in general terms, but it is intended, as the circumstances of each Division vary, that the Commissioner should be at liberty to enforce all or such portions of the instructions as he may find expedient.	

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1119.—*concld.*	No. 1003, dated 9th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of the Hill States.	Rules for conservancy of forests.	Forwards a copy of the preceding correspondence and of the rules, and requests that he will explain the latter to the Hill Chiefs and induce them to adopt such of them as are suited to their several territories. Explains that the annual report on the success of conservancy arrangements in independent territory must be distinct from that for British territory.	Progs. for the week ending 9th June 1855— Nos. 62—7.
1120	No. 120, dated 5th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Reports that no subscriptions on account of the Patriotic Fund have been received from Simla. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 74.
1121	No. 58, dated 31st May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	States that the subscriptions of Messrs. Pollock, Boyle and Busk to the Patriotic Fund were remitted direct. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 75.
1122	No. 87, dated 24th May 1855 ... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Instruments for dispensaries.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 901, forwards a copy of a letter from the Medical Board, stating that a supply of lithotomy instruments have been indented for on Europe and on arrival will be supplied to dispensaries. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 79.
1123	No. 1013, dated 12th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Patriotic Fund.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards two drafts, aggregating Rs. 16,948-6-0, being amount of subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund from the Civil Establishments of the Punjab, and states that further contributions to the extent of Rs. 6,000 or 7,000 are reported.	Progs. for the week ending 16th June 1855— No. 15.
1124	No. 464, dated 21st May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the dispensaries of the Peshawar Division for 1855.	Submits his annual report on the working of the dispensaries in his Division for the year 1854.	Nos. 21-2.
	No. 1016, dated 12th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto Unsatisfactory progress of vaccination.	In reply, observes that the report is highly satisfactory and creditable to the officers concerned, *viz.*, Doctors Buckle, Cox and Wallich. Regrets, however, that vaccination seems to make but slow progress in the districts of Peshawar and Kohat.	
1125	No. 1966, dated 1st June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iodiferous springs at Jawala Mukhi.	Acknowledges the receipt of Monsieur Marcadieu's report on the iodiferous spring at Jawala Mukhi, and authorizes the publication of it in the Punjab Selections.	Nos. 23-4.
	No. 1017, dated 12th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	

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1126	No. 1967, dated 1st June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Permission granted to Commissioner of ahore to reside in Dharmsala from 15th August to 15th October 1855.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 366, dated the 12th May 1855, sanctions the residence of Mr. Raikes (Commissioner of Lahore) at Dharmsala from the 15th August to the 15th October 1855, but requests that he will not make it an annual practice without good and sufficient reasons.	Progs. for the week ending 16th June 1855— Nos. 25-6.
	No. 1018, dated 12th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
1127	No. 170, dated 28th May 1855 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Advances for the purchase of brood mares.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, proposing the grant of pecuniary advances to zamindars for the purchase of brood mares.	Nos. 27—9.
	No. 1019, dated 12th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Objections to cash advances.	Replies that the Chief Commissioner is averse to the proposition in principle. Once established as a precedent, a system would be established liable to abuse and without any machinery adequate for supervision. The Chief Commissioner is favourable to any attempts for facilitating the obtaining of good prices for indigenous horses and this is partially effected by the large Irregular force maintained in the Punjab. Moreover, stallions have been supplied to those districts naturally adapted for breeding.	
1128	No. 107, dated 31st May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary report of Kangra, Nurpur, Jullundur and Hoshiarpur for 1854.	Submits reports on the working of the Nurpur, Kangra, Jullundur and Hoshiarpur dispensaries for the past year.	Nos. 34—42.
	No. 1023, dated 13th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	With reference to the reported inconvenience and insalubrity of the dispensary at Nurpur, requests that he will institute an enquiry into the matter and report the result, specifying at the same time the cost of the present buildings and what their sale would realize. Observes that the returns of the Kangra dispensary are unsatisfactory, since it appears that from the date of the opening of the institution only 214 persons have found relief and that only two indoor patients were treated. The report of the Jullundur dispensary is gratifying and so also is the Hoshiarpur report.	
1129	No. 920-A., dated 2nd June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Patriotic Fund, enquiring whether any subscriptions have been received from Simla. MEMO.—NO ORDERS.	No. 95.

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1130	No. 1069, dated 29th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Duties on merchandise conveyed by camel-train.	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Postmaster in Sind, regarding transit duties leviable on goods passing through that district by the camel-train, from which it will be seen that the present rate of Rs 2-8 per cent. on merchandise will operate as a prohibition on all parties desirous of conveying goods by that route.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd June 1855— Nos. 5—8.
	No. 1054, dated 18th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply, forwards a copy of the Chief Commissioner's letter to the Nawab of Bahawalpur and the reply thereto. States that on the receipt of such remarks as he may wish to make on them, the Chief Commissioner will refer the matter to Government, but the further reduction now made by His Highness seems to the Chief Commissioner to be reasonable.	
1131	No. 174, dated 30th May 1855 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Salt manufacture in the Multan Division.	Forwards correspondence from the Commissioner of Multan, relative to the manufacture of salt in that Division, describing the process by which the salt is manufactured from the nitrous earth, and recommending certain measures for the purpose of encouraging the efforts of the natives and benefiting the revenue.	Nos. 12—15.
	No. 1057, dated 18th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, approves of the measures suggested by the Commissioner and authorizes their adoption.	
1132	No. 92, dated 9th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Hissar bulls ...	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 833, dated the 10th May 1855, forwards a copy of a report by the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Gujrat on the subject of the Hissar bulls lately introduced into his district.	Nos. 15 A-B.
	No. 1057-A., dated 18th June 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, observes that the Chief Commissioner considers the report satisfactory, and sanctions the proposition for the distribution of the small balance in hand of Rs. 5,479 among those who have succeeded in their attempt to carry out the experinent. The bulls now alluded to formed part of a batch despatched to the Jhelum Division. Requests that he will also submit a report on them and on the general subject of the best mode of improving the breed of cattle in his Division.	
1133	No. 124, dated 8th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Improvement of Simla station Grant of ground rents to Municipality recommended.	Forwards an application from the Municipal Commissioners of Simla for the grant of larger funds than those already allowed. Points out that these are scanty and insufficient, and recommends that the whole of the ground rents, amounting to Rs. 7,668 per annum, be made over to them for the improvement of the station.	Nos. 30—32.

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1133—*concld.*	No. 1066, dated 18th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Improvement of Simla station.	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd June 1855— Nos. 30—32.
1134	No. 1006, dated 14th June 1855 From—The Deputy Commissioner of Rawalpindi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 27, being the amount of monthly subscriptions in his district to the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 45-6.
	No. 1197, dated 20th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Rawalpindi.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	
1135	No. 1906, dated 5th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Accommodation for officers travelling from Ferozepore to Sind.	Offers certain suggestions regarding the want of accommodation experienced by officers travelling through the Punjab from Ferozepore to Sind, at a point below the junction of the Sutlej, where they might wait for the Multan steamer.	Nos. 47-8.
	No. 1198, dated 21st June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, and requests that he will submit a report on the subject	
1136	No. 91, dated 31st May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fire engines at Amritsar.	Forwards a proposition from the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar for the transfer from the charge of the Executive Officer of Amritsar of two fire engines now in his possession, in order that they may be used in the event of any conflagration in so large a city.	Nos. 49—51.
	No. 1199, dated 12st June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner is unable to comply with the request. If the citizens are desirous of having engines, they must purchase them at their own expense.	
1137	No. 1995, dated 5th June 1855 ... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Uncovenanted service pensions.	Forwards a copy of a resolution of Government, limiting the amount of pensions to be granted hereafter to persons appointed to the uncovenanted service.	Nos. 54—60.
	Circular No. 21, dated 22nd June 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners; Financial Commissioner; Judicial Commissioner; Chief Engineer, Punjab; Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter.	
1138	No. 118, dated 4th June 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application for promotion from Mr. P. S. Melvill.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar, relative to his prsopects in the Punjab, and observes that Commissioner does not regard this letter as a personal application for promotion from Mr. P. S. Melvill, but as the expression of the feeling of all Civilians of the same rank in the Punjab.	Nos. 66—9.

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1138—*concld.*	No. 1208, dated 22nd June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Application for promotion from Mr. P. S. Melvill. General question of promotions in the civil service.	In reply informs him that last year the Chief Commissioner took the subject of salaries and promotions of civil servants in the Punjab into serious consideration and submitted his opinions to Government who, it is believed, have referred the subject to the Home authorities.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd June 1855— Nos. 66—9.
	No. 464-1209, dated 22nd June 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of former correspondence, forwards a copy of the preceding letter, with the Chief Commissioner's opinion thereon.	
1139	No. 61, dated 11th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Chief Commissioner's remarks on dispensaries.	In reply to letter No. 90, states that the Chief Commissioner's remarks on the dispensaries in the division have been sent to the officers concerned. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 74—6.
1140	No. 113, dated 7th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino sheep	Forwards an extract from a letter from Major Holmes, relative to the Merino sheep sent by him to be reared in Kangra. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 78.
1141	No. 125, dated 11th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Restoration of the sacred tank at Thanesar.	Submits correspondence connected with the Government grant for clearing out the sacred tank at Thanesar. Reports progress made, the amount of subscriptions realized from the community (*viz.*, Rs. 13,050), and recommends the grant by Government of an additional Rs. 1,000 to complete the steps, etc., on the western side of the tank.	Progs. for the week ending 30th June 1855— Nos. 4—6.
	No. 466—1215, dated 25th June 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation.	
1142	No. 85, dated 12th June 1855 ... From—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to transfer the offices of Account and Audit from Agra to Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 616, dated the 31st March 1855, points out the advantages which would result from the removal to Lahore of the Punjab branch of the Accounts and Civil Auditors' offices.	Nos. 28—30.
	No. 1233, dated 25th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Requests that he will state how he would propose distributing the Government allowance for the Branch office in question, what offices he would recommend or what pay, and whether the clerks at present entertained would be willing to come up to Lahore. Enquires also whether the amount specified by him is supposed to suffice for the D. P. W. in addition to the ordinary civil account, and if so, requests he will state what share of this establishment would be allotted to the Punjab, with a detail of individual offices and salaries.	

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1142—*concld.*	No. 1234, dated 25th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Proposal to transfer the offices of account and Audit from Agra to Lahore.	Forwards a copy of the above and requests that he will supply the Accountant, North-Western Provinces, with a statement showing the probable effect which the removal of the Punjab branch of his (the Civil Auditor's) office to Lahore would have on the Audit expenditure.	Progs. for the week ending 30th June 1855— Nos. 28—30.
1143	No. 114, dated 9th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dalhousie iron mines.	Submits a report by Captain Fagan on the iron mines of Dalhousie and recommends the deputation of some experienced miner, as he is confident that the working of these mines would develope rich and ample sources for the supply of iron.	Nos. 31—3.
	No. 1235, dated 25th June 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply requests that he will make arrangements for the appointment of an experienced miner, if any such can be procured.	
	No. 471—1236, dated 25th June 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and of previous correspondence with the Financial Commissioner, and states that the Chief Commissioner has sanctioned the entertainment of experienced miners with a view to working these mines.	
1144	No. 101, dated 16th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 532-6-11, being amount of subscriptions in the Salt Department to the Patriotic Fund	Nos. 45—9.
	No. 1242, dated 26th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	
	No. 98, dated 15th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a draft for Rs. 2 being Dewan Chand's subscription to the Patriotic Fund.	
	No. 1243, dated 26th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the draft, but observes that his letter No. 86, of which the above is said to be a continuation, has not been received in t is office.	
1145	No. 1244, dated 26th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Stationing of a Civil officer at Attock.	Calls for the opinion of the Commissioner as to the advisability of locating a Civil officer at Attock, who would be able to manage the important tahsil of Hasan Abdal, the police divisions therein, to supervise the left bank of the Indus to communicate promptly with the Military authorities at Attock and Shumshehed, and to manage the fiscal arrangements of the ferry at the former place. Requests also that the Commissioner will state the probable extra expense of the arrangement.	No. 50.

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1145	No. 473, dated 8th March 1855 ... From—The Postmaster, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. No. 241, dated 19th March 1855 .. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Gugattah. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. No. 50, dated 30th March 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. No 62, dated 2nd April 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. No. 72, dated 3rd April 1855 ... From—Lt. Hopkins, Senior Naval Officer, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. No. 32, dated 21st April 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. No. 77, dated 24th April 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. No. 83, dated 24th April 1855 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. No. 1, dated 1st May 1855 ... From—The Postmaster, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. No. 167, dated 13th May 1855 .. From—The Postmaster-General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. No. 50, dated 19th May 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Opening of direct steam communication from Karachi to Suez.	Return, duly filled up, the statement of queries regarding the advisability of establishing direct steam communication between Karachi and Suez.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd June 1855— Nos. 51—65.
	No. 1245, dated 26th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the letters from the Commissioners of the Cis-Sutlej States, Trans-Sutlej States, and Jhelum, and the Postmaster-General, and states that the Chief Commissioner thinks that the scheme would prove successful.	

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1147	No. 118, dated 19th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Residence of the Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States, at Dharmsala.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 973, states that he has unwittingly contravened the orders relative to his removal to Dharmsala by a certain date only and proposes that for the future he be permitted to reside for 3½ months in the Hills, irrespective of dates.	Progs. for the week ending 30th June 1855— Nos. 70-71.
	No. 1248, dated 27th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner has no objection to the arrangement proposed.	
1148	No. 108, dated 27th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of water communication between Multan and Jhelum.	With reference to the establishment of water communication between Multan and Jhelum, informs the Chief Commissioner that an Agent has already been appointed at the former place, and that one is being sought for at the latter. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 97.
1149	No. 260, dated 19th June 1855 ... From—The Post master-General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed amalgamation of the Sind Camel and Multan Bullock train.	Forwards copies of correspondence with the Director General of Post Offices relative to the proposed amalgamation of the Sind Camel and Multan Bullock train. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 99-100-A.
1150	No. 243, dated 16th June 1855 ... From—The Chemical Examiner. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Analysis of coal.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 916, states that the coal sent for analysis is bad. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 109-10.
1151	No. 133, dated 20th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of Hissar bulls. Zemindars refuse to pay any fee.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 17, dated the 10th May 1855, states that zemindars of the division object to pay any fees for the services of Hissar bulls. Proposes, therefore, that each Tahsildar be directed to keep two bulls in his Tahsil, charging their feed in his contingent bill.	Progs. for the week ending 7th July 1855— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 1263, dated 2nd July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner is averse to his proposition.	
1152	Nos. 1269 and 1269-A., dated 2nd July 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioners of Kangra and Simla.	European travellers prohibited from visiting Kashmir on account of small-pox in Ladakh.	Requests the Deputy Commissioners that they will issue positive orders prohibiting European travellers from visiting Kashmir, *vid* Ladakh, as the Chief Commissioner has learnt that small-pox is at present raging there and a murrain amongst the yaks.	Nos. 16-17.

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1153	No. *Nil*, dated 21st June 1855 ... From—Lieutenant G. Pengree, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application to explore the hills east and west of the Sutlej in order to develope their mineral resources.	Asks for sanction to his exploring the hills east and west of the Sutlej in search of their mineral resources and that the exclusive privilege of mining and quarrying be ensured to him for seven years free of taxation, also that he be allowed, after that period, to continue his labours on a lease of 20 years, subject to a tax of 3 per cent. in produce.	Progs. for the week ending 7th July 1855— Nos. 23-4.
	No. 488—1274, dated 2nd July 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, and states that as the terms solicited are not extraordinary, the Chief Commissioner has no hesitation in recommending the proposed arrangement.	
1154	No. 208, dated 19th June 1855 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab. To—The Chief Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Certain restrictions put upon the Banias of Simla.	Forwards a letter from the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, relative to certain restrictions put upon the Banias of Simla by Mr Edwardes, Lord Hay and Mr. Denison, and observes that he is opposed to these restrictions, and that all interference with these men on the part of Government officers should be absolutely prohibited	Nos. 25–7.
	No. 1275, dated 2nd July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner for the Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner entirely concurs with him and would desire to see the total abolition of all the restrictions alluded to. Requests that this may be done gradually so that there may be no revulsion in trade. Observes that the political functions of the Superintendent, Hill States, cannot affect the civil administration of the District, and the Commissioner should see that no general rules involving administrative principles are issued without his concurrence.	
	No. 489—1276, dated 2nd July 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and explains the reasons of the Chief Commissioner for desiring the abolition of the restrictions.	
1155	No. 121, dated 23rd June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 80 being the amount of his subscription to the Patriotic Fund for May 1855.	Nos. 42-3.
	No. 1281, dated 3rd July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the draft.	
1156	No. 198, dated 16th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	House and jagir of General Court in the Punjab.	Forwards a copy of a letter from General Court, late in the service of Maharaja Ranjit Singh, relative to his house and jagir in the Punjab and requests that a report may be submitted for the information of Government.	Nos. 51—5.
	No. *Nil*, dated 9th June 1855 ... From—Sir H. M. Lawrence, K.C.B., Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of his letter to Government relative to the house and jagir in the Punjab claimed by General Court.	

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1156—*concld.*	No. 493—1286, dated 3rd July 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	House and jagir of General Court in the Punjab.	In reply submits a report and recommends that the house alluded to be sold and the proceeds remitted to General Court. Observes that the jagir spoken of as having been granted for service must be considered as having lapsed to Government when that service ceased, which it did three years before the British connection with the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 7th July 1855— Nos. 51—5.
1157	No. 133, dated 20th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary reports for the year 1854.	Submits the dispensary reports of his division for the past year 1854.	Nos. 62—79.
1158	No. 1293, dated 5th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Circle.	Ditto Want of surgical instruments at the Thanesar Dispensary.	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, complaining of want of surgical instruments at the Thanesar dispensary, and recommends the distribution of sets of such instruments to each dispensary.	Nos. 81-2.
	No. 1294, dated 5th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Conveys the Chief Commissioner's remarks on each of the dispensaries, to the effect that the reports are on the whole satisfactory.	
1159	No. 1199, dated 21st June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of public buildings at Dalhousie. Recommendation for the transfer of Captain Hay to Dalhousie.	Forwards a copy of correspondence regarding the construction of public buildings at the new Sanitarium at Dalhousie, and a recommendation by the Deputy Commissioner of Kangra for the transfer of Captain Hay from Kulu to Dalhousie.	Nos. 97-8.
	No. 1301, dated 7th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Observes, in reply, that Government have not as yet authorized the erection of public buildings. On the receipt of such authority, a judicial officer will be located at Dalhousie. With reference to the transfer of Captain Hay, states that the Chief Commissioner has no objection to it.	
1160	No. 54, dated 27th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Provision of accommodation for travellers from the Punjab by the Indus.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1198, dated the 21st June 1855, states his opinion regarding the improvements suggested by the Commissioner in Sind for the accommodation of travellers from the Punjab by the Indus.	Nos. 98½-9.
	No. 1302, dated 7th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of correspondence with the Commissioner in Sind, and of the preceding letter, regarding improvements in the accommodation of travellers from the Punjab by the Indus, and requests that the Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore will submit his opinion on the subject.	

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1161	No. 101, dated 29th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Report on dispensaries for 1854.	Reports on the working and results of the dispensaries of his division during the past year.	Progs. for the week ending 14th July 1855— Nos 10—17.
	No. 1311, dated 9th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, intimates the satisfaction of the Chief Commissioner with the results of the Anarkali, Lahore, Amritsar and Gujranwala dispensaries, but observes that the institution at Sialkot appears to be neglected and requests that the Commissioner will call on the Deputy Commissioner for a detailed report.	
1162	No. 112, dated 2nd July 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Encloses a draft for Rs. 60 being the amount of subscription of Mr. G. Thompson, Extra Assistant, Shahpur, to the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 18-19.
	No. 1312, dated 9th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	
1163	No. 109, dated 28th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on charitable dispensaries.	Submits his report on the charitable dispensaries in his division.	Nos. 20-1.
	No. 1313, dated 9th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply conveys the Chief Commissioner's satisfaction with the results of the Rawalpindi, Pind Dadan Khan, Gujrat and Shahpur dispensaries, but remarks that inefficiency somewhere is apparent in the management of the Jhelum dispensary.	
1164	Nos. 1314 and 1315, dated 9th July 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— (1) Dr. Mactier, Civil Surgeon, Simla. (2) The Deputy Commissioner, Kangra.	Small-pox in Spitti.	Requests that they will send two vaccinators into Spitti, where small-pox is raging.	Nos. 22-3.
1165	No. 2235, dated 22nd June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Education in the Punjab.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, containing their views on the subject of education in the Punjab.	Nos. 56—8.
	No. 1332, dated 13th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests that the report already called for on the subject may be submitted early.	
1166	No. 102, dated 30th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Demolition of Colonel Nur-ud-Din's houses in Lahore.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, stating the circumstances under which the houses of Colonel Nur-ud-din were pulled down. On enquiry, it appeared that one of the houses was erected by Government and, therefore, did not in reality belong to Nur-ud-din. For the other he has received compensation in part. The man has selected two Nazul houses in lieu of the buildings destroyed.	Nos. 69—71.

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1166—*concld.*	No. 1338, cated 14th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Demolition of Colonel Nur-ud-din's houses in Lahore.	In reply informs him that the Chief Commissioner entirely rejects the claim to one of the houses, but with reference to the other directs that the man may receive one of the Nazul houses on the condition of paying the difference between its value and that of his own, taking into account the compensation which he has already received.	Progs. for the week ending 14th July 1855— Nos. 69—71.
1167	No. 438, dated 28th June 1855 ... From—J. Christie, Esq., Extra Assistant, Peshawar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 5-5-0 being subscription received from the men of the Guide Corps to the Patriotic Fund. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 76.
1168	No. *Vil*, dated 25th June 1855 ... From—The Head Clerk, Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States office. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a draft for Rs. 10 being his subscription to Patriotic Fund. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 77.
1169	No. 105, dated 7th July 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of Hissar bulls.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1221, dated the 25th June 1855, states that the introduction of Hissar bulls into his division would be very desirable. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 85.
1170	No. 55, dated 30th June 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Zamindars unwilling to purchase bulls.	In reply to Circular No. 17, dated the 10th May 1855, submits his report on the result of the introduction of Hissar bulls into the districts of his division. States that the result is favourable, but that zamindars object to buy them. Proposes that 10 bulls be allotted to each district, their charge being debited to the village *Malba* accounts.	Progs. for the week ending 21st July 1855— Nos. 22-3.
	No. 1350, dated 17th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	In reply states that the Chief Commissioner is averse to the proposition. If zamindars will not purchase bulls, none can be furnished.	
1171	No. 417, dated 5th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles for the Paris Exhibition.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Messrs. Gowar and Company of Marseilles, acknowledging the receipt of 41 packages intended for the Paris Exhibition.	Nos. 31-2.
	No. 1355, dated 17th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1172	No. 129, dated 5th July 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea cultivation in Kangra. Proposed model farm at Holta.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Kangra, reporting on the subject of tea cultivation in the district, and recommends the establishment of a model farm at Holta for the illustration of agricultural improvements, the introduction of breeds of sheep, etc.	Nos. 49-50.

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1172—*concld.*	No. 1368, dated 20th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Tea cultivation in Kangra.	In reply, states that it is a matter of regret that the hill people do not appear to be favourably disposed towards the cultivation of the tea plant, but the Chief Commissioner hopes that the growing success of the experiment will, in time, convince them of the profitableness of joining in such undertakings. Requests that the Commissioner will submit details of the scheme of the proposed model farm, the annual cost, etc. Reminds him that an annual report on the cultivation of tea is expected from him.	Progs. for the week ending 21st July 1855— Nos. 49-50.
1173	No. 484, dated 12th July 1855 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 143-5-6, being subscriptions in his district to the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 53½-A.
	No. 1369½, dated 20th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	
1174	No. 247, dated 11th July 1855 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards Rs. 330, being the amount subscribed in his office to the Patriotic Fund up to June 1855.	Nos. 59-60.
	No. 1373, dated 21st July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the amount.	
1175	No. 2057, dated 18th July 1855 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards Rs. 6,036-3-9, being the amount subscribed in his Department to the Patriotic Fund.	Progs. for the week ending 28th July 1855— Nos. 5—7.
	No. 1376, dated 23rd July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the amount.	
1176	No. 16, dated 20th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sowing of Orleans cotton seed in the Punjab.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1208, dated the 25th June 1855, expresses his inability to furnish any report on the result of the planting of Orleans cotton seed, as he was not aware that any had ever been received.	Nos. 21-2.
	No. 1385, dated 25th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Enquires whether the New Orleans cotton seed referred to in his letter No. 1770, dated the 29th November 1853, was ever received at Multan, and if so, how it was disposed of. If any of the seed was distributed in his division, he ought to report the result of the sowing.	
1177	No. 1386, dated 25th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Patriotic Fund.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 7,934-10-2, being the amount of further subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund.	No. 23.

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1178	No. 1318, dated 23rd July 1855 ... From—B. Hardinge, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Rawalpindi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 54 being amount realized from Messrs. McNabb, Hardinge and G. D. Westropp as subscription to Patriotic Fund.	Progs. for the week ending 28th July 1855— Nos. 56-7.
	No. 1397, dated 27th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—B. Hardinge, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Rawalpindi.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	
1179	No. 1399, dated 27th July 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Patriotic Fund.	Ditto	In continuation of No. 1386, remits Rs. 148-15-6, being further subscriptions to the fund.	No. 60.
1180	No. 151, dated 12th July 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repayment of war loan taken from Patiala.	Forwards a letter received from the Vakil of the Maharaja of Patiala, asking for interest on the balance due to his master, and requests, therefore, that instructions may be issued to that effect to the Accountant.	Nos. 61-2.
	No. 1400, dated 27th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests he will issue the necessary instructions in the matter.	
1181	No. 132, dated 10th July 1855 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of Hissar bulls. Zemindars unwilling to purchase.	In reply to Circular No. 17, dated the 10th May 1855, states that the opinion generally is that the Hissar bulls are too large for the cows of the districts. The Zemindars are unwilling to buy them, though those of Hoshiarpur are willing to purchase cows with calf from the Hissar stud.	Nos. 69-70.
	No. 1406, dated 28th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Requests that the Commissioner will ascertain the cost of obtaining 15 or 20 cows with calf from the stud.	
1182	No. 2320, dated 26th July 1855 . From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	In continuation of No. 2037, forwards a draft for Rs. 94-15-6, being amount subscribed in the Jhelum Division, D. P. W., to the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 79—81.
	No. 1412, dated 28th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	
1183	No. 2065, dated 19th July 1855 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Forest fires around Murree.	Submits correspondence from the Executive Engineer, Rawalpindi, relative to the destruction of Government timber caused by the firing of the grass by the villagers in the hill districts around Murree.	Progs. for the week ending 4th August 1855— Nos. 4—7.

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1183—*concld.*	No. 1414, dated 30th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Forest fires around Murree.	Conveys further instructions with reference to the prevention of these conflagrations, and observes that if warnings are disregarded by the people, penalties must be resorted to.	Progs. for the week ending 4th August 1855— Nos. 4—7.
	No. 1414-A., dated 30th July 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1184	No. 706, dated 30th June 1855 ... From—The Civil Auditor. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed transfer of the Audit and Account offices to the Punjab.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1234, dated the 25th June 1855, forwards a copy of his letter to the Accountant on the subject of the transfer of the Audit and Accounts offices to the Punjab.	Nos. 11—16.
	No. 469-C., dated 14th July 1855 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of his reply to a letter received from the President of the Committee for framing a Code of Regulations for the Director of Public Works on the subject of the transfer from the Chief Engineer of the superintendence of the offices of account and of audit.	
	No. 561—1416, dated 30th July 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and of previous correspondence and submits certain propositions for the removal from Agra to Lahore of the offices of audit and account.	
1185	No. 1417, dated 30th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Proscriptions from Government service.	Explains that, as a general rule, a period of three months should be allowed to elapse (to admit of appeal) between the dismissal of a man and the issue of the prohibitory order.	Nos. 19—22.
	(Circular No. 25) 1418 to 1420, dated 30th July 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— (1) All Commissioners. (2) The Chief Engineer. (3) The Judicial Commissioner. (4) The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for their guidance.	
1186	No. 120, dated 17th July 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Posting of an Assistant Commissioner at Attock.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1244, dated the 20th June 1855, states that he is of opinion that the location of an Assistant Commissioner at Attock would be beneficial and advantageous. Annexes a statement showing the expense which would be entailed.	Nos. 28-9.
	No. 562—1423, dated 30th July 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of previous correspondence, and recommends the measure for reasons therein assigned.	

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1187	No. 2587, dated 20th July 1855 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cleaning of holy tanks at Thanesar.	Conveys sanction to an additional grant of Rs. 1,000 for cleaning the holy tanks at Thanesar.	Progs. for the week ending 4th August 1855— Nos. 34-5.
	No. 1426, dated 31st July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1188	No. 294, dated 26th June 1855 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Shahpur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lithographic stones quarried in Shahpur.	Forwards pamphlets that have been lithographed from stones from the district.	Nos. 41-2.
	No. 1429, dated 31st July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Shahpur.	Ditto	In reply, requests that the Deputy Commissioner will forward specimens of the litho. stones on which the pamphlets were printed.	
1189	No. C-60, dated 19th July 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Opening of steam communication between Karachi and Suez.	In reply to Circular No. 11, dated the 27th February 1855, furnishes an estimate of the extent to which a steamer from Karachi to Suez would be taken advantage of by residents on that frontier.	Nos 49-50.
	No. 1434, dated 1st August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In continuation of No. 1346, dated the 17th July 1855, forwards a copy of the above for the information of the Commissioner in Sind.	
1190	No. 2292, dated 9th June 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mahi Kanta ...	Forwards a printed copy of the Bombay Government records, containing miscellaneous information regarding the Mahi Kanta.	Nos. 65-6.
	No. 1442, dated 1st August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the above.	
1191	No. 1446, dated 3rd August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Exchange of houses between Government and Raja Tej Singh.	Forwards documents (in English and vernacular) in connection with the exchange of houses effected between the Government and Raja Tej Singh, and requests that should the Judicial Commissioner have any remembrance of the circumstance, he will state whether the land was also intended to be included in the exchange.	No. 73.
1192	No. 110, dated 23rd July 1855 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application for a Personal Assistant.	With reference to letter No. 50, dated the 17th August 1854, encloses statements showing the work performed and recommends that Government may be moved to reconsider his former application for a Personal Assistant.	Nos. 78—86.

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1192—*concld.*	No. 1449, dated 3rd August 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Application for a Personal Assistant.	Replies that the matter has been submitted for the favourable consideration of Government, but requests that no Assistant or Extra Assistant may be appointed without previous permission.	Progs. for the week ending 4th August 1855— Nos. 78—86.
	No. 568—1450, dated 3rd August 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits, for the favourable consideration of Government, a letter from the Commissioner of Lahore, soliciting that a Personal Assistant may be allowed him, and urges that, in the event of Government entertaining the proposal or referring it to the Court of Directors, the Commissioner be allowed the services of an Assistant temporarily.	
1193	No. 163—2344, dated 20th July 1855. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations.	Submits a statement showing the result of the vaccine operations in his division for the month of June 1855.	Nos. 89—91.
	No. 1452, dated 3rd August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	With reference to the large number of unsuccessful operations in the plains, directs that vaccinations should not be carried on during the hot months, except in the hills.	
	(Circular No. 28) 1453, dated 3rd August 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Circulates copies of the above, for their information and guidance.	
1194	No. *Nil*, dated 18th July 1855 ... From—Messrs. Gibbon & Co. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Importation of Cape sheep.	Report the arrival of of 12 Cape sheep and suggest that they be allowed to remain at Meerut until after the rains when they could be sent up by Bullock Train.	Nos. 95—7.
	No. 1455, dated 3rd August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Gibbon & Co.	Ditto	Replies that the animals should remain in their charge until September or until the Bullock Train is reopened when they should be sent to the care of the Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.	
	No. 1456, dated 3rd August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests that, on the arrival of the sheep, they be sent to Captain Becher at Hazara informing him that they are Captain Holme's.	
1195	No. 171, dated 21st July 1855 ... From—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed transfer of Accounts and Auditors' offices to Lahore	In connection with the transfer of the Accounts and Auditors' offices, Punjab Branch, to Lahore, forwards a statement of duties and salaries of the establishment. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 116-17.

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1196	No. 196, dated 25th July 1855 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed bungalow for the accommodation of travellers in Sind.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1302, dated the 7th July 1855, reports, in conjunction with Mr. Oliver, that Bukree Ghat is a favourable locality for the proposed bungalow for the accommodation of travellers.	Progs. for the week ending 11th August 1855— Nos. 5—7.
	No. 1467, dated 6th August 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Khangarh (Leiah).	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the previous correspondence and of the preceding, for report on the locality proposed; or for any better situation for the intended bungalow.	
1197	No. 19, dated 23rd July 1855 From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Screw presses for baling cotton, etc.	Recommends that the larger of the two presses be sent to Multan by water from Ludhiana, and that the other be set up at Lahore.	Nos. 8—10.
	No. 1468, dated 6th August 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.	Ditto	Requests that he will make early arrangements to send down the screw press by water to Multan.	
	No. 1469, dated 6th August 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab	Ditto	In reply informs him that the Chief Commissioner approves of his suggestion to send the larger press to Multan.	
1198	No. 161, dated 23rd July 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Simla dispensary.	Submits original letters and enclosures from the Deputy Commissioner, Simla, reporting on the management of the Simla dispensary.	Nos. 11—21.
	No. 1470, dated 6th August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply requests explanation regarding the expense of treatment which has risen from 0-4-4 to 0-10-10 and of the unsatisfactory state of the accounts. Observes that the Deputy Commissioner is responsible for the submission of returns.	
1199	No. 2366, dated 26th July 1855 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scheme for running a steamer between Sind and Bombay.	Forwards a copy of correspondence on the subject of running a steamer between Sind and Bombay during the monsoons, to facilitate communication, with a view to the Chief Commissioner's concurrence.	Nos. 22—6.
	No. 1473, dated 6th August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Communicates the Chief Commissioner's cordial concurrence to the effect that it is certainly desirable to carry out the project.	
1200	No. 129, dated 1st August 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 500 for the Patriotic Fund, realized from the Settlement Officer, Shahpur, and his establishment.	Nos. 32-3.
	No. 1476, dated 6th August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of remittance.	

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1201	No. 2437, dated 31st July 1855 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a detailed list of subscriptions of the Sialkot Division to the Patriotic Fund.	Progs. for the week ending 11th August 1855— Nos. 35a-6.
	No. 1478, dated 6th August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Central Committee, Patriotic Fund.	Ditto	With reference to letter No. 1386, dated the 26th July 1855, forwards a detailed list of subscriptions received from the Sialkot Division, amounting to Rs. 238-12-0.	
1202	No. 1485, dated 27th August 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Central Committee, Patriotic Fund.	Ditto	Forwards a draft on Sub-Treasury for Rs. 510, subscriptions from the Settlement Officer.	No. 49.
1203	No. 547-C., dated 7th August 1855 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Carrying of the telegraph cable over the Sutlej by means of masts fixed in masonry wells.	Submits correspondence from Major Laughton, relative to carrying the telegraph cable over the Sutlej by means of masts fixed in masonry wells, and solicits orders regarding the preparation of an estimate for the work.	Progs. for the week ending 18th August 1855— Nos. 31—3.
	No. 1502, dated 14th August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Request that the Chief Engineer will give instructions immediately for carrying out Major Laughton's suggestions and for the preparation of estimates.	
1204	No. 552, dated 14th July 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea cultivation in Hazara.	Forwards a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Hazara, enclosing Dr. Buckle's report on experiments in tea cultivation in Hazara.	Nos. 48—50.
	No. 1510, dated 14th August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. Jamieson, Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, Saharanpur.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for his opinion on the subject.	
1205	No. 2770, dated 10th August 1855... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 30, being amount of contributions to the Patriotic Fund by Overseers in the Second Division, Bari Doab Canal.	Nos. 59-60.
	No. 1516, dated 15th August 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the remittance.	
1206	No. 385, dated 3rd August 1855 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Shahpur (Jhelum). To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lithographic stones quarried in Shahpur. Marble and alabaster.	Intimates that he has sent for lithographic stones and on their arrival he will have them squared and forwarded to Lahore, as requested. Also mentions that specimens of marble and alabaster have been brought to him, and he is engaged in collecting specimens for the Museum at Lahore.	Nos. 67-8.
	No. 1519, dated 15th August 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Shahpur.	Ditto	Conveys the Chief Commissioner's thanks and states that he will be happy to inspect the stones on their arrival at Lahore.	

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1207	No. 2050—144, dated 2nd August 1855. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Working of the iron mines at Dalhousie.	With reference to the working of the iron mines at Dalhousie, informs the Chief Commissioner that Captain Fagan is willing to superintend the working of them, and if Colonel Napier's consent is obtained, proposes to commence the experiment after the rains.	Progs. for the week ending 18th August 1855—Nos. 69-70.
	No. 1520, dated 15th August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests that he will direct Captain Fagan to give an approximate idea of the cost of this experiment.	
1208	No. 1539—2, dated 17th August 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Education in the Punjab.	Calls for a report on the Education system in the Punjab.	No. 108-A.
1209	No. 752, dated 27th July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Civil servants and chaplains placed under the direct orders of the Government of India.	Forwards a copy of resolution placing Civil servants and chaplains under the direct orders and control of the Government of India in matters regarding them as members of the services. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 127-8.
1210	No. 2683, dated 31st July 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of restrictions imposed on free trade at Simla.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 489, dated the 2nd July 1855, conveys approval of the gradual removal of the restrictions which have been imposed heretofore on the free trade in Simla.	Progs. for the week ending 25th August 1855—Nos. 5—7.
	Nos. 1550-51, dated 20th August 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, and the Judicial Commissioner.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and of previous letters on the subject.	
1211	No. 136, dated 11th August 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a draft for Rs. 37 being amount of subscriptions in Shahpur to the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 8—10.
	No. 1532, dated 21st August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	
1212	No. 280, dated 8th August 1855 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Certain lands claimed by Raja Tej Singh.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1446, dated the 3rd August 1855, regarding the exchange of certain houses, *viz.*, Jamadar's Kothi at Lahore and Diwan Hakim Rai's house at Sialkot with Raja Tej Singh, states that he recollects that the garden attached to one of the houses was to go with the house, but not the plot of land of 12 *ghumaons* alongside of the garden.	Nos. 18-19.
	No. 1559, dated 21st August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards the vernacular proceedings in the case and intimates that the Raja may retain the garden therein alluded to, but not the separate piece of land alongside, which should be resumed and assessed.	

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1213	No. *Nil*, dated 10th August 1855 ... From—Lieutenant-Colonel J. Steel. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supplies for troops when encamped in cantonments.	Suggests that Government be moved to relieve Revenue Officers from all responsibility as to furnishing supplies for troops encamped in military cantonments where sadr bazars exist, and that the officer in charge of the bazar should be entrusted with this duty.	Progs. for the week ending 25th August 1855— Nos. 29—31.
	No. 1567, dated 22nd August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant-Colonel Steel.	Ditto	In reply, states that the matter has been recommended to Government and sends him, as requested, correspondence regarding the supply of carriage in the Punjab.	
	No. 618—1568, dated 22nd August 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards Colonel Steel's suggestion, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation.	
1214	No. 133, dated 9th August 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Management of the Jhelum Dispensary.	With reference to the Chief Commissioner's remarks regarding the inefficient state of the Jhelum dispensary, forwards a report by the Committee, after a comparison of this and the last year's results.	Nos. 39—42.
	No. 1573, dated 24th August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner is glad to receive so favourable a report of the dispensary, though, with respect to Dr. Nisbet's resigning his charge, the Chief Commissioner observes that he did not attribute any blame to that officer.	
1215	No. 156, dated 9th August 1855 ... From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Khangarh. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed construction of a staging bungalow for travellers from the Punjab to Karachi.	With reference to the proposition for erecting a staging bungalow at Bukree at the confluence of the Sutlej and Chenab, informs the Chief Commissioner that during the rains the entire country is inundated.	Nos. 50-51.
	No. 1577, dated 24th August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Khangarh.	Ditto	In reply, requests the Deputy Commissioner will, in the cold season, examine the banks of the rivers in his district with the view of deciding on a suitable spot for the erection of the bungalow.	
1216	No. 222, dated 11th August 1855 From—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repayment of war loan taken from Patiala.	Forwards a copy of his letter to the Deputy Commissioner of Ambala, authorizing him to pay interest at 4 per cent. to the Maharaja of Patiala from the 12th March 1855 on the balance still due to him.	Nos. 57—9.
	No. 1581, dated 24th August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	

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1217	No. 416, dated 2nd August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of ground rents to the Simla Municipal Committee.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 455, dated the 18th June 1855, conveys sanction to the transfer to the Simla Municipal Commissioners of the whole of the ground rents of that sanitarium, together with Rs. 2,000 from the Abkari revenue, for Municipal purposes.	Progs. for the week ending 25th August 1855— Nos. 60-61.
	No. 1582, dated 24th August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1218	No. 114, dated 6th August 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sialkot Dispensary.	Submits a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Sialkot, explaining the reasons for the high expenditure during 1854 on account of the dispensary at the Station.	Nos. 62—4.
	No. 1383, dated 25th August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner still thinks that the matter has been insufficiently explained and points out the paucity in number of out-door patients compared with those in other dispensaries.	
1219	No. *Nil*, dated 10th August 1855 From—The Secretary, Patriotic Fund. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letters Nos. 1386 and 1399 acknowledges the receipt of Rs. 8,083-9-8 subscribed to the Patriotic Fund. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 83.
1220	No. *Nil*, dated 17th August 1855 ... From—The Secretary, Patriotic Fund. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of a further statement of subscriptions the amount of which is to be remitted hereafter.	Progs. for the week ending 1st September 1855— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 1592, dated 27th August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Patriotic Fund.	Ditto	In reply, informs him that the amount shown in the statement was remitted by letter No. 1386, dated the 25th July 1855.	
1221	No. 78, dated 14th August 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of Hissar bulls into districts.	Reports on the subject of the introduction of Hissar bulls into his Division.	Nos. 12-13.
	No. 1597, dated 28th August 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys authority to his procuring 10 Hindustani bulls for the Khangarh District and two for each of the districts of Dera Ghazi Khan, Dera Ismail Khan and Leiah. Communicates instructions as to their selection and subsequent distribution.	
1222	No. 163—2150, dated 14th August 1855. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Exploration in Kulu by Monsieur Marcadieu.	Forwards a copy of M. Marcadieu's report of his recent explorations in Kulu.	Nos. 43—5.
	No. 638—1617, dated 30th August 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Requests sanction of Government to employing M. Marcadieu in the Shahpur District.	

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1223	No. 116 C., dated 27th August 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of Hissar bulls into districts. Proposed use of Hissar heifers for cross breeding.	In reply to Circular No. 17, dated the 10th May 1855, reports the number of young Hissar bulls required for the three districts of Hazara, Kohat and Peshawar, and recommends that strong under-sized bulls be selected in preference to the larger specimens. Adds that he thinks it would be a good opportunity to send as many heifers as bulls, so that the native breed may be crossed both ways.	Progs. for the week ending 8th September 1855—Nos. 28—30.
	No. 1464, dated 6th September 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Commissiouer of the Péshawar Division.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner is willing to send for the cattle, provided that the zamindars are prepared to purchase them, and authorizes him to procure the number of animals stated in his return from the Government Cattle Stud, Hissar. If not available there, they should be obtained by private arrangement, and in selling to the zamindars, Commissioner should demand the actual cost, including transit.	
1224	No. 2936, dated 17th August 1855 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Management of dispensaries. Proposed appointment of a special Inspector.	Forwards an extract from the Court of Directors' letter No. 54, dated the 16th May 1855, and requests opinion as to whether a special Inspector of dispensaries would not be more useful than the Superintending Surgeons, in securing uniformity of management.	Nos. 51—3.
	No. 662—1662, dated 7th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Combination of posts of Inspector of Prisons and Inspector of Dispensaries suggested.	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's opinion that a special agency would be more desirable and suggests that the Inspector of Prisons in the Punjab be made Inspector of Dispensaries also, as the management of them both combined would not prove too onerous.	
1225	No. *Nil*, dated 5th May 1855 ... From—The Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Extraction of salt from waste lands (*kallar*).	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 728, dated the 25th April 1855, states that the price of carbonate of soda in England is from 6 to 12 shillings, according to purity.	Progs. for the week ending 15th September 1855—Nos. 3—7.
	No. 50, dated 21st May 1855 .. From—The Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 729, dated the 25th April 1855, states that the latest quotations in London for bi-carbonate of soda are from £16 to £46 per ton; and for the sub-carbonate from £5 to £28 per ton, according to quality.	
	No. *Nil*, dated 4th June 1855 ... From—Doctor J. Fleming. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 726, dated the 25th April 1855, gives a favourable opinion of Dr. Irvine's project for extracting salts from alkine soils of the Punjab.	
	No. *Nil*, dated 30th June 1855 ... From—Assistant Surgeon Thomas Farguhar, M. D. guide corps. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports favourably on the project for extracting salts from *kallar* or waste lands.	
	No. 180, dated 7th May 1855 ... From—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissiner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 725, dated the 25th April 1855, reports on Dr. Irvine's scheme for extracting the different salts from the saline soils of Multan.	

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1225½	No. 1666, dated 10th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Extraction of salt from waste lands (*kallar.*) Adoption of experiment by Government rejected.	With reference to his letter No. 93, dated the 28th March 1855, forwards the enclosures Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 and with reference to the uncertainty of the experiment, states that the matter is not one in which Government should embark, and, consequently, the Chief Commissioner hesitates in supporting Dr. Irvine's project and cannot recommend the scheme to Government	Progs for the week ending 15th September 1855—No. 8.
1226	No. 665—1667, dated 10th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Iron mine at Dalhousie.	Forwards correspondence regarding the iron mine discovered at Dalhousie and suggests that a committee be appointed to examine and report in detail upon the mine.	No. 9.
1227	No. 176, dated 30th August 1855... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Kulu mines. Mr. Arratoon's application for a lease.	Forwards an application from Mr. Arratoon proposing to work the Kulu mines by a joint stock company on a lease for five years.	Nos. 14-15.
	No. 1671, dated 10th September 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	States that no reply can be given on the subject until a committee has been assembled to report on the mines, which proposition has been submitted to Government.	
1228	No. *Nil*, dated 31st August 1855 From—Dr. Mactier, Superintendent, Vaccine Depôt, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccination in Spitti.	Reports that three vaccinators with considerable difficulty reached Shealkor and presented to the Wazir the *parwana* furnished by Captain William Hay. The people were assembled and positively refused to submit to the operation of vaccination. He has requested Captain Hay to direct the vaccinators to return to Rampur in case of continued opposition.	Nos. 55-6.
	No. 1694, dated 13th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. Mactier, Superintendent, Vaccine Depôt, Simla.	Ditto	Replies that all that appeared practicable has been done and if the people are too prejudiced or ignorant to allow the introduction of vaccination, there appears no alternative.	
1229	No. 146, dated 4th September 1855 From—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	River navigation between Jhelum and Multan.	With reference to previous correspondence, forwards a letter from Mr. K. McIver, Multan, stating that Jamesjee & Co., merchants at Jhelum, have agreed to act as agents for goods forwarded by country boats. This completes the chain of agents. Proposes a bonus for Mr. McIver for a regular communication on the arrival of steamers.	Nos. 58—61.
	No. 1696, dated 14th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards enclosures and requests that he will make what arrangements he can for the advancement of the scheme and keep Mr. Thornton informed on the subject.	

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1229—*concld.*	No. 1697, dated 14th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	River navigation between Jhelum and Multan.	Forwards a copy of the above.	Progs. for the week ending 15th September 1855—Nos. 58—61.
1230	No. 471, dated 15th August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government with the Governor-General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to increase the salaries of civil officers in the Punjab.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 464, dated the 22nd June 1855, authorises the intimation to all civil officers serving in the Punjab that a proposition for increasing their salaries has been submitted to the Hon'ble Court which will give to the— 1st class Deputy Commissioner, Rs. 2,000 per mensem ; 2nd class Deputy Commissioner, Rs. 1,500 per mensem ; 3rd class Deputy Commissioner, Rs. 1,000.	Nos. 64—7.
	Circular No. 32—1699 to 1701, dated 15th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— (1) All Commissioners in the Punjab. (2) The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. (3) The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, for circulation, copies of the above.	
1231	No. 784, dated 23rd August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to Government, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ambala Grazing Fund.	Forwards a copy of correspondence regarding the transfer from the Executive Engineer to the Cantonment Joint Magistrate of the Secretaryship of the Ambala Grazing Fund. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 85.
1232	Circular No. 33—1714 to 1716, dated 17th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— (1) All Commissioners in the Punjab. (2) The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. (3) The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual returns and reports.	Requests that they will impress upon all officers subordinate to them the absolute necessity of all annual returns and reports and all general references being rendered with greater punctuality than heretofore.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd September 1855—Nos. 9—11.
1233	No 207, dated 12th September 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	With reference to his letter No. 893, dated the 18th May 1855, forwards a draft on the Lahore treasury for Rs. 637-1-3, being amount of subscriptions collected in the Simla District in aid of the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 14—16.
	No. 1719, dated 17th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Central Committee, Patriotic Fund.	Ditto	Forwards a draft on the Sub-Treasury, Fort William, for Rs. 637-1-3.	

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1234	No. 73, dated 6th September 1855 .. From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Experiment with New Orleans cotton seed.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1385, dated the 25th July 1855, reports the result of the experiments with New Orleans cotton seed in the Multan Division, and thinks that the experiment should not be relinquished, but repeated on Government account.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd September, 1855— Nos. 31-2.
	No. 1728, dated 18th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Replies that the unsatisfactory results have disappointed the Chief Commissioner and show indifference and great want of attention on the part of the local authorities.	
1235	No. 180—2322, dated 5th September 1855. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccination in Spitti.	Forwards a letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Kulu, intimating the positive refusal of the inhabitants of Spitti to allow themselves to be vaccinated.	Nos. 38-9.
	No. 1734, dated 18th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Replies that orders may be issued for the return of the vaccinators sent to that region.	
1236	No. 203, dated 5th September 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Funds for the Simla Municipal Committee.	Forwards original correspondence regarding certain arrangements proposed by the Deputy Commissioner, Simla, for providing funds for the Municipal Committee.	Nos. 40-41.
	No. 1735, dated 18th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply communicates the Chief Commissioner's opinion on Mr. Denison's propositions and requests the resubmission of the present reference together with his (Commissioner's) opinion on the several points adverted to.	
1237	No. 1742, dated 19th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	The Patriotic Fund.	Acknowledges receipt of remittance for Rs. 637-1-3 on account of subscriptions collected in the Simla District in aid of the Patriotic Fund.	No. 54.
1238	No. 488, dated 28th August 1855 ... From—The Secretary to the Government (with the Governor-General). To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Mineral resources of the hills.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 488, dated the 2nd July 1855, rejects Lieutenant Pengree's proposal to explore the mineral resources of the hills.	Nos. 56-7.
	No. 1744, dated 19th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Pengree, Simla.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, in reply to his letter dated the 21st June 1855.	

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1239	No. *Nil*, dated 27th August 185 ... From—Major Goad and 100 others, residents and visitors of Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of restrictions to free trade at Simla.	With reference to the recent orders of Government abolishing the restrictions to free trade at Simla, Major Goad and 100 others, residents and visitors of Simla, represent that they have learnt with "infinite concern and regret" that Edwardes Gunj is to be done away with which will, in effect, break down all the barriers which have been raised against imposition and extortion, and will, therefore, excite general discontent and injure the sanitarium by deterring visitors from resorting to it, besides causing a loss of Rs. 2,500 per annum to the local funds now derived in rents from the Gunj. Pray that the order in question may be reconsidered before it comes into force on the 1st October 1855.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd September 1855—Nos. 86—8.
	No 1755, dated 22nd September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major Goad and 100 others, residents and visitors of Simla.	Ditto	Replies that the local authorities have been directed to place on the reading room tables and display in other localities, copies of correspondence in the matter, to show that the orders of Government are reasonable and just. Edwardes Gunj is not to be abolished, but there will be no authoritative restrictions as regards the time, place and mode of dealing. Should the proposed reform not effect the results expected, after a fair trial, the Chief Commissioner will bestow further consideration on the subject.	
	No. 1756, dated 22nd September 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letters, Nos. 86 and 87, and requests that he will cause the whole of the correspondence connected with the subject to be laid before the public.	
1240	No. 193, dated 2 th August 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Summer residence of the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1579, dated the 24th August 1855, states that in 1853 he was five days at Ambala, in 1854 six days, and in 1855 five days between the 1st of May and 1st October of each year.	Progs. for the week ending 29th Sepetember 1855—Nos. 10-11.
	No. 707—1761, dated 24th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Asks Government to fix some period during which the Commissioner should reside at Kasauli, and suggests that the period be broken by an interval of fourteen days, during which the Commissioner should be on the plains to try sessions cases.	
1241	No. 2624, dated 25th August 1855... From—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mail news telegraphed from Bombay.	Forwards copies of telegraphic messages despatched from Bombay on arrival of the mail of the 26th July 1855.	Nos. 18—19
	No. 1763, dated 24th September 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay.	Ditto	Points out that though the message was apparently despatched within a space of five hours, the new portion did not reach Lahore till 24 hours after the first instalment. Suggests that an announcement be made when the steamer is signalled at Bombay.	

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1241—*concld.*	No. 2729, dated 6th September 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mail news telegraphed from Bombay.	Forwards a copy of telegraph messages despatched on arrival of the mail of the 10th August 1855.	Progs. for the week ending 29th September 1855—Nos. 13—19.
	No. 1766, dated 25th September 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay.	Ditto	Returns the messages with discrepancies noted.	
1242	No. 419, dated 30th August 1855 .. From—The Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, Saharanpur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea plantations in Hazara and Kangra.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1510, dated the 14th August 1855, states that he concurs in the Chief Commissioner's opinion regarding the inexpediency of incurring any large outlay in tea operations in Hazara and that the efforts of the Punjab Government should be confined to the Kangra valley.	Nos. 23-4.
	No. 1769, dated 26th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	In reply to Commissioner's letter No. 552, dated the 14th July 1855, forwards a copy of the above.	
1243	No. 1690, dated 17th September 1855. From—J. W. McNabb, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Rawalpindi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	Forwards a draft for Rs. 54 on account of subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund for July and August 1855.	Nos 28—30.
	No. 1772, dated 26th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Assistant Commissioner, Rawalpindi.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the draft.	
	No. 1773, dated 26th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Central Committee, Patriotic Fund.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1719, dated the 17th September 1855, forwards a draft for Rs. 54 for the Patriotic Fund.	
1244	No. 490, dated 17th September 1855 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Shahpur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Delay in dâk communication between Leiah and Shahpur.	Forwards a copy of correspondence stating that the dâk communication between Leiah and Shahpur is unnecessarily delayed in consequence of the mail crossing the Indus twice.	Nos. 33-4.
	No. 1775, dated 28th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Postmaster-General.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above with a view to the removal of the inconvenience.	
1245	No. 1107, dated 31st August 1855 From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual Educational Reports.	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's observations and suggestions proposed forms of reports and returns to accompany annual Educational Reports.	Nos. 50-51.

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1245—*concld.*	No. 1783, dated 28th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual Educational Reports.	Forwards the preceding for his opinion, and states that the Chief Commissioner is anxiously awaiting his report on educational projects generally.	Progs. for the week ending 29th September 1855—Nos. 50-51.
1246	No. 667, dated 29th August 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to form a military sanitarium near Mir Kallan road.	Submits a proposal for forming a military sanitarium near the Mir Kallan road between Peshawar and Kohat, and suggests the appointment of a Committee to report thereon.	Nos. 54-5.
	No. 720—1785, dated 28th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits the above and states the Chief Commissioner's reasons for deprecating the proposal.	
1247	No. 2945, dated 11th September 1855. From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Extension of the electric telegraph to include Multan, Shahpur, etc.	Forwards a copy of a letter addressed to the Bombay Government, proposing the extension of the electric telegraph, so that a line branching from some point in the Punjab will include Multan, Shahpur, etc.	Nos. 56—60.
	No. 721—1786, dated 28th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards the preceding and states that the line appears to be of much utility and would subserve many military and political purposes in connection with the Punjab administration.	
	No. 1787, dated 28th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	
1248	No. 161, dated 19th September 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of Hissar bulls into the Punjab.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 595, dated the 18th June 1855, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Jhelum, reporting that only two Hissar bulls were introduced into his district which are too strong for the breed of cows, and that the practice of allowing them to roam at large and feed at will on the Zemindars' crops is objectionable.	Nos. 79-80.
	No. 1798, dated 29th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Replies that the practice of allowing the bulls to pasture on the crops should be prohibited at once and some proper arrangements should be made for the proper care of the beasts	
1249	No. 1804, dated 29th September 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Restrictions on trade at Murree. Interference with hawkers prohibited.	With reference to the system which prevails at Murree by which persons bringing articles of consumption for sale are compelled to resort to the bazar and are prevented from making bargains direct with the residents, requests that Commissioner will impress upon the Assistant Commissioner, Kotwal and Police, that it is altogether unlawful, and that at Simla such restrictions have been authoritatively repealed by the supreme Government. Adds that the Chief Commissioner looks to him to put an end to the unauthorised usage at Murree.	No. 89.

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1250	No. 491, dated 17th September 1855 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Shahpur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Stone slabs for lithographic use.	Intimates that 24 slabs supposed to be fit for lithographic use will be despatched on the next day. The white stones are from the Salt Range and the dark coloured ones from the Keraneh hills.	Progs. for the week ending 6th October 1855— Nos. 1—3.
	No. 1808, dated 1st October 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards six stone slabs and requests that he will cause their distribution to the jails not far from Lahore in which lithographic presses have been established, and furnish a report of the result of the experiment.	
1251	No. 1196, dated 17th September 1855. From—The Quartermaster-General of the Army. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to establish a military sanitarium in the Khuttuck Hills.	Forwards Brigadier-General Cotton's report on the eligibility of the Khuttuck Hills for the establishment of a military sanitarium for the troops in the Peshawar valley, and asks for the Chief Commissioner's support.	Nos. 4-5.
	No. 1809, dated 1st October 1855 From—Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.	Ditto	In reply, forwards for His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief's information a copy of the Chief Commissioner's letter to Government, deprecating the proposal to establish a military sanitarium in the Khuttuck Hills between Peshawar and Kohat.	
1252	No. 1813, dated 1st October 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Cotton Experiments, Sind.	Experiments with New Orleans cotton seed.	With reference to his letter No. 13, dated the 6th February 1855, forwards a letter No. 73 from the Commissioner, Multan Division, reporting that the experiment with New Orleans cotton seed has generally failed.	No. 12.
1253	No. 162, dated 21st September 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of the town of Attock from within the fort.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1374, dated the 28th July 1855, forwards correspondence from the Deputy Commissioner, Rawalpindi, and requests that the removal of the town of Attock be sanctioned and that the compensation proposed be allowed.	Nos. 17—21.
	No. 1816, dated 1st October 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply informs him that the question of the removal of the townsfolk and the compensation to be allowed to them will be submitted to the Supreme Government, on receipt of the estimates for the military works.	
1254	No. *Nil*, dated 18th September 1855. From—Messrs. Gibbon & Co., Meerut. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino sheep	Forward a letter from Major Holmes, regarding the feed of the sheep destined for Hazara and intimate their intention of despatching them from Meerut on the 1st October 1855.	Nos. 39—41.
	No. 1829, dated 2nd October 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Gibbon & Co., Meerut.	Ditto	Replies that the sheep may now be despatched to the care of the Deputy Commissioner, Lahore, as directed in letter No. 1455, dated the 3rd August 1855.	

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1255	No. 78, dated 26th September 1855 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Indigo factory at Shujabad.	Forwards with his recommendation, an enclosure from Mr. K. McIver for a loan of Rs 10,000, to enable him to establish an indigo factory at Shujabad.	Progs. for the week ending 6th October 1855— Nos. 49—51.
	No. 746—1833, dated 4th October 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Recommends that a loan of Rs. 10,000 be sanctioned to Mr. K. McIver, Multan, to set up an indigo manufactory.	
1256	No. 4660, dated 2nd October 1855 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	Forwards a draft for Rs. 123-8-0, received from the officers, D. P. W., in aid of the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 63—6.
	No. 1842, dated 5th October 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Patriotic Fund.	Ditto	Forwards the draft received with the above and requests an acknowledgment.	
	No. 1843, dated 5th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	
1257	No. 217, dated 22nd September 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Municipal affairs of Simla.	Forwards a copy of a letter to the Deputy Commissioner, Simla, regarding the municipal affairs of the sanitarium, and solicits orders with respect (1) to the advances required to start the Municipal Committee; (2) to the process for the recovery of ground rent from defaulters; and (3) to accounts of the ground rent being incorporated in the rent-roll of the district.	Nos. 57—9.
	No. 1844, dated 5th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Replies (1) that the Chief Commissioner is averse to allowing any advances, but if it is indispensable, then it must be cleared off after the first quarter; (2) that the land revenue should be realized by the ordinary fiscal processes; and (3) that the exhibition of the ground rent in the rent-roll is very proper.	
1258	No. 77, dated 22nd September 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations in Multan during 1854.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 988, dated the 8th June 1855, forwards a copy of Dr. Beatson's letter stating that the vaccine operations in 1854 in the Multan Division were very trifling and that actually no progress was made. Also, that no list of patients of the Civil Dispensary can be prepared as no accounts were kept by his predecessor. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 74-5.

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1259	No. 3442, dated 21st September 1855 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Ferruginous resources of the Shahpur district.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 638, dated the 3 th August 1855, conveys sanction to the transfer of Monsieur Marcadien to Shahpur for the purpose of investigating the ferruginous resources of that district.	Progs. for the week ending 13th October 1855—Nos. 15—18.
	No. 1853, dated 8th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadien, Geological Surveyor.	Ditto	Directs Monsieur Marcadien to proceed to Shahpur for the purpose of exploring the ferruginous resources of that locality, in communication with Major Hollings, Deputy Commissioner.	
	No. 1854, dated 8th October 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major Hollings, Deputy Commissioner, Shahpur	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above	
	No. 1855, dated 8th October 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1260	No. 129, dated 10th October 1855... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	In continuation of his letter No. 8 , dated the 4th May 1855, forwards a further sum of Rs. 1,230, being the aggregate of subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund.	Progs. for the week ending 20th October 1855—Nos. 3—6.
	No. 1874, dated 15th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the above	
	No. 1875, dated 15th October 855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Patriotic Fund.	Ditto	Forwards a draft for Rs. 1,248-12-0 on account of subscriptions *plus* discount (Rs. 18-12-0) received from the treasury.	
1261	No. 549, dated 17th September 1855 From—The Secretary to Government with the Governor-General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Posting of an Assistant Commissioner at Attock.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 562, dated the 30th July 1855, proposing the location of an Assistant Commissioner at Attock, states that the Governor-General objects to it as involving an expense without commensurate advantage.	Nos. 9-10.
	No 1377, dated 15th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	With reference to previous correspondence forwards a copy of the above.	
1262	No. 171, dated 8th October 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of roads to Murree.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Rawalpindi, soliciting an adjustment of Rs. 7,000 expended on the construction of roads to Murree.	Nos 30-31.
	No. 1890, dated 18th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the above and suggests that an assignment be issued, exclusive of the maximum of five lacs, as the expenditure relates to a prior date.	

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1263	No. *Nil*, dated 1st October 1855 From—The Secretary of the Patriotic Fund. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund	Acknowledges the receipt of draft for Rs 637-1-3 on account of subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund by the residents of Simla.	Progs. for the week ending 20th October 1855—Nos. 38-9.
	No. 1895, dated 18th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 207, dated the 12th September 1855, forwards a copy of the above.	
1264	No 3547, dated 5th October 1855. From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccination in the hills Opening of dispensaries.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Court of Directors, No. 78, dated the 1st August 1855, approving of the retention of Dr. Cannon's services at Simla, and of the establishment of dispensaries in the Punjab.	Nos. 42—6.
	No. 1897, dated 20th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards paragraphs 4 and 5 of the preceding extract relating to Dr. Canon and requests he will further the desire of Government of abolishing the practice of inoculation in the hill states.	
	No. 1898, dated 20th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. Canon.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above extract, intimating the retention of his services at Simla in consideration of his successful efforts in promoting the spread of vaccination in the hills.	
	Circular No 36—1899, dated 20th October 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto Public contributions for dispensaries.	Circulates a copy of paragraph 7 of the above extract, expressing the desire of the Hon'ble Court that the inhabitants be encouraged to pay a portion of the expenses in places where Government dispensaries have been established.	
1265	No. 3027, dated 20th September 1855. From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transit duties leviable in Bahawalpur.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1661, dated the 7th September 1855, states that unless the Nawab of Bahawalpur will reduce the duty to the standard proposed by Mr. Coffey, "say Rs. 2 per camel load", the route must be avoided altogether.	Nos. 50—53.
	No. 783—1901, dated 20th October 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Camel train from Sukkur to Multan.	Forwards copies of the preceding and of selected correspondence relative to the transit duties leviable in Bahawalpur in connection with the establishment of a camel train from Sukkur to Multan, and recommends that the thanks of Government be conveyed to the Nawab of Bahawalpur for the proffered reduction of the duties levied in that State from Rs. 18 to Rs. 2-8-0 per cent.	
	No. 1902, dated 20th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter to Government and informs him that, in the event of the train travelling by the right bank of the Indus, the Punjab authorities will render every co-operation in their power.	

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1266	No. 201, dated 23rd September 1855 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron and coal mines.	Forwards a letter from Monsieur Marcadieu requesting to be informed of the localities and places most celebrated for saline soils and efflorescences, in order that he may inspect them the ensuing cold season.	Progs. for the week ending 20th October 1855—Nos. 62-3.
	No. 1908, dated 20th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor.	Ditto	Refers Monsieur Marcadieu to letter No. 1853, dated the 8th September 1855, and requests that he will proceed at once to Shahpur and place himself in communication with Major Hollings regarding the localities most likely to yield good coal and iron.	
1267	No. *Nil*, dated 8th October 1855 ... From—Messrs. Gibbon & Co., Meerut. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino sheep	Advise the despatch of the Merino sheep for Lahore on the 2nd August 1855. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 75.
1268	No. 648, dated 25th August 1855... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Experiments in cultivation of tea.	Forwards a letter from Dr. Farquhar, stating that the cultivation of tea has been successful in Lughman, the Khaiber, and the Geedoon hills, but that the plants did not come up in Eusafzai and other districts. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 79.
1269	No. 3014, dated 21st September 1855. From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Direct communication between Sind and Suez. Railway to Multan.	Forwards a copy of correspondence with Government on the improvements necessary to a full development of direct communication between Sind and Suez, and states that the staff of the Sind Railway would commence the preliminary surveys for a line to Multan, if they were empowered to commence. Suggests the improvement of the present Multan Road.	Progs. for the week ending 27th October 1855—Nos. 12—16.
	No. 1915, dated 23rd October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Replies that the railway is of extreme importance to the interests of the Punjab and the Chief Commissioner will do all in his power to further the operations of the Company. Informs the Commissioner that the Doabs have been surveyed already, that the Revenue Survey is now approaching Multan, and that their levels might prove useful for the railroad. The maps might be available immediately or very shortly, and copies of these would be procured, if desired. Adds that the Multan Road is not susceptible of much improvement, as the soil is very sandy and the vicinity possesses no resources for metalling.	
	No. 1916, dated 23rd October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Thompson, Revenue Survey.	Ditto	Enquires if the maps of the Lahore and Gugera districts are available and whether he could furnish a map as fast as the country is surveyed and at what extra expense.	

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1269—*concld.*	No. 19 7, dated 23rd October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Direct communicat i o n between Sind and Suez.	Enquires if a full sized copy of Lieutenant Dya's Map of the project of the Bari Doab Canal is available. If not could it be prepared immediately and at what cost?	Progs. for the week ending 27th October 1855—Nos. 12—16.
1270	No. 57*, dated 26th September 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a Personal Assistant to the Lahore Commissioner.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 568, conveys sanction to a Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Lahore being appointed experimentally for 12 months, subject to reconsideration at the close of that period.	Nos. 17-18.
	No. 1918, dated 23rd October 1855 From The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and informs him that Pandit Manphul, Extra Assistant, can be attached to his office at once without any further reference, but if Commissioner selects any other officer, a reference must be made.	
1271	No. 5340, dated 24th October 1855 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	Forwards a draft on the Calcutta Treasury for Rs. 128-6-6 being contributions of the Department of Public Works in Kohat to the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 37—9.
	No. 1929, dated 26th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the remittance.	
	No. 1930, dated 26th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Patriotic Fund, Calcutta.	Ditto	Forwards the draft for Rs. 128-6-6.	
1272	No. 5410, dated 25th October 1855 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a draft for Rs. 195-4-0, being the amount contributed by the 6th Division, Grand Trunk Road, to the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 42—4.
	No 1932, dated 27th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft for Rs. 195-4-0.	
	No. 1933, dated 27th October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Central Committee, Patriotic Fund, Calcutta.	Ditto	Forwards the above draft.	
1273	No. 1452, dated 17th October 1855 From—The Quartermaster-General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed sanitarium in the Kuttuck hills.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1809, dated the 1st October 1855, states that the question relative to the proposed sanitarium in the Kuttock hills, has been referred for the consideration of the Hon'ble the President in Council. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 50.

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1274	No 132, dated 15th October 1855... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Residence of the Lahore Commissioner at Dharmsala.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1018, dated the 12th June 1855, having availed himself of the permission to reside at Dharmsala from the 14th August to the 14th October 1855 and conveys his acknowledgments for the indulgence. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 27th October 1855— No. 58.
1275	No. 131, dated 15th October 1855... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sialkot Dispensary.	With reference to his letter No. 1583, dated the 25th August 1855, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Sialkot, explaining the paucity of out-door relief treated at the Sialkot dispensary in 1854. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 62-3.
1276	No. 205, dated 23rd October 1855 From—Brigadier-General Cotton. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Carriage for troops, importation of camels suggested.	Informs the Chief Commissioner that the greatest difficulty is experienced in obtaining carriage for the movement of troops in the Peshawar valley, owing to the requirements of the Public Works Department, and suggests that camels be imported to remedy the evil.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd November 1855— Nos. 16—19.
	No. 1952, dated 31st October 1855... From The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Brigadier-General Cotton.	Ditto	Replies that the Commissioner of Peshawar and the Chief Engineer have both been addressed to cause arrangements to be made for the supply of camels for the Public Works at Peshawar from the Cis-Indus districts.	
	No. 1953, dated 31st October 1855... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and states that it would be desirable that Lieutenant Hyde should hire and maintain a batch of camels from the Cis-Indus districts.	
	No. 1954, dated 31st October 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above and of letter No. 18, and requests that he will ascertain if the Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar, has any registered return of the cattle carriage available in the event of an emergency.	
1277	No. *Nil*, dated 9th October 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Patriotic Fund, Calcutta. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1773 dated the 26th September 1855, acknowledges receipt of a remittance for Rs. 54 on account of the Patriotic Fund. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 65.
1278	No. 5708, dated 19th October 1855 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Summer residence of the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 707, dated the 24th September 1855, intimates approval of the proposal restricting the residence of the Comismisioner, Cis-Sutlej States, at Kasauli, from the 1st May to the 1st October broken by an interval of 14 days to try sessions cases in the stations on the plains.	Progs. for the week ending 10th November 1855— Nos. 19-20.
	No. 1991, dated 5th November 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of a letter No. 707, and of the above, and requests that, in future, the Commissioner will report the date of his proceeding to and returning from the hills.	

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1279	No. 45, dated 30th October 1855 .. From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Wooden screw press.	Intimates the arrival of a wooden screw press and requests information as to the station at which it is to be erected. States that several parts have been warped extensively and that several bolts and screws have been stolen on the way up from Calcutta.	Progs. for the week ending 10th November 1855— Nos. 24—6.
	No. 1993, dated 5th November 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto To be erected at Lahore.	Replies that the press is to be established at the city of Lahore and that a Committee should be formed for supervising its management, who should arrange all details for fixing it as economically as possible and determine the scale of charges for remuneration.	
	No. 1994, dated 5th November 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1280	No. 136, dated 31st October 1855 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a Personal Assistant to the Commissioner, Lahore.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No 1918, dated the 23rd October 1855, states that he will be glad to accept the services of Pandit Munphul as a Personal Assistant and suggests the appointment of another officer to supply the Pandit's place in the Settlement Department.	Nos. 43—5.
	No. 2004 dated 7th November 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to Pandit Munphul being deputed at once to serve as his Personal Assistant	
	No. 2004-A., dated 7th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above	
1281	No. 52, dated 4th September 1855.. From—Sir J Login, Superintendent, His Highness Maharaja Dalip Singh. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Maharaja Dalip Singh's annual donation to Amritsar school.	With reference to this office letter No. *Nil*, dated the 12th December 1854, forwards a draft for Rs. 1,000 to be distributed as prizes to the schools at Amritsar, an annual birthday gift from His Higness Maharaja Dalip Singh Intimates H. H.'s wish to be furnished with particulars of the pupils to whom prizes have been awarded, and also to receive a copy of the annual Educational Report.	Nos. 64—6.
	No. 2013, dated 9th November 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of his letter No. 922, dated the 12th December 1854, forwards a copy of the above letter and the draft made payable to him	
	No. 2014, dated 9th November 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Sir J. Login, Superintendent, His Highness Maharaja Dalip Singh.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the above and informs him that the latter part of his letter will be attended to as far as practicable	

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1282	No. 3725, dated 23rd October 1855.. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Kangra iron mines. Private enterprise for development to be encouraged.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Court of Directors, intimating the views of the Hon'ble Court that every publicity should be given to the subject of the Kangra iron mines and that private enterprise should be brought to bear upon them, in preference to direct operations by Government.	Progs. for the week ending 10th November 1855— Nos. 68—71.
	Circular No. 39—2016, dated 10th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Circulates a copy of the above and requests that district officers will give effectual publicity to the subject among all mercantile and capitalist classes within their jurisdiction.	
	No. 826—2017, dated 10th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that the papers relating to the subject have been already published, they have now been circulated among the mercantile community and also been communicated to the Press.	
1283	No. 1210, dated 12th October 1855 From—The Director-General, Post Offices. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal for direct postal communication between Jhelum, Pind Dadan Khan, etc.	Forwards a letter from the Postmaster-General recommending a scheme to provide for direct communication between Jhelum, Pind Dadan Khan Shahpur, Jhang, Muzaffargarh, and Leiah, by a union of the District and regular Post. and invites the Chief Commissioner's views on the matter.	rogs. for the week ending 17th November 1855— Nos. 11—15.
	Nos. 2027 to 2029, dated 12th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— (1) The Commissioner of Jhelum. (2) The Commissioner, Leiah (3) The Commissioner, Multan.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above for their opinion.	
1284	No. 3819, dated 12th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Proposal to establish an Indigo Factory in the Multan Division.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 746 dated the 4th November 1855, declines to grant a loan of Rs. 10,000 to Mr. K. McIver to establish an Indigo Factory in the Multan Division.	Nos. 20-21.
	No. 2032, dated 12th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, with reference to his letter No. 78, dated the 26th September 1855	
1285	No. 3166, dated 25th October 1855... From—The Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Loss of the vessel "St. Abbs."	Forwards an extract from the Accountant-General's letter intimating the loss of the "St. Abbs" with stores for Bombay and the Punjab amounting to Rs. 1,82,076-14-0.	Nos. 47—50.
	No. 2046, dated 14th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay.	Ditto	Asks for a list of lost stores, if obtainable.	
	No. 2047, dated 14th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, as it seems not unprobable that the stores lost may have belonged to the Engineer's Department.	

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1286	No. 245, dated 6th November 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ground rent at Simla.	Forwards a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Simla, proposing certain rules for collecting ground rent.	Progs. for the week ending 17th November 1855. Nos. 65—7.
	No. 2054, dated 14th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner concurs generally in Mr. Dennison's views and requests that the most effectual publicity be given to the rules and regulations pertaining to the new system.	
1287	No. 400, dated 7th November 1855 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Agency at Multan for the transmission of goods to Bombay.	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Multan suggesting that Lieutenant Hopkins the Government Freight Agent at Multan, be made the medium for forwarding public goods to Bombay and enquires if he is authorized to regard Lieutenant Hopkins as agent for the Punjab Government	Nos. 68—70.
	No. 2055, dated 15th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, requests the Financial Commissioner to ascertain Mr. Hopkins' position in this respect, whether he is already agent for the transmission of stores from Bombay, his emoluments for the duty, and whether he is willing to undertake the agency for the Punjab Government.	
1288	No. 249, dated 9th November 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to erect a circuit house at Ambala.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1991, dated the 5th November 1855, suggests the erection of a circuit house at Ambala for the accommodation of the Commissioner and his office establishment during April and October	Nos. 76-7.
	No. 2058, dated 16th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner hesitates to support the proposal, as the Commissioner and his office enjoy a great advantage by residing at Kasauli, and suggests that they should effect the necessary arrangements without entailing any additional expense on the State.	
1289	No. 144, dated 12th November 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations.	Forwards a copy of correspondence relative to a system of vaccination pursued by Dr. Cunningham in the Amritsar District, and recommends that eight annas per mile be allowed him for Inspection tours.	Nos. 83-4.
	No. 845—2063, dated 17th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and recommends the proposal for the favourable consideration of Government.	
1290	No. 1389, dated 26th October 1855 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conveyance of mail bags over rivers and torrents. Wire substituted for hemp ropes.	Forwards a copy of a letter to the Director-General of the Post Offices in India sanctioning Rs. 10,000 for each presidency for the purpose of substituting wire for hemp rope for the conveyance of mail bags over rivers and torrents. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 103.

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1291	No. 1196, dated 21st September 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual Administration report prescribed.	The Secretary to the Government of India conveys instructions to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner for the preparation of an annual Administration Report showing the results of the administration in each department. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 17th November 1855—No. 106.
1292	No. 391, dated 1st November 1855 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lithographic stones from Shahpur.	Forwards Mr. Cope's opinion on the lithographic stones from Shahpur, and recommends that the Deputy Commissioner be allowed to square and polish them for sale in the District Jail for the benefit of his prison proceeds.	Progs. for the week ending 24th November 1855—Nos. 7—11.
	No. 2072, dated 20th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Shahpur.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of Mr. Copes' report.	
1293	No. 90, dated 15th November 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Complaint against Mr. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner, Multan.	Brings to the notice of the Chief Commissioner the conduct of Mr. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner, Multan, for neglect in not answering references and a total disregard of the orders of superior authority.	Nos. 14—16.
	No. 2074, dated 20th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Multan.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and intimates the Chief Commissioner's intention to report him to Government and to submit therewith such defence as Mr. Henderson may send in within ten days.	
1294	No. 3253, dated 29th October 1855 From—The Deputy Commissary-General, Ambala. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Chaudrie's fees for supply of carriage.	Asks for a copy of the order authorizing a fee of four annas to chaudries for the supply of carriage.	Nos. 17—19.
	No. 3339, dated 6th November 1855 From—The Deputy Commissary-General, Ambala. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Enquires if the statement showing the Chaudriat fees for supplying carriage has been authorized by the Chief Commissioner.	
	No. 2075, dated 21st November 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests that the Judicial Commissioner will state whether the rates fixed are moderate and proper.	
1295	No. 6117, dated 15th November 1855. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines at Dalhousie.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1520, dated the 1st August 1855, forwards a copy of a letter from Captain Fagan, reporting that a Committee was held on the Dalhousie iron mines and that they recommended the outlay of Rs. 108 to clear the face of the mine and to sink shafts.	Nos. 35—37.
	No. 2082, dated 22nd November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the advance applied for and requires a report of the result of the experiment now sanctioned.	

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1296	No. 46, dated 16th November 1855 From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Setting up a screw press at Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1993, dated the 5th November 1855, suggests the appointment of Lieutenant Stewart to the Committee for supervising the arrangements for setting up the screw press at Lahore.	Progs. for the week ending 24th November 1855— Nos. 42-4.
	No. 2085, dated 23rd November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner agrees to Lieutenant Stewart's appointment to the Committee.	
	No. 2086, dated 23rd November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests that Lieutenant Stewart may be instructed to associate himself with the Committee accordingly.	
1297	No. 182, dated 6th September 1855 From—The Officiating Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Jevah Thermal spring.	Submits Monsieur Marcadieu's continuation Report on the Jevah Thermal spring. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 182.
1298	No. 3979, dated 9th November 1855 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	"Continuous service" on the part of the uncovenanted servants.	With reference to his letter No. 1065, dated the 21st March 1855, forwards an extract from a despatch from the Court of Directors, containing their decision on the question of "continued service" on the part of the uncovenanted servants of Government.	Progs. for the week ending 1st Decr. 1855— Nos. 19—21-A.
	Circular No. 40—2100, dated 28th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners and Chief Engineers, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the extract, for circulation.	
	No. 2100-2, dated 28th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, and Military Secretary Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above.	
1299	No. 3278, dated 16th October 1855 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Salaries and jurisdiction of military officers in civil employ in the Punjab.	Asks for information, regarding the salaries and jurisdiction of military officers employed in a civil capacity in the Punjab.	Nos. 28-9.
	No. 2104, dated 29th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the information requested.	
1300	No. 2108, dated 30th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Vaccine, Simla.	Vaccine operations. Inferior lymph.	Draws his attention to the inferior quality of the vaccine syrup at Dharmsala, procured from Simla, and requests that he will ascertain the causes of the alleged failure.	Nos. 35—7.

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1300—*concld.*	No. 2109, dated 30th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Mian Mir.	Vaccine operations	Forwards a copy of the above.	Progs. for the week ending 1st December 1855—Nos. 35—7.
	No. 2110, dated 30th November 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Ambala.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1301	No. 238, dated 21st November 1855 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines at Dalhousie.	Submits the reports of the Committee on the Dalhousie iron mines and recommends that Captain Fagan be instructed to examine the excavations and to determine whether the seams are plentiful and whether the ore is abundant.	Nos. 38—40.
	No. 2111, dated 30th November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner, of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Replies that Captain Fagan has been authorized to expend Rs. 1,000 in enquiries to ascertain the quantity of ore obtainable Requests information regarding the means of procuring fuel on economical terms, and of the description of iron used in the Madhopur workshops.	
1302	No. 6309, dated 21st November 1855. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines at Dalhousie.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2634, dated the 12th November 1855, intimates having furnished the report called for regarding the Dalhousie iron mines. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 66.
1303	No. 560, dated 17th November 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Responsibility for supplies for troops encamped in Cantonments.	Intimates that henceforth Revenue officers will be relieved from all responsibility as to supplies for troops encamped in Military Cantonments where Sadr Bazars exist.	Progs. for the week ending 8th December 1855—Nos. 8—11.
	Circular No. 41—2120—2122, dated 5th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— (1) All Commissioners. (2) The Judicial Commissioner. (3) The Financial Commissioner, Punjab	Ditto	Circulates the above and directs that, on receipt of indents, they should be passed on by the Deputy Commissioner to the Cantonment Joint Magistrate.	
1304	No. 396, dated 28th November 1855 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Chaudhri's fees for supplies to troops.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2075, dated the 21st November 1855, states that he is of opinion that the Chowdriat fees are too high and might with advantage be revised.	Nos. 32—4.
	No. 2133, dated 7th December 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissary General.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 3339, dated the 6th November 1855, informs him that the rates of Chowdriat fees shown in his statement are in force, but the Judicial Commissioner has been requested to revise them, so that they may be regulated according to a proper and, perhaps, a more moderate scale than at present.	

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1304—*concld.*	No. 2134, dated 7th December 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Chaudhri's fees for supplies to troops.	In reply to his letter above, requests that Judicial Commissioner will revise the Chowdriat fees.	Progs. for the week ending 8th December 1855—Nos. 32-4.
1305	No. 1491, dated 23rd November 1855. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Departmental Administration reports.	In supersession of letter No. 1196, dated the 21st September 1855, requests to submit the annual report on the administration of each department to the Foreign office. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 35.
1306	No. 285, dated 26th November 1855 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Complaint against Mr. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner of Multan.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2074, dated the 20th November 1855, promises to submit the defence called for regarding his neglect of duties. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 43.
1307	No. 48, dated 30th November 1855 From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of screw press at Lahore.	Intimates that the Committee have selected a site for the erection of the screw press near the Taxalli gate outside the city, and, if the locality is approved, suggests the removal of the press from the Post Office.	Progs. for the week ending 15th December 1855—Nos. 3-4.
	No. 2136, dated 10th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys approval of the site and of the proposal to remove the Press, and authorizes that the expenditure be submitted in a contingent bill.	
1308	No. 268, dated 5th December 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges against Captain Larkins, Deputy Commissioner, Thanesar.	In compliance with Chief Commissioner's letter No. 919, dated the 25th May 1855, submits his opinion on the vernacular petition containing certain charges against Captain Larkins, Deputy Commissioner, Thanesar, *viz.*, (1) the forcible seizure of women through the agency of the Nawab of Kunjpura and the district officials, (2) the receiving of large bribes, and (3) the improper ascendancy of a woman (a courtezan of Ludhiana) who is said to possess complete influence over him. States his disbelief of the first two charges, but that the last charge is correct.	Nos. 46-7.
	No. 2153, dated 11th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States,	Ditto	In reply, requests that Captain Larkins may be furnished with a copy of the preceding letter, for such explanation as he may desire.	
1309	No. 607, dated 3rd December 1855 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Complaints against Mr. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner, Multan.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2074, dated the 20th November 1855, states that the onerous nature of his other duties has caused inattention to his English office duties, and asks for two months' leave to bring up his arrears.	Nos. 55-6.

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1309—*concld.*	No. 895—2158, dated 11th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Complaints against Mr. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner, Multan.	Forwards copy of correspondence regarding neglect of duty on the part of Mr. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner, Multan, and suggests that he be reduced to a first class Assistant Commissioner, and that he be employed at Multan to bring up his office arrears.	Progs. for the week ending 15th December 1855—Nos. 55-6.
1310	No. 4143, dated 23rd November 1855. Form—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Duties levied in Bahawalpur. Sind camel train.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 783, dated the 20th October 1855, intimates that the reduction made by the Nawab of Bahawalpur in the duties levied in his province is deserving of commendation, and authorizes that the thanks of Government be conveyed to him.	Nos. 63-4.
	No. 2163, dated 12th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	With reference to previous correspondence, forwards a copy of the preceding and intimates that His Highness has now been requested to carry out the reduction proposed.	
1311	No. 2498-A., dated 8th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lawrence Asylum, Sanawar.	Asks for the association of district officers in the trusteeship of sums assigned as endowments to public institutions from the Thomason Testimonial Fund.	Nos. 124—27.
	No. 2195, dated 15th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests that he will undertake the trustee ship of any funds assigned to the Lawrence Asylum.	
	No. 2196, dated 15th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, has been requested to undertake any duties that may be required of him in connection with grants to the Lawrence Asylum from the Thomason Testimonial Fund.	
1312	No. 3661, dated 21st November 1855. From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Direct communication between Suez and Karachi.	Forwards a copy of Government letter, intimating that a steamer will be despatched direct to Suez from the port of Karachi in February and April 1856. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 137-38.
1313	No. 193, dated 10th December 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a Tahsildari Station at Murree.	Forwards copies of correspondence proposing the establishment of a Tahsildari station at Murree, and recommends sanction.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd December 1855—Nos. 1—7.

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1313—*concld.*	No. 2200, dated 17th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Establishment of a Tahsildari Station at Murree.	In reply, conveys sanction, within the limit of expense authorised by Government for the fiscal and police establishments at Murree and Kahuta.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd December 1855— Nos. 1—7.
	Nos. 2201 and 2202, dated 17th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner and Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above.	
1314	No. 3569, dated 7th December 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Steamer "Saint Abbs" lost at sea.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2046, dated the 14th November 1855, transmits a copy of a list of stores shipped on board the steamer "Saint Abbs" lost at sea.	Nos. 47—9.
	No. 2223, dated 19th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests that he will state whether any of the stores were intended for the Punjab D. P. W.	
1315	No. 2414, dated 14th December 1855. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cape sheep sent to Hazara.	With reference to letter No. 1416, dated the 3rd August 1855, forwards a copy of a letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Hazara, intimating the arrival of the Cape sheep forwarded by Major Holmes.	Nos. 72-A—3.
	No. 2237, dated 22nd December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Hazara.	Ditto	Asks the Deputy Commissioner, Hazara, to make arrangements for the careful keeping of the sheep and to submit a report with full particulars.	
1316	No. 258, dated 14th December 1855 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application from an American for Kashmir goats.	Forwards a copy of a letter from an American gentleman asking to be provided with two male and six female Kashmiri goats, and suggests compliance with the request.	Nos. 74-5.
	No. 929—2238, dated 22nd December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In forwarding copies of the preceding, suggests that the goats be supplied out of those received from Maharaja Gulab Singh as tribute, and requests authority to make the necessary arrangements.	
1317	No. 261, dated 17th December 1855 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine lymph	In continuation of letter No. 260, dated the 15th December 1855, forwards an extract from a private letter from Mr. Harding, announcing the receipt of a large supply of vaccine material. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 80.

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1318	No. 224, dated 6th December 1855 From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Khangarh (Leiah). To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Staging bungalow for travellers *vid* Sind.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1577, dated the 24th August 1855, states that he has not been successful in his search for a suitable locality for a staging bungalow for travellers from the Punjab to Karachi. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd December 1855—No. 85.
1319	No. 277, dated 17th December 1855 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Postage on petitions, appeals, etc.	Refers the question regarding forward postage on business letters addressed to him, such as petitions, appeals, etc., and solicits orders regarding the rule to be observed, as prepaid letters cannot be addressed to him with the certainty of delivery at the station directed while he is on circuit.	Progs. for the week ending 29th December 1855—Nos 1-2.
	No. 931—2240, dated 24th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Remarks that as the postage would be considerable, the Chief Commissioner suggests that arrangements be made with District Officers to receive all such papers, and to transmit them under a service cover.	
1320	No. 264, dated 22nd December 1855 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines. Export duty in Mandi.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2111, dated the 30th November 1855, states that the iron consumed at the Madhopur workshops was English 311 maunds, country 660. The high price of Mandi ore precludes its use, and he has urged on the Mandi authorities the reduction of the export duty.	Nos. 3-4.
	No. 2252, dated 27th December 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner has no objection to his examining the iron mines in the territories of His Highness the Maharaja Gulab Singh, and is glad to learn that he has moved the reduction of export duty on Mandi iron.	
1321	No. 286, dated 22nd December 1855 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed sale of Government gardens, Thanesar district. Adjustment of Native Doctor's pay.	Suggests that as the Thanesar district is now permanently settled, it would simplify matters to sell the Government gardens that have hitherto contributed Rs. 346 to the Kaithal dispensary, if Government would make direct provision for the Native Doctor's salary of Rs. 25 per mensem.	Nos. 38-9.
	No. 937—2260, dated 28th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards the preceding and recommends the proposition for sanction.	
1322	No. 4430, dated 19th December 1855 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed establishment of a sanitarium in the Khuttuck Hills.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 729, dated the 28th September 1855, regarding the establishment of a sanitarium in the Khuttuck Hills, states that the proposition is premature and is, therefore, rejected.	Nos. 54—6.

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1322—*concld.*	No. 2273, dated 29th December 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Proposed establishment of a sanitarium in the Khuttuck Hills.	Forwards a copy of the above, in reply to his letter No. 667, dated the 29th August 1855.	Progs. for the week ending 29th December 1855—Nos. 54—6.
	No. 2274, dated 29th December 1855 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1809, dated the 1st October 1855, forwards a copy of the above, for the information of the Commander-in-Chief.	
1323	No. 3870, dated 11th December 1855 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Direct communication between Karachi and Suez.	Intimates that the steamer will leave Multan two days earlier on the occasions of the steamers leaving Karachi for Suez. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 82.
1324	No. 3903, dated 14th December 1855 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Extension of Sind Railway to Multan.	Forwards a copy of his letter No. 530, dated the 12th December 1855, to the Government, Bombay, on the subject of the extension of the Sind Railway to Multan and soliciting authority to commence the preliminary survey. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 83.

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1325	No. 2472, dated 24th December 1855. From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of the Screw Press to Lieutenant Stewart's premises.	Reports that the Screw Press has been removed from the Post Office to Lieutenant Stewart's premises and solicits sanction to Rs. 39-8-0 expended in removing it.	Progs. for the week ending 5th January 1856— Nos. 7-8.
	No. 2286, dated 31st December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.	Ditto	In reply, authorizes the amount to be charged in his next Contingent Bill.	
1326	No. *Nil*, dated 21st December 1855. From—Dr. Martier. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Raja of Bushahr's assistance in vaccine operations.	Reports that he has met with every assistance from the Raja of Bushahr in his vaccine operations and suggests the expression of the Chief Commissioner's approbation of the Raja's conduct.	Nos. 21-3.
	No. 1, dated 2nd January 1855 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of Hill States.	Ditto	Forwards a Persian *Khat* to the Raja of Bushahr conveying the Chief Commissioner's thanks.	
	No. 2, dated 2nd January 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. Martier.	Ditto	Informs him that the Raja of Bushahr has been addressed as suggested.	
1327	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd December 1855. From—H. Monckton, Esquire, Deputy Commissioner, Jhang. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Condition and prospects of Civilians in the Punjab.	Submits a memorial to Government regarding the condition and prospects of Civilians in the Punjab, and solicits that the Chief Commissioner will forward it with his recommendation.	Nos. 29-30.
	Nos. 1-7, dated 2nd January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits the preceding and states that all additional experience strengthens the Chief Commissioner's conviction that the position of Civil Officers needs some amelioration.	
1328	No. 4563, dated 27th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea plantations in the North-West Province and Punjab.	Forwards copy of correspondence respecting the deputation of Mr. Fortune to report in the Tea plantations of the North-West Province and the Punjab.	Nos. 40-42.
	No. 14, dated 4th January 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	

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1329	No. 574, dated 25th December 1855. From—The Superintendent, Cantonment Police. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supplies for Troops encamped in military Jurisdiction.	Forwards copies of letters from Secretary to Government, relieving Revenue Officers from all responsibility for procuring supplies for troops encamped in military jurisdiction where Sadr Bazars exist. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 5th January 1856. No. 60.
1330	No. 18, dated 3rd January 1856.. From—Mr. McNabb, Assistant Commissioner. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Remits Rs. 12; being his and Mr. Westropp's subscription to the Patriotic Fund for November 1885.	Progs. for the week ending 12th January 1856— Nos. 12-13.
	No. 29, dated 7th January 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. McNabb, Assistant Commissioner.	Ditto	In reply, conveys acknowledgment.	
1331	No. 479, dated 29th December 1855. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Hazara. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Arrival of Cape sheep.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2237, dated the 22nd December 1855, states that the Cape sheep have arrived and that proper arrangements have been made for their care, and requests orders relative to servants' wages.	Nos. 14-15.
	No. 30, dated 7th January 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Hazara.	Ditto	In reply, requests him to ascertain if Major Holmer desires to retain them as private property or is making them over to Government.	
1332	No. 2149, dated 6th December 1855. From—The Assistant Commissioner, Rawalpindi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Remits Rs. 54 as additional contributions from certain officers for September and October 1855.	Nos. 21-A-22.
	No. 452, dated 21st December 1855. From—The Officiating Superintendent of Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Hill Chiefs' subscription.	Forwards an order for Rs. 1,599, being subscriptions of certain Hill Chiefs towards the Patriotic Fund.	
	No. 33, dated 7th January 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Patriotic Fund.	Ditto	Remits drafts on the General Treasury for Rs. 1,316-2-0 on account of contributions to the Patriotic Fund.	
1333	No. 7716, dated 5th January 1856. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of Junction Houses for the Electric Telegraph on the Chenab. Method of securing cable across the river.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2010, dated the 8th November 1855, submits Lieutenant Pollard's estimates for building Junction Houses for the Electric Telegraph on the Chenab amounting to Rs. 141-13-9 each, and states that the means proposed for securing one end of the cable across the river will be found insufficient and will require a vastly more powerful means of anchoring.	Nos. 45-7.

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1333—*concld.*	No. 45, dated 11th January 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Construction of Junction Houses for the Electric Telegraph on the Chenab.	In reply; sanctions the estimate and directs that the Superintendent, Lahore and Peshawar Road, should propose some efficient substitute for the post for the Electric Telegraph Cable.	Progs. for the week ending 12th January 1856. Nor. 45—7.
1334	No. 1568, dated 6th December 1855. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Statement of Covenanted Servants in the Punjab.	Asks for the transmission as early as possible after the close of the year of the statement of Covenanted Servants in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 19th January 1856— Nos. 14-15.
	No. 62, dated 15th January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.	Ditto	In reply, forwards the return and states that the proportion of Civil and Military Officers is :—Civil 38, Military 54.	
1335	No. *Nil*, dated 1st January 1856 From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of a Screw Press House at Lahore.	Forwards copy of a letter from Lieutenant Stewart, enclosing Plan, etc., for a Screw Press House to be erected at Lahore.	Nos. 22 3.
	No. 68, dated 15th January 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests the Chief Engineer to report on the Plans and Estimate of the building proposed for the Screw Press.	
1336	No. 8, dated 7th January 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges against Major Larkins	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2153, dated the 11th December 1855, submits a letter from Major Larkins, explanatory of certain charges alleged to his prejudice in an anonymous communication and soliciting that the Chief Commissioner will dispose of the case without reference to Government.	Nos. 24-6.
	No. 69, dated 16th January 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's remarks upon the re-employment of certain dismissed officials and points out the expediency of enquiring into the allegations now anonymously preferred. Remarks upon Captain Larkins' connection with a Courtsan as calculated to weaken the confidence of superior authorities and adds that whatever Captain Larkins' merits as a public officer, the Chief Commissioner is unwilling that officers thus situated should be employed in civil capacities in the Punjab.	

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1337	No. 2-A; dated 12th January 1856 From—The Officiating Commissioner of Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Complaints against Mr. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner of Multan.	In continuation of letter No. 90, dated the 15th November 1856, brings to notice that Mr. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner of Multan, contracted a debt with one Muma Dass in breach of the Regulations, and states his opinion that Mr. Henderson is incompetent to the efficient discharge of his present duties.	Progs. for the week ending 19th January 1856— Nos. 27-9.
	No. 154, dated 11th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 895, respecting Mr. Henderson's official remissness, desires that he be allowed 2 months' leave to bring up his office arrears.	
	No. 85—70, dated 16th January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above letter from Commissioner, Multan, in continuation of previous correspondence.	
1338	No. 47, 1st January 1856 .. From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Silk Experiments.	Submits bill for Silk Experiments for the month of December 1855.	Nos. 31-2.
	No. 72, dated 16th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Hotricultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, requests information as to the permanency of the establishment and the results of the experiment hitherto.	
1339	No. 8114, dated 14th January 1856. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Stores lost in the wreck of the ship "St. Abbs."	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2223, dated the 19th December 1855, regarding the stores lost in the wreck of the ship "St. Abbs" submits Lieutenant Stewarts' letter, stating that the coal tar would appear to have been entered for his department. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Nos. 53-4.
1340	Circular No. 2—88-88½, dated 1st January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners, of Divisions, Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Conduct of officers. Pecuniary transactions with natives.	Requests that the attention of all Judicial Officers be drawn to Regulation VII of 1823. They should be warned that any breach of the law involving transactions of a pecuniary nature with natives will be attended with serious consequences.	Progs.; for the week ending 26th January 1856— Nos. 6-7.
1341	No. 144, dated 11th January 1856 From—The Secretary to Government, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a Director of Public Instruction.	Intimates the appointment of Mr. W. D. Arnold as Director of Public Instruction in the Punjab on Rs. 1,000 per annum.	Nos. 23-5.
	No. *Nil*, dated 14th January 1856 From—W. D. Arnold, Esq. .. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto.	Reports his arrival at Lahore.	

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1341—*concld.*	No. 98½, dated 21st January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a Director of Public Instruction.	Referring to the foregoing; requests submission of the Educational Scheme.	Progs. for the week ending 26th January 1856—Nos. 23-5.
1342	No. 111, dated 22nd January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of Multan.	Complaints against Mr. Handerosn, Deputy Commissioner of Multan.	In reference to his letter No. 90 of the 15th November 1855, forwards correspondence with Government regarding Mr. Henderson's official Remissness, and requests that Mr. Henderson may be immediately relieved on the arrival of Captain Voyle, Deputy Commissioner, and that Mr. Henderson be allowed 2 months' indulgence leave, to bring up his arrears of work, also forwards, for communication to that officer, copy of a second representation made to Government regarding Mr. Henderson's pecuniary transactions with Amar Dass.	No. 41.
1343	No. 54-115, dated 23rd January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 154, dated the 11th January 1856, reports that leave for 2 months has been granted to Mr. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner, Multan, to bring up his office arrears.	No. 49.
1344	No. 692, dated 15th January 1856 From—The Commissary-General To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Difficulty of procuring carriage at Peshawar.	Forwards a copy of correspondence with the Deputy Commissary General, Upper Circle, regarding the difficulty of procuring carriage at Peshawar for private purposes, and suggests that the subject merits consideration.	Nos. 73-5.
	No. 132, dated 23rd January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Peshawar.	Ditto	Requests that he will report what arrangements can be made to remedy the inconvenience experienced.	
1345	No. 6, dated 7th January 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suits against Lieutenant Chesney.	Forwards copies of correspondence with Deputy Commissioner of Thanesar, regarding the inadequacy of the officers attached to the Thanesar District to perform the duties consequent on the influx of suits against Lieutenant Chesney.	Nos. 95-8.
	No. 141, dated 23rd January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner is unable to perceive why Captain Elliot and Mr. Leview are unable to perform the work, and intimates that Lieutenant Chesney has been ordered to proceed to Thanesar to furnish such elucidations as may appear requisite.	
	No. 142, dated 23rd January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter.	

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1346	No. 8045, dated 11th January 1856 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Alteration in the line of telegraph posts.	Submits copies of correspondence regarding an alteration in the line of Telegraph posts for a length of nearly seven miles between the Kajoola Chowkee and the Jullundur Tahsil, and suggests that, in future, applications should be made to Departmental Authorities for any alterations or additions required.	Progs. for the week ending 26th January 1856— Nos. 108-11.
	No. 146, dated 25th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Electric Telegraph.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and states that the Chief Commissioner concurs with Colonel Napier that similar applications should be addressed through him to Colonel Napier as the Head of the Department of Public Works.	
	No. 147, dated 25th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the alterations to be made and intimates that it has been suggested to the Superintendent, Electirc Telegraph, that the Chief Engineer's office should be the channel of communication in such matters.	
1347	No. 200, dated 11th January 1856 From—The Secretary to Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scale of Punjab Civil Staff.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 922, dated 19th December 1855, states that one officer in excess of the number required has been provided for in the Punjab Civil Staff. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 146.
1348	No. 3545, dated 5th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patriotic Fund	Forwards a copy of a letter of thanks written by the Command of His Royal Highness Prince Abbas to those gentlemen in India who have so kindly aided the Patriotic Fund. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 148.
1349	No. 24, dated 22nd January 1856 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Chowdhris' fees for supply of carriage at Lahore.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2134, dated the 5th December 1855, submits copy of a letter to the Commissioner of Lahore forwarding a revised scale of Chowdhriat fees for the supply of carriage at Lahore.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd February 1856— Nos. 1-3.
	No. 155, dated 28th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, enquires why the scale proposed for Lahore should not be extended throughout the Punjab.	
1350	No. 74—160, dated 28th January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Increase of salary proposed for Director of Public Instruction.	Referring to Government letter No. 144, dated the 11th January 1855, proposes that the salary fixed for Mr. Arnold of Rs. 1,000 be increased to Rs. 1,200 per mensem and that he be allowed to draw Re. 1 per mile as travelling allowance when travelling on duty.	No. 9.

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1351	No. 109-A, dated 17th January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed Telegraph line from Lahore to Karachi.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Secretary to Government, Bombay, stating that the Hon'ble Court of Directors will only support the Telegraph lines eastward of Alexandria and that the proportion for a line from Lahore to Karachi is premature.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd February 1856— Nos. 12-13.
	No. 162, dated 28th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Sind.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, in reply to his letter No. 2945, dated the 11th September.	
1352	No. 74—174, dated 29th January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Arrangements for work during Chief Commissioner's visit to Calcutta.	Intimates the Chief Commissioner's intended departure on duty to Calcutta on the 1st February, and that the Judicial Commissioner will conduct the duties in his absence.	Nos. 36-8.
	No. 174½, dated 29th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
	No. 175, dated 29th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Informs the Judicial Commissioner that he is to officiate during Mr. Lawrence's absence as Chief Commissioner. In cases of capital punishment, the concurrent opinion of Mr. McLeod should be obtained.	
1353	No. 168, dated 18th January 1856 From—Aubdeaom Fisher. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fittings for the Sialkot Church.	Forwards correspondence relating to fittings for the Sialkot Church and solicits a grant of Rs. 5,035 for the purpose.	Nos. 39-40.
	No. 76—176, dated 29th January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits the preceding.	
1354	No. 13, dated 22nd January 1856 From—The Commissioner of Jhelum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ground required for target practice at Rawalpindi.	Forwards copy of a letter from Brigadier Caley, requesting an additional piece of ground for target practice at Rawalpindi.	Nos. 45-7.
	No. 181, dated 30th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Quartermaster-General.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for the opinion of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.	
1355	Circular No. 3—187, dated 30th January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab, all Commissioners of Divisions, Chief Engineer and Director of Canals.	Temporary absence of the Chief Commissioner at Calcutta.	Intimates that the Chief Commissioner will be temporarily absent at Calcutta and that the Judicial Commissioner will officiate in his stead.	No. 58.

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1356	No. 370, dated 18th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of Kashmir goats to an American gentleman.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 929, dated the 22nd December 1855, states that the arrangement to supply the American gentleman with Kashmir goats had better be left to Major Lake, being entirely of a non-official nature.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd February 1856— Nos. 69-70.
	No. 193, dated 31st January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards the preceding, with reference to his letter No. 258, dated the 14th December 1856.	
1357	No. 376, dated 22nd January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prohibition of Uncovenanted Servants from going through the insolvent Courts.	Forwards copy of a Government Resolution preventing the resort to the insolvent Court of Uncovenanted servants under penalty of dismissal.	Nos. 76-80.
	Circular No. 3—196—7—8, dated 31st January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions, Chief Engineer, Director of Canals, Judicial Commissioner and the Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Circulates a copy of the Government Resolution.	
1358	No. 49, dated 31st January 1856 From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural, Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Expenditure on silk experiments.	Submits the bill for silk experiments for the month of January, for countersignature.	Nos. 90-91.
	No. 203, dated 31st January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, requests a meeting of the Society's Council to report on the expediency of continuing the experiment.	
1359	No. 110, dated 14th January 1856 From—The Commissioner of Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of Kirman wool into the Punjab.	The Commissioner in Sind forwards to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, an extract from the Digest of Intelligence of the Customs Department regarding the Kirman wool and the customs duties levied at Kandhar and suggests the introduction of the sheep into the Punjab.	Nos. 92—6.
	No. 204-6, dated 31st January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioners of Lahore, Amritsar and Gujrat.	Ditto	The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner forwards extract of the preceding to the Deputy Commissioners of Lahore, Amritsar and Gujrat, and requests that they will report upon the expediency of importing the wool and upon the other suggestion of Mr. Dabzell.	
1360	No. 94—213, dated 2nd February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Duties levied on Borax by Maharaja of Kashmir.	Referring to previous correspondence, submits an abstract translation of a letter received from Maharaja Golab Singh, promising that no enhancement of the duties of Borax will be made.	No. 104.

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1361	No. 408, dated 25th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief missioner, Punjab.	Security required from Civil Servants while on leave.	Forwards copy of a letter to the Secretary to Government, North-West Province, dispensing with the practice of taking security from Civil servants while absent on leave when retaining their appointments.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd February 1856— Nos. 126-30.
	Circular No. 5—225, dated 2nd February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	Circulates a copy of the preceding.	
	No. 226-7, dated 2nd February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
1362	No. *Nil*, dated 21st January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Patriotic Fund, Calcutta. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	Forwards a receipt for Rs. 1,828-2-0 on account of further contributions to the Patriotic Fund. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 142.
1363	No. 11, dated 21st January 1856 From—The Commissioner of Leiah To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations.	Forwards vaccine return for December MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 150.
1364	No. 19, dated 23rd January 1856 From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Expenditure on the Simla Dispensary.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Superintendent of Hill States, intimating that the expenditure on the Simla Dispensary will be reduced as much as possible. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 152.
1365	No. 388, dated 23rd January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition.	Forwards copy of a despatch from the Court of Directors, showing that certain articles of jewellery, etc., forwarded for the Paris Exhibition are not to be found.	Progs. for the week ending 9th February 1856— Nos. 9-10.
1366	Dated 31st January 1856 .. From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Expenditure on silk experiments.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 72, dated the 16th January 1856, solicits that his bills may be passed until March, when he will be prepared with the report called for, and points out that a stoppage of funds will prove disastrous to the silk experiments.	Nos. 30-31.
	No. 251, dated 7th February 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that the bill will be considered when the report is rendered.	

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1367	No. 490, dated 25th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Medical Officers' fees for attending families of uncovenant e d officers.	Forwards copy of a letter to the Government of Madras, deciding that Medical Officers are entitled to remuneration for attending the sick families of uncovenanted servants.	Progs. for the week ending 9th February 1856— Nos. 79-A.—79-D.
	Circular No. 7—276, dated 8th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions, Chie Engineer and Director of Canals, Punjab.	Ditto	Circulates the preceding.	
	No. 276-A.-B., dated 8th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and the Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
1368	No. 12, dated 1st February 1856 From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Dalhousie Iron Mines.	Asks for the Return of the Committee's Report in the Dalhousie Iron Mines, forwarded with his letter No. 238, dated the 21st November 1855.	Nos. 79-E.—80.
	No. 277, dated 9th February 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, returns the report.	
1369	No. 8843, dated 5th February 1856. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	Forwards a draft for Rs. 247-5-7 on account of contributions to the Patriotic Fund by the workmen employed in the Dubial Godown and Workshops.	Nos. 81-3.
	No. 278, dated 9th February 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary. Central Examination, Calcutta.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
1370	No. 533, dated 30th January 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Position and prospects of Chilians in the Punjab.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1, dated the 30th January 1856, forwarding Mr. Monckton's memorial, states that it is not in the Governor-General's power to improve the position of Chilians in the Punjab.	Nos. 87-8.
	No. 280, dated 9th February 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Monckton, Esq.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, with reference to his letter of the 22nd December 1855.	

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1371	No. 32, dated 1st February 1856 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Chaudhris' fees for the supply of carriage.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 155, dated the 28th January 1856, forwards copy of a Circular to Commissioners, prescribing an uniform rate of Chaudhriat fees for the supply of carriage. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	Progs. for the week ending 9th February 1856— Nos. 113-14.
1372	No. 4, dated 7th January 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Simla Municipal Rules. Timber Conservancy rules.	Submits correspondence received from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, regarding the right of absent members of the Simla Municipal Commission to vote by proxy; and regarding the abrogation of the rules hitherto in force for the conservation of timber.	Progs. for the week ending 16th February 1856— Nos. 20-23.
	No. 300, dated 11th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto Rights of householders to fell trees.	In reply, states that, in Chief Commissioner's opinion, the power of appointing proxies is not possessed by the Commission, and that householders would appear entitled to fell timber on their own estate. Requests he will report whether there are any tracts which he would propose to be made subject to conservation rules.	
1373	No. 27, dated 6th February 1856 From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Loans from the Nabha and Patiala Chiefs.	Asks for instructions regarding the terms of the loans from the Nabha and Patiala Chiefs, as to the rate of interest, etc.	Nos. 32-5.
	No. 305, dated 12th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, refers him to letter No. 1846, dated the 21st August 1854, forwarding Government Resolution No. 2759, dated the 4th August 1854.	
1374	No. 12, dated 1st February 1856 From—The Commissioner of Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	In continuation of letter No. 129, dated the 10th December 1855, forwards drafts and cash for Rs. 106-14-7 on account of contributions to the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 49-51.
	No. 314, dated 13th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Central Committee, Amritsar.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
1375	No. 8913, dated 7th February 1856. From—The Civil Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of the Screw Press Building at Lahore.	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 68, dated the 18th January 1856, returns Lieutenant Stewart's Plan and Estimate for the Screw Press Building and states that the design seems statisfactory and fulfils all the requisites for such an erection.	Nos. 52-4.
	No. 315, dated 13th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Civil Buildings, Lahore.	Ditto	Enquires if a suitable building cannot be erected for Rs. 2,000, and requests that he will arrange accordingly.	

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1376	No. 8842, dated 5th February 1856. From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fixing of Electric Telegraph Cable across the Chenab.	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 45, dated the 11th January 1856, submits copy of a letter from Lieutenant Tayler, regarding the safest method of securing the Electric Telegraph Cable across the Chenab.	Progs. for the week ending 16th February 1856— Nos. 60-A-61.
	No. 319, dated 13th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of Electric Telegraph.	Ditto	Forwards correspondence and requests him to state whether he has any suggestions to make regarding the securing of the Electric Telegraph Cable across the Chenab.	
1377	Nos. 320-21, dated 14th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner and the Director of Canals.	Mr. Barnes' Report on the Kangra Settlement.	Forwards copies of Mr. Barnes' Report on the Kangra Settlement.	Nos. 62-5.
	Nos. 322-3, dated 14th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind and Secretary to the Government, North-West Province.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the report.	
1378	No. 422, dated 4th February 1856 From—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Restoration of the Badshahi Musjid to the Muhammadans of Lahore.	Forwards, for disposal, correspondence regarding the restoration of the Badshahi Musjid to the Muhammadans of Lahore.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd February 1856— Nos. 5-6.
	No. 346, dated 18th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—General Gowan, C. B.	Ditto	Referring to General Gowan's letter No. 37, dated the 25th January 1856, enquires if he has any objection to give the Badshahi Musjid up to the Mussalmans of Lahore.	
1379	No. 108, dated 20th November 1855. From—The Commissioner of Leiah. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Direct postal communication between Jhelum, Pind Dadan Khan; Leiah and Muzaffargarh.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2028, dated the 12th November 1855, states that he concurs in the proposal to establish direct postal communication between Jhelum, Pind Dadan Khan, Leiah and Muzaffargarh.	Nos. 7-12.
	No. 95, dated 22nd November 1855. From—The Commissioner of Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2029, dated the 12th November 1855, states that the celerity of the Mail Cart more than compensates for any difference in the postal communication and recommends that the arrangements remain unaltered.	

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1379—*concld.*	No. 8, dated 11th January 1856.. From—The Commissioner of Jhelum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Direct postal communication between Jhelum, Pind Dadan Khan, Leiah and Muzaffargarh.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2027, dated the 12th November 1855, submits, copies of letters from the Deputy Commissioners of Shahpur and Jhelum regarding the union of District Daks to effect direct communication from Multan to Rawalpindi, and states that it would cause inconvenience.	Progr. foe the week ending 23rd February 1856—
	No. 347, dated 18th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Director-General of Post Offices.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 7210, dated the 12th October 1855, forwards copies of the preceding letters and hopes they will supply the information desired.	
1380	No. 29, dated 12th February 1856 From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Medals for the London Exhibition, 1851.	Forwards a Kharita from the Maharaja of Patiala, expressing His Highness' satisfaction at receiving medals for the London Exhibition.	Nos. 13-14.
	Nos. 139—348, dated 18th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwaras a copy of the preceding.	
1381	No. 330, dated 9th February 1856 From—The Secretary to Government, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Horticulture in the Punjab. Vegetables for troops.	In continuation of letter No. 707, dated the 27th October 1855, calls for a report showing the extent to which Horticulture is carried on in the Punjab, especially with reference to the supply of vegetables to European Troops.	Nos. 85-6.
	Circular No. 10—393, dated 23rd February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above.	
1382	No. 56, dated 13th February 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner of Hazara. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cape sheep ...	In continuation of letter No. 479, dated the 29th December 1855, states that Major Holmes wishes to retain the Cape sheep as his own property. MEMO.—NO ORDER.	No. 107
1383	No. 1001, dated 19th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Arrangements made for performance of functions during Mr. Lawrence's absence.	Acknowledges receipt of the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 74, dated the 29th January 1856 and states that the Governor-General in Council approves of the arrangements made for the performance of the functions appertaining to the Chief Commissioner during the temporary absence of Mr. Lawrence from Lahore.	Progs. for the week ending 1st March 1856— Nos. 28-30.

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1383—*concld.*	No. 414, dated 26th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Arrangements made for performance of functions during Mr. Lawrence's absence.	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information, in continuation of letter No. 175, dated the 29th January 1850.	Progs. for the week ending 1st March 1856— Nor. 28-30.
	No. 415, dated 26th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto.	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information, with reference to docket No. 174½, dated the 29th January 1856.	
1384	No. 975, dated 15th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Increase of salary for the Director of Public Instruction.	As recommended in Chief Commissioner's letter No. 71, dated the 28th January 1856, conveys sanction to the salary of Mr. W. D. Arnold, Director of Public Instruction in the Punjab, being raised from Rs. 1,000 per mensem to Rs. 1,200, with a travelling allowance of Re. 1 per mile.	Nos. 43-5.
	No. 427, dated 27th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—W. D. Arnold, Esquire, Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information.	
	No. 428, dated 27th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter from Government.	
1385	No. 38, dated 20th February 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Nabha and Patiala Loans.	With reference to letter No. 305, dated the 12th February, regarding the Nabha and Patiala Loans, observes that, in consequence of the omission on the part of the Accountant-General to issue a 4 per cent. Promissory Note in favour of the former, interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum has been continuously paid to the Raja. Requests instructions as to whether a refund of the excess should be demanded. As regards the Patiala Loan, enquires, with reference to the Government Resolution, dated 12th March 1855, whether it is to be considered as permanently transferred to the 4 per cent. Loan of 1854-55 or otherwise.	Nos. 61-3.

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1385—*concld.*	No. 442, dated 28th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Nabha and Patiala Loans.	In reply, observes that the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that the amount of interest paid to the Nabha Raja in excess of 4 per cent., up to the 30th of June 1855, should be refunded, and, with reference to the Patiala Loan, states that it was transferred to the 4 per cent. from the date of the proclamation referred to by him. Adds that Government will be addressed on the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 1st March 1856— Nos. 61-3.
	No. 443, dated 28th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing correspondence with the request that orders may be given for the issue of a 4 per cent. Promissory Note in favour of the Nabha Raja.	
1386	No. 138, dated 25th February 1856. From—Major G. E. Hollings, Deputy Commissioner. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Administration of the Shahpore district. Criticisms in a newspaper.	Draws the attention of the Chief Commissioner to a communicated article which recently appeared in the "Central Star" Newspaper regarding him, and requests that the whole of the correspondence which has taken place concerning the administration of the Shahpore District may be placed on the table of the Editor's Room.	Nos. 77-8.
	No. 449, dated 29th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major G. E. Hollings, Deputy Commissioner.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that the identity of the person by whom the article referred to was communicated is not known, and the correspondence itself is not in a fit state for communication to the Press.	
1387	No. 1051, dated 20th February 1856. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Postage on prepaid letters forwarded to officers on tour.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's No. 931, dated the 24th December 1855, regarding the recovery of forward postage on prepaid letters when sent to the Commissioner's camp, forwards, for information and guidance, copy of a letter from the Director-General of Post Offices in India on the subject.	Nos. 90-4.
	No. 458, dated 1st March 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners, Chief Engineer and Director of Canals.	Ditto	Forwards, for their information and for communication to the officers subordinate to them, copies of the preceding letter containing instructions for the recovery of forward postage on prepaid letters redirected, and forwarded to public officers moving on duty from place to place.	
	Nos. 459—460, dated 1st March 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto ..	Forwards copies of the foregoing letters, for their information.	

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1388	No. 81, dated 23rd February 1856 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition. Collection of jewellery belonging to Harjas Rai detained by Mr. Cope.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 241, dated the 4th February 1856, states that the valuable collection of jewellery belonging to Hurjas Rai which should have been forwarded to the Paris Exhibition was, on the 18th February, made over to the owners by Mr. Cope, the Secretary who had up to that date retained them in his own possession. Adds that the matter has been made over to the Magistrate for further enquiry, the result of which will be communicated. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 1st March 1856— No. 113.
1389	No. 1089, dated 22nd February 1856. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Leave to members of the Civil Service to Europe on private affairs.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, to the Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, stating that applications from members of the Civil Service for leave of absence to Europe on private affairs, involving loss of appointment, residence and allowances, will in future be dealt with by the Government of India.	Progs. for the week ending 8th March 1856— Nos. 3-7.
	No. 468, dated 3rd March 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners in the Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, for communication to their District Officers.	
	Circular No. 12 469-70, dated 3rd March 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
1390	No. 10, dated 28th February 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Oudh. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for the guidance of Tahsildars.	Asks for copies of translation of rules for the guidance of Tahsildars as Head Officers of Police and in the administration of Civil and Criminal Justice for the use of the officers in Oudh.	Nos. 39-40.
	No. 491, dated 7th March 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Oudh.	Ditto	In reply, forwards 20 copies of the Rules.	
1391	No. *Nil*, dated 7th March 1856 .. From—G. R. Wilby, Esquire, Editor, *Lahore Chronicle*. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition of 1855. Jewels detained by Mr. Cope.	Asks for copies of the record of the enquiry recently instituted in to the detention by Mr. Henry Cope of certain jewels which were destined for the Paris Exhibition of 1855.	Nos. 48-9.
	No. 498, dated 7th March 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—G. R. Wilby, Esquire, Editor, *Lahore Chronicle*.	Ditto	In reply, states that a report has been submitted on the matter to Government and that when the papers are in a fit state for communication to the public, they will be forwarded to the Press.	

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1392	No. 40, dated 30th January 1856 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Educational arrangements for the Punjab.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 697, dated the 18th August 1855, and previous letters and reports, in detail, on the subject of Educational arrangements and Establishments in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 8th March 1856— Nos. 51-60.
1393	Nos. 182—500, dated 7th March 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to the instructions of Government as contained in his letter No. 178, dated the 26th January 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding letter, with the remarks and recommendations of the Chief Commissioner on the several proposals therein contained.	
1393	No. 1162, dated 28th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Complaints against Mr. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner of Multan.	Acknowledges receipt of letter No. 35, dated the 16th January 1856, regarding certain pecuniary obligations incurred at Multan by Mr. Henderson, the Deputy Commissioner, and observes that, as no moral delinquency has been imputed to that officer, the Governor-General in Council will content himself by merely expressing his strong disapprobation of Mr. Henderson's conduct and warning him of the more serious consequences which will attend its repitition.	Nos. 61-3.
	No. 501, dated 8th March 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information, with reference to his letter No. 2, dated the 12th of January 1856.	
	No. 502, dated 8th March 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. B. Henderson, Esquire, Deputy Commissioner of Multan.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter from Government, for his information.	
1394	No. 33, dated 3rd March 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition Jewels detained by Mr. Cope.	With reference to a letter adressed to the Judicial Commissioner on the 22nd February 1856, relative to a complaint preferred by Hurjas Rai, a Jewel Merchant of Lahore, against Mr. H. Cope, for the detention of certain jewels destined for the Paris Exhibition, the Commissioner forwards, for the consideration and orders of the Chief Commissioner, a report from Mr. Brereton upon the preliminary enquiry which has been instituted by him into the circumstances of the case.	Nos. 73-6.

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1394—*concld.*	Nos. 185—507, dated 8th March 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	Paris Exhibition Jewels detained by Mr. Cope.	In reply to letter No. 388, dated the 23rd January 1856, submits a copy of the foregoing and states that the Chief Commissioner does not believe that Mr. Cope's action in detaining the jewels for many months was due to procrastination, as urged by him, but the Chief Commissioner suggests that before instituting criminal proceedings as proposed by the Deputy Commissioner and Commissioner, the opinion of the Advocate-General be obtained. Recommends that some compensation be paid to the owners of the jewels—and mentions that Mr. Cope has resigned his post as paid Secretary of the Agri-Horticultural Society.	Progs. for the week ending 8th March 1856— Nos. 73-6.
	No. 508, dated 8th March 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—D. F. M. Leod, Esquire, late President of the Paris Exhibition Committee.	Ditto	Informs him that the matter has been referred to the Government of India.	
1395	No. *Nil*, dated 8th March 1856 .. From—Henry Cope, Esquire. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Detention of jewels for the Paris Exhibition.	Asks for copies of all the papers connected with the jewels belonging to Harjus Rai and also copies of the letter addressed by the Chief Commissioner to Government regarding the final despatch of articles for the Paris Exhibition and of the Government reply.	Progs. for the week ending 15th March 1856— Nos. 11-12.
	No. 519, dated 10th March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Henry Cope, Esquire.	Ditto	In reply, sends copies of the letters relating to the despatch of articles for the Paris Exhibition and states that copies of the other papers referred to by him are not at present procurable, they having been sent in original to Government.	
1396	No. 1223, dated 28th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Furniture for Sialkot Church.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 76, dated the 29th January 1856 and states that the Governor-General in Council having already granted upwards of Rs. 40,000 for church accommodation at Sialkot, declines to sanction any further grant for furniture in excess of the sum of Rs. 1,800 required to provide seats for soldiers.	Nos. 24-6.
	No. 526, dated 11th March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Revd. H. L. Fisher, Acting Archdeacon, Calcutta.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information, with reference to his letter No. 168, dated the 18th January 1856.	
	No. 527, dated 11th March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Revd. W. Boyle, Chaplain, Sialkot.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter from Government, for his information.	

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1397	No. *Nil*, dated 3rd March 1856 .. From—Major Burnett, Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino rams for Kashmir.	Requests permission to send two of the six Merino rams still with him to Kashmir, in charge of Moopla Shah, the great Shawl Merchant.	Progs. for the week ending 15th March 1856— Nos. 31-2.
	No. 530, dated 11th March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major Burnett, Secretary; Agri-Horticultural Society, Lahore.	Ditto	In reply, sanctions his proposal.	
1398	No. 229, dated 11th January 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Petitions dealt with by Chief Commissioner during the first six months of 1855.	Calls for a statement showing; for the first six months of 1855, the substance of every petition presented to the Chief Commissioner and of the orders passed thereon.	Nos. 61-4.
	Nos. 280—546, dated 14th March 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, submits the required statement.	
1399	No. 339, dated 5th March 1856 .. From—Sir R. M. C. Hamilton, Agent to the Governor-General, Indore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed railway from Surat and Bombay to Indore and from thence to Agra and Delhi.	Forwards a printed copy of his Report to the Government of India on the projected line of railway from Surat and Bombay to Indore and from thence to Agra and Delhi.	Nos. 72-4.
	No. 551, dated 15th March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Sir R. M. C. Hamilton, Agent to the Governor-General, Indore.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the thanks of the Chief Commissioner for the enclosure of his letter.	
1400	No. 1028, dated 28th February 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of an Ordnance Depôt in the Fort at Attock. Removal of civil population.	Intimates the intention of Government to establish an Ordnance Depôt in the Fort at Attock and requests that the Chief Commissioner will arrange for the removal therefrom of all the non-military inhabitants. Sends three distinct estimates of the compensation which it would become necessary to pay to the individuals removed, and desires that the most comprehensive of these may be adopted, involving an expenditure of Rs. 50,000.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd March 1856— Nos. 23-5.
	No. 571, dated 18th March 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Insufficiency of proposed compensation.	In reply, points out that Rs. 50,000 will be insufficient for giving effect to the wishes of Government, and enquires whether the Chief Commissioner has permission to award compensation to the parties who may be removed from the Attock Fort to the extent of Rs. 70,000.	

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1401	No. 36, dated 6th March 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishme n t of an Omnibus Company to run between Lahore and Amritsar.	Submits, for the perusal of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from Mr. Brereton, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, having reference to a scheme for the improvement of the communications between the Cities of Lahore and Amritsar by the establishment of an Omnibus Company.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd Mtrch 1856— Nos. 47-9.
	No. 585, dated 20th March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply; states that the Chief Commissioner will be glad to learn that Mr. Brereton's efforts in so laudable a design have proved successful.	
1402	No. 109, dated 18th March 1856.. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Returns for the Educational Department.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1788, dated the 28th September 1855, and states what modifications he would propose in the form of returns for the Educational Department which accompanied letter No. 1107, dated the 31st August 1855, from the Secretary to the Government of India.	Nos. 68-70.
	No. 595, dated 20th March 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, requests he will submit revised forms embodying his suggestions for transmission to Government.	
1403	No. 4139, dated 12th March 1856 From—E. Harrison, Esquire, Officiating Assistant Accountant-General. To— The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Loans from Patiala and Nabha.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 443, dated the 28th February 1856, requests that the 5 per cent. acknowledgment for 7 lacs of rupees in favour of the Raja of Nabha may be forwarded to his office for cancelment and the issue of a 4 per cent. note in its stead.	Nos. 71-2.
	No. 596, dated 22nd March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 442, dated the 28th February 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding and requests he will comply with the request it contains.	
1404	No. 2082, dated 7th March 1856.. From—The Director-General of Post Offices in India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed amalgamation of the District and General Post in certain districts.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 347, dated the 18th February 1856, forwards, for his information, a copy of a letter addressed by him to the Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces, on the subject of the inconvenience which would result from amalgamating the District and General Post in certain districts in the Punjab. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 88.

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1405	No. 1225, dated 28th February 1856. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Duty levied on Borax by Maharaja of Kashmir.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 94, dated the 2nd February, enclosing translation of a letter from Maharaja Gulab Singh promising not to enhance the duty leviable on Borax within his territory, and requests that the thanks of the Governor-General in Council may be conveyed to the Maharaja for his ready acquiescence in the wishes of Government. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd March 1856— No. 89.
1406	Nos. 221—611, dated 25th March 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Return of the Chief Commissioner from Calcutta.	Referring to Government letter No. 1001, dated the 19th February 1856, reports that the Chief Commissioner returned to Lahore on the 22nd March and resumed charge of his office on the 25th March.	Progs. for the week ending 29th March 1856— No. 17.
1407	No. 464, dated 17th March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scientific researches by Mr. A. Sehlagintweit and his brothers.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Mr. A. Sehlagintweit, in charge of the Magnetic Survey of India, submitting a detail of the intended operations during the ensuing hot weather of himself and his brothers and requests that they may receive every assistance in aid of their Scientific researches.	Nos. 18-21.
	No. 612, dated 26th March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States. No. 613, dated 26th March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and requests that they will render the Messrs. Sehlagintweit every assistance in their power.	
1408	Nos. 50—788, dated 1st March 1856. From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Restoration work in Thanesar.	Forwards a report (in original) by Captain Larkins, regarding the restoration of the works of ancient dynasties in Thanesar.	Nos. 55-6.
	No. 632, dated 27th March 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner and Superintendent, Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner considers the report very satisfactory.	

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1409	No. 65, dated 19th March 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pressure of Judicial business.	Solicits the attendance of the Chief Commissioner to the heavy pressure of judicial business in his Division. Submits a comparative statement and begs that some arrangement may be made to afford aid in the despatch of work. Adverts to settlement work of the Thanesar Division.	Progs. for the week ending 29th March 1856— Nos. 66-8.
	No. 636, dated 27th March 1856... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner fully appreciates the difficulties under which Commissioner labours, but he relies on his energy to overcome them. Trusts that his judicial aptitude and experience will enable him to dispose of appeals with satisfaction to the parties and without accumulation of arrears inasmuch as the Chief Commissioner feels himself precluded from deputing a personal assistant to render aid in the Judicial branch. The excess of business devolving on the Lahore and Cis-Sutlej States Commissioners has already on more than one occasion been brought to the notice of the Supreme Government and an early opportunity will be taken of recurring to the subject. With reference to the settlement work at Thanesar, the Chief Commissioner hopes to be shortly able to depute a competent officer to that district.	
1410	No.1 23—942, dated 26th March 1856. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Forms of Returns to be used in the Educational Department.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 595 of 22nd March, submits revised additional forms of Returns to accompany Annual Educational Reports, embodying the suggestions proposed in his previous letter No. 109 of 8th March 1856.	Nos. 107-09.
	No. 660, dated 29th March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Referring to letter No. 1107 of 31st August 1856 and subsequent letter of the 4th March 1856, No. 344, forwards a copy of the preceding and enclosures and states that the Chief Commissioner concurs generally in the views expressed by the Financial Commissioner in regard to Statistical Returns of the Educational Department. Submits also copy of his previous letter on the subject, No. 109, of the 8th March 1856.	
1411	Circular No. 17—663, dated 29th March 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners, Chief Engineer and Director of Canals, Punjab.	Leave rules for uncovenanted officers drawing Rs. 100 and over.	Referring to Government Notification No. 9 of 23rd February 1856, prescribing rules for regulating leave of absence and acting allowance, to public officers in India not in the covenanted service, forwards, for information, subsidiary rules in regard to all uncovenanted servants who may be in receipt of salaries of Rs. 100 a month and upwards.	Nos. 114-16.

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1411—*concld.*	No. 664, dated 29th March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. No. 665, dated 29th March 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Leave rules for uncovenanted officers drawing Rs. 100 and over.	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	Progs. for the week ending 29th March 1856— Nos. 114-16.
1412	No. 36—639, dated 25th March 1856. From—The Officiating Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of vegetables for troops.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 27, dated the 3rd November 1854, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur, reporting on the cultivation of vegetables. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 135-36.
1413	No. 235—669, dated 31st March 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Combination of duties of Inspector of Prisons and Inspector of Dispensaries also.	Solicits the orders of Government regarding the proposal submitted in letter No. 662 of the 7th September 1855, to enable the Inspector of Prisons to be Inspector of Dispensaries also, and states that further reference has convinced the Chief Commissioner that some such Inspectorship as that suggested is urgently needed.	Progs. for the week ending 5th April 1856— No. 1.
1414	No. 69, dated 22nd March 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Period of Commissioner's residence in the hills.	Refers to previous correspondence limiting the stay of the Commissioner at Kasauli. States that he has found it necessary on account of the weather to house the office at Ambala, and expresses a hope that the amount of rent bill be passed in his Contingent Bills.	Nos. 19-20.
	No. 676, dated 31st March 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto Suggested retransfer of head-quarters from Kasauli to Ambala.	In reply, intimates that the Chief Commissioner would be prepared to submit a further reference to Government regarding the Commissioner's residence in the Hills, but he is of opinion either that the head-quarters should be retransferred to Ambala or that the recent limitation should hold good. States that if the latter arrangement is maintained, the Chief Commissioner will be prepared to recommend either the purchase or erection of a suitable Court House at Ambala. Adds that the amount of rent incurred this year may be charged in the current month's bill.	
1415	No. 34, dated 8th March 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of Leiah. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reports on charitable dispensaries for 1855.	Submits reports on the management of the charitable dispensaries of the Leiah District for the year 1855.	Nos. 62-79.

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1415—*concld.*	No. 38, dated 19th March 1856 From—The Commissioner of Leiah. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reports on charitable dispensaries for 1855.	Referring to letter No. 34 of the 8th March 1856, forwards cash account of the charitable dispensaries of the Dera Ismail Khan District for the year 1855.	Progs. for the week ending 5th April 1856— Nos. 62-79,
	No. 40, dated 20th March 1856 From—The Commissioner of Leiah. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 34 of the 8th March 1856, explains why no report of the Bannu Dispensary was made last year.	
	No. 701, dated 2nd April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Leiah.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the Dispensary Reports submitted with Commissioner's letter No. 34, dated the 28th March, and communicates Chief Commissioner's remark that the general result appears to show that these institutions are steadily advancing in efficiency and popularity. Notices such points as require comment and observes that the Vaccination Returns and Reports should have accompanied this despatch.	
1415½	No. 1028, dated 18th March 1856 From—The Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary Reports for 1855.	Forwards, with his remarks, the Dispensary Reports of his Division for the year 1855, together with a general Vaccine Return and comparative statement of the number of patients treated.	Nos. 80-3.
	No. 702, dated 2nd April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the Dispensary Reports forwarded with the preceding letter, and communicates Chief Commissioner's remarks and instructions on the various points demanding notices. With reference to the Thanesar Dispensary and the Report on the inattention to his duties of the Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Mr. D. O'Brien, states that earlier intimation should have been given of the neglect and adds that separate notice will be taken of Mr. O'Brien's misconduct.	
1416	No. 675, dated 28th March 1856 From—The Officiating Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grant of land to Moravian Missionaries for a bungalow in Upper Lahaul.	Forwards, with his recommendations, an application from certain Moravian Missionaries for a grant of land in Upper Lahaul for a bungalow, and permission to cut timber required for the building from the Government Forest.	Nos. 92-3.
	No. 709, dated 3rd April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner, Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction and authorizes his arranging the necessary details.	

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1417	No. 1025, dated 31st March 1856. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Plans of Seraes	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 514-A, encloses plans of Seraes circulated by him in April last.	Progs. for the week ending 5th April 1856— Nos. 103-07.
	No. 714, dated 4th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply approves of the plans.	
1418	No. 32, dated 25th February 1856 From—H. Cope, Esq., General Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Experiments in silk.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 203 of the 30th January 1856, submits a report of the past year's proceedings connected with the silk experiment in favour of its continuance .	Nos. 143-45.
	No. 735, dated 5th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esq., late Secretary Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests explanation of the charge amounting to Rs. 1,120-1-7 regarding which it is stated that "no accounts or receipts are forthcoming," desires also to be informed of the circumstances which led to the disbursement of Rs. 3,178-7-6, pertaining to the silk experiment for the general purposes of the Agri-Hotricultural Society.	
	No. 736, dated 5th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major F. Burnett, Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society.	Ditto	Communicates sanction to continuance of the silk experiment for the period authorized by Government , *viz.*, to the end of 1856, and remarks on certain items of the account submitted by the late Secretary which require notice.	
1419	Circular No. 1559, dated 14th March 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Gratuitous medical assistance to members of the Uncovenanted Service.	In continuation of Circular No. 490, dated 25th January 1856, forwards, for information and guidance, an extract from the Home Department Resolution dated 28th Frebruary 1856, No. 334, respecting gratuitious medical assistance to the members of the Uncovenanted Service. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 152-53.
1420	Nos. 513—29, dated 7th March 1856. From—The Officiating Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines at Dalhousie.	In continuation of letter No. 264 of the 22nd December 1855, submits specimens of Dalhousie Iron with, a copy of a Report on their working qualities by Mr. Smith, Executive Officer, Bari Doab Canal Works. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 160.
1421	No. 27, dated 31st March 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of vegetables for troops.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 10 of the 23rd February, forwards copy of a letter No. 188 of 26th March reporting on the growth of vegetables at Multan.	Nos. 167-70.

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1421—*concld.*	No. 9902, dated 8th March 1856 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron Mines at Dalhousie.	With reference to letter No. 2082, dated the 22nd November 1855, forwards copy of Proceedings of the Committee assembled to report on the Iron Mines at Dalhousie.	Progs. for the week ending 5th April 1856— Nos. 167-70.
1422	No. 3593, dated 12th October 1855. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron Mines at Kulu.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 665 of the 10th September 1855, approves of the appointment of a Committee for the purpose of examining and reporting on the Iron Mines of Kulu.	Progs. for the week ending 12th April 1856— Nos. 11-13.
	No. 746, dated 7th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Referring to letter No. 163, dated the 14th August 1855, nominates certain officers to form a Committee for the purpose of examining and reporting on the Iron Mines at Kulu and states that the Chief Engineer will be instructed to place their services at his disposal. Remarks that the lines of road required to open out these mines should also be noticed in the report.	
	No. 747, dated 7th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
1423	*No. Nil*, dated 30th March 1856 From—Lieutenant Pengree, Invalid Establishment, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Minerals in the Himalayan Ranges on both banks of the Sutlej.	Solicits the sanction and continuance of Government in the exploration of the mineral wealth of the Himalayan Ranges on both banks of the Sutlej.	Nos. 61-2.
	No. 265—774, dated 9th April 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards the preceding application for the favourable consideration of the Governor-General in Council.	
1424	No. 1157, dated 25th March 1856 From—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Recovery of forward postage on public letters.	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 11 of the 1st March 1856, regarding recovery of forward postage on public letters, requests sanction to charge such amounts in his Contingent Bills.	Nos. 68-9.
	No. 778, dated 10th April 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto.	In reply, conveys sanction, should the Post Office authorities decline to remit the amount.	

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1425	No. 503, dated 6th March 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary Reports for 1855.	Submits the Dispensary Reports and Returns of his Division for 1855.	Progs. for the week ending 12th April 1856— Nos. 81-3.
	No. 786, dated 11th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto Proposed establishment of a Leper Asylum.	Acknowledges receipt, and communicates remarks and observations on the different points requiring notice. Observes that the Dispensaries are flourishing and increasing in influence, and the Chief Commissioner's thanks are due to the several Medical Officers in-charge thereof, and especially to Dr. Lawrence for his successful efforts at Noorpur. Adds that the Chief Commissioner is not disposed to advocate the establishment of more Dispensaries, but as regards an Asylum for Lepers, a well digested scheme, describing cost, agency, probable aid by private subscription, etc.; will meet with his consideration.	
1426	Circular No. 1, dated 28th March 1856. From—H. Ricketts, Esquire, Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and establishments throughout India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of civil establishments in the Punjab.	Referring to orders of the Supreme Government of the 14th March 1856, enquires if the Chief Commissioner considers it necessary to revise any of the Civil Establishment in the Punjab, and encloses a printed form of statement showing the information which it will be necessary to furnish.	Nos. 87-9.
	No. 790, dated 11th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Rickets, Esquire.	Ditto Reductions not possible in the Punjab.	In reply, states that if by revision is meant reduction, the Chief Commissioner has no proposals to offer, under the belief that no Civil Establishment will be found on a more economical scale than those in the Punjab, but if it is proposed to consider the claims of the Punjab Establishment to an equality allowances with other Divisions of the Presidency, then the Chief Commissioner would have various proposals to offer. Before, however, adverting to such, he desires to await a further communication from him. Adds that the Chief Commissioner will be glad to afford him all the information in his power on the subject of the present enquiry.	
1427	*No. Nil*, dated 7th April 1856 .. From—Mr. Ter Arratoon. .. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prohibition of Mr. Ter Arratoon's Timber Trade in Chamba.	Asks for copies of the correspondence relating to the Government prohibition to his carrying on his Timber Trade in the Chamba Territory.	Nos. 94-5.
	No. 793, dated 11th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Ter Arratoon.	Ditto	In reply, states that the papers in question are of a confidential nature as pertaining to the Political Department of this office, and they cannot, therefore, be supplied to him.	

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1428	No. 26, dated 17th March 1856.. From—The Officiating Commissioner of Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary Reports for 1855.	Submits the Dispensary Reports and Returns of his Division for the year 1855, together with a copy of a letter No. 24 of the 22nd February 1856, from Mr. Wright, Deputy Collector, Sutlej Preventive Line, reporting on the working of the Kahror Dispensary.	Progs. for the week ending 12th April 1856— Nos. 109-12.
	No. 802, dated 12th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of Multan.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Gugera Dispensary is popular and in a flourishing condition and reflects credit on the Sub-Assistant Surgeon in charge, Judal Chunder Ghose, but the results shown in the reports and returns of the other Institutions are far from satisfactory. Conveys the Chief Commissioner's remarks and observations thereon. Intimates that a reference has been made to the Superintending Surgeon of the Lahore Circle with advertance to Mr. Wright's report on the Kahror Dispensary, reflecting upon the conduct and management of the Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Bihari Lal Ghose, and that the Chief Commissioner will endeavour to make some better medical provision for the medical charge of that station.	
	No. 803, dated 12th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Lahore Circle.	Ditto	Forwards, for consideration, a copy of a letter from Mr. Wright, Deputy Collector, Sutlej Preventive Line, No. 24, dated the 22nd February 1856, and extract from a report by the Commissioner of Multan, reflecting upon the conduct and management of Sub-Assistant Surgeon Bihari Lal Ghose, in charge of the Kahror Dispensary, and requests his opinion on the merits of the case and as to the steps which ought to be taken in the matter.	
1429	No. 721, dated 4th April 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mr. Arratoon's application for lease of all the Beer Iron Mines in Kangra.	Submits copy of an application from Mr. Ter Arratoon for a lease for six years' certain of all the Beer Iron Mines in the Kangra District, and recommends the deputation of an officer for the purpose of examining the Mines and the surrounding country with reference to the facility or otherwise of Transport, etc.	Nos. 113-14.
	No. 804, dated 12th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that no European Officer is available, but if Commissioner will furnish an approximate idea of the cost of employing a native Surgeon, the Chief Commissioner will be prepared to take the matter into his consideration. Desires to be informed of the conditions on which he would recommend the lease of these mines to Mr. Arratoon.	

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1430	No. 753, dated 7th April 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cottages for female patients in the dispensary at Jullundur.	Forwards completion report for certain repairs and the construction of cottages for female patients in the Dispensary at Jullundur. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 12th April 1856— No. 120.
1431	No. 82, dated 20th February 1856 From—Major-General Gowan, Commanding, Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Badshahi Mosque, Lahore, to the Civil authorities.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 346 of the 18th February 1856, states that he has no objection to the transfer of the Juma or Badshahi Mosque in the citadel of Lahore to the Civil authorities, and adds that the subject will be referred without delay for the orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 123.
1432	Circular No. 4, dated 28th March 1856 From—H. Ricketts, Esquire, Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Data required for examination of establishments.	Forwards; for distribution among the Senior Civil Officers in the Punjab; printed circulars and forms showing the information which is desired.	Progs. for the week ending 19th April 1856. Nos. 21-3.
	Circular No. 19—817, dated 15th April 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the circulars and forms received with the preceding, and directs that the requisite information may be submitted to this office for transmission to Mr. Ricketts.	
1433	No. 227, dated 5th April 1856 From—F. H. Cooper, Esq., Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Importation of Kirman wool. Shawl industry in Amritsar.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 205, dated the 31st January 1856; submits a report relative to the importation of Kirman wool; and states that he will, if required, furnish a memorandum on the shawl manufacture and trade of the City of Amritsar.	Nos. 24-5.
	No. 818, dated 15th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—F. H. Cooper, Esq.; Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the preceding report, and states that the Chief Commissioner will be happy to receive the memorandum alluded to.	
1434	Circular No. 20—822, dated 16th April 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Powers of acting Deputy Commissioners.	Intimates, for communication to the officers subordinate to them, that the Chief Commissioner has ruled that an officer (even though unpassed) acting as Deputy Commissioner under competent authority shall, by virtue of his appointment, exercise the full powers of a Magistrate, Collector and Civil Judge in all respects.	No. 32.

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1435	No. 92, dated 3rd April 1856 .. From—H. Warren, Esquire, Agent, Sindh Railway Co., Karachi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed railway from Multan to Amritsar *via* Lahore.	Referring to correspondences furnished by the Commissioner of Sindh, on the subject of Railway communication between Karachi and the Punjab, submits a project regarding the construction of a Railway from Multan to Amritsar *via* Lahore, and begs to be supplied with all the information available in regard to existing trade, etc.	Progs, for the week ending 19th April 1856— Nos. 36-42.
	No. 826, dated 16th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar.	Ditto	Informs the Deputy Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner is desirous of obtaining the best information available regarding the commercial inducement for the construction of a Railway from Multan to Amritsar *via*. Lahore. Indicates the points on which he is desired to report, and states that the Chief Commissioner relies on his best exertions to furnish the required information within a month or six weeks.	
	No. 827, dated 17th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, and requests he will furnish a similar report for Lahore.	
	No. 828, dated 17th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner of Multan.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the two preceeding letters, and requests he will furnish a similar report for Multan.	
	No. 829, dated 17th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Director of Canals, Punjab.	Dittc	Referring to the projected construction of a Railway from Multan to Amritsar *via* Lahore, and to the experience acquired by himself and his subordinates in the external peculiarities of the Bari Doab Canal, the Chief Commissioner requests the Director to furnish report on the physical difficulties or facilities for the prosecution of such an undertaking. Particularizes the information which is required, and begs that a rough map may accompany it, showing the line he would suggest for adoption.	
	No. 830, dated 17th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner. To—H. Warren, Esquire, Agent, Sindh Railway Company, Karachi.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 92 of the 3rd April 1856, regarding the construction of a Railway from Mooltan to Amritsar, informs him that specific enquiry has been instituted regarding the trade, produce, and general circumstances of the country which the line would traverse, and that the fullest information available in regard thereto, will be duly communicated to him.	

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1436	No. 844, dated 18th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Lahore Circle.	Dispensaries in the Multan Division.	Forwards, for his information, extracts paragraphs 14 and 16 from Report of the Commissioner, Multan Division, on the Dispensaries of his Division for the year 1855, and requests that he will cause the Jhang Dispensary to be supplied with the Instruments therein stated to be required.	Progs. for the week ending 19th April 1856— No. 71.
1437	No. 159, dated 5th April 1856 .. From—Major-General G. E. Gowan, Commanding, Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of Badshahi Mosque, Lahore, to the Civil authorities.	In continuation of letter No. 82 of the 20th February 1856, informs the Chief Commissioner of the instructions issued to the Officer Commanding at Lahore to transfer the Jumma or Badshahi Mosque to the Civil authorities, and communicates the arrangements made for the safety of the citadel.	Nos. 78-80.
	No. 848, dated 18th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Lahore,	Ditto	Forwards copies of correspondence regarding the transfer of the Jumma or Badshahi Mosque in the citadel of Lahore, and requests that he will make arrangements, in communication with the Officer Commanding, for placing this building at the disposal of the Muhammadans for purposes of worship. Requests particular attention to the conditions imposed in the transfer of the Mosque.	
1438	No. 850, dated 19th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—N. Warren, Esq. Agent, Sindh Railway Co., Karachi.	Proposed railway from Multan to Amritsar, *vid*. Lahore.	In continuation of letter No. 830 of the 17th April 1856, advises despatched to his address, by Dâk Banghy, of the maps of the Amritsar District and Bari Doab Canal. Adds that the other maps required are not available at present, but they will be forwarded in due course.	No. 83.
1439	No. 53, dated 11th April 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of Jhelum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary Reports for 1855.	Submits Reports and Returns of the Dispensaries in his Division for the year 1855.	Nos. 89-90.
	No. 856, dated 19th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Jhelum.	Ditto	In reply, expresses satisfaction at the results obtained in the Rawalpindi, Jhelum and Shahpur districts, but intimates that the Dispensaries of Gujrat and Pind Dadan Khan are not flourishing. Requests an explanation of the apparent diminution in attendance in the former (Gujrat) and communicates Chief Commissioner's remarks and observations on other points in the Returns and Reports requiring notice.	
1440	No. 1099, dated 2nd April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Steamer from Bombay to Suez.	Forwards, for information, a copy of a letter addressed to the Director-General of Post Offices, intimating that Government have resolved to abandon, for this year, the experimental employment of a steamer from Bombay to Suez. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 109.

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1441	No. 216, dated 14th April 1856 .. From—The Deputy Commissioner of Gujrat. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Importation of Kirman wool.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 206 of the 31st January 1856, submits his reports relative to the importation of Kirman wool. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 19th April 1856— Nos. 110—3.
1442	No. 790, dated 11th April 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed market garden at Dalhousie.	Forwards an application from Mr. Healey for permission to cultivate, on certain conditions, a piece of ground at Dalhousie as a market garden. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 129.
1443	No. 56, dated 14th April 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of Jhelum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ferruginous resources of the Karrana Range and the coal deposits of the Salt Range.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1853, dated the 8th October 1855, submits M. Marcadieu's report on the ferruginous resources of the Karrana Range and on the coal deposits of the Salt Range.	Progs. for the week ending 26th April 1856— Nos. 43—6.
	No. 899, dated 22nd April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Jhelum.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the preceding and enquires whether he has any remarks or proposals to offer.	
	No. 900, dated 22nd April 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	Informs M. Marcadieu of the receipt of his report on the ferruginous resources of the Karrana Range and begs he will cause his future reports to be written in a legible hand and with good black ink.	
1444	Circular No. 22—903, dated 23rd April 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners, Chief Engineer and Director of Canals, Punjab.	Re-employment of dismissed officials.	In continuation of Circular No. 16, dated 28th March 1856, regarding dismissed officials, with the view of ensuring the prevention of the re-entertainment of parties dismissed from the Government service for misconduct, the Chief Commissioner directs that no candidate may be employed without producing a certificate from or reference being made to the Officer under whom he had served during the six months preceding the application.	Nos. 51—3.
	Nos. 904-05, dated 23rd April 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner and Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding.	
1445	No. 63, dated 18th April 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Franking of official letters by Commissioners' Head Clerks.	Forwards copies of correspondence with the Postmaster-General, North-Western Province, relative to the power of Commissioners' Head Clerks to frank letters on the public service and states the inconvenience which would arise should the Head Clerk not be permitted to do so.	Nos. 60—63.

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1445—*concld.*	No. 910, dated 23rd April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces.	Franking of official letters by Commissioners' Head Clerks.	With reference to the preceding, forwards extract from a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, No. 609 of the 4th May 1855, authorising Commissioners to delegate the power of franking letters to the Head Assistants or Clerks of their offices, and begs that instructions may be issued to the Postal authorities to prevent any impediment to the public service on this account.	Progs. for the week ending 26th April 1856— Nos. 60—3.
	No. 911, dated 23rd April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
1446	No. 62, dated 18th April 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary Reports for 1855.	Submits the Dispensary Reports and Returns of his Division for the year 1855.	Nos. 66—77.
	No. 913, dated 18th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of Lahore.	Ditto	In reply, states that the general result obtained is considered by the Chief Commissioner to be highly satisfactory and creditable to the officers concerned. Communicates remarks and observations on such other points as require notice, and adds that the present reports should have been furnished at a somewhat earlier period.	
	Circular No. 23—914, dated 23rd April 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Requests that, in future, the cost of out-door and in-door patients may be invariably discriminated in the Financial returns which accompany their annual reports on the working of Government Charitable Dispensaries and that the average cost per head of each class of patient may be distinguished.	
	No. 915, dated 23rd April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Medical Board, Fort William.	Ditto Extension of vaccine operations.	Transmits, for the favourable consideration of the Medical Board, extracts from Dr. Cunningham's report for the last year on the working of the Charitable Dispensary at Amritsar, proposing that the aggregate salary of the vaccinators should be placed at his disposal for employment in such a manner as may appear best suited for extending vaccination.	

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1447	No. 577, dated 4th April 1856 .. From—The Resident of Hyderabad. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	*Choongee* or town tax.	Forwards extract from a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, to his address, directing establishment of the *choongee* or town tax, and requests to be furnished with information relative to the system prevailing in the Punjab. Also desires to be supplied with statement showing the average extent of country and number of villages and inhabitants comprised ordinarily in a Police thana and the strength and salaries of the establishment of the Chief, Judicial and Financial Commissioner's offices.	Progs. for the week ending 26th April 1856— Nos. 78—80.
		Size of thanas and cost of certain head offices.		
	No. 916, dated 23rd April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Resident of Hyderabad.	Ditto.	In reply, states that the original papers regarding the *choongee* or town tax have been sent to the Chief Commissioner of Oudh, but they will be forwarded to him when returned. Furnishes the further information required.	
1448	No. 559, dated 21st April 1856 .. From—The Deputy Commissioner of Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Importation of Kirman wool.	In reply to Chief Commissioners' letter No. 204 of the 31st January 1856, submits his report regarding the importation of Kirman wool into the Punjab.	Nos. 116-17.
	No. 941, dated 25th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of Sindh.	Ditto	Referring to his predecessor's letter No. 810, of the 14th January 1856, on the subject of Kirman wool, furnishes the information procurable relative to the introduction of the wool into the Punjab.	
1449	No. 140, dated 11th April 1856 .. From—The Superintendent, Horticultural Gardens, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea plantations in the Kangra Valley.	Submits, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, copy of his Report to Government on the present condition and future prospect of the Tea plantations in the Kangra Valley.	Nos. 123—25.
	No. 946, dated 26th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto.	Forwards a copy of the preceding for the information of the Officiating Commissioner, and requests he will use his best endeavours to induce the people to undertake the culture of the Tea plant. Enquires if the rules and rewards laid down in letter Nos. 1585 and 1715, dated the 26th October and 19th November 1853, were effectually published to the Agriculturists of the Kangra District.	
1450	No. 947, dated 26th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Manufacture of milled boards in Punjab Jails.	Transfers, for disposal in his office, a letter with enclosures, No. 18, dated the 23rd April 1856, from Captain E. P. Gordon of H. M. 75th Foot, late Executive Officer, Sutlej and Beas Road; relative to the introduction of the manufacture of milled boards in Punjab Jails.	No. 126.

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1451	Circular No. 24—960, dated 29th April 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Medical certificates.	Forwards, for their information, a copy of a circular letter No. 23, dated 14th November 1853, from the Medical Board to the address of Superintending Surgeon, and requests that they will instruct the Civil Medical Officers of their divisions to be guided by the requirements of the Medical Board's circular of the 6th September 1853, relative to the grant of Medical certificates.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd May 1856— No. 18.
1452	No. 1518, dated 21st April 1856.. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pressure of judicial business.	Referring to letters Nos. 636 and 637, dated the 27th March 1856, regarding the pressure of judicial buisness in his division, submits for the consideration of the Chief Commissioner, a detailed statement of the work as compared with the Lahore Division and solicits permission to refer to Deputy Commissioners such appeals from the decisions of Assistants as he may consider can be properly disposed of by them.	Nos. 57—9.
	No. 1519, dated 21st April 1856.. From—The Officiating Commissioner, of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the preceding letter, remarks on the heavy duties devolving on his Head Clerk, Mr. Lincoln, and recommends an increase to his present salary of Rs. 100 per mensem.	
	No. 988, dated 2nd May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner is not prepared to modify the existing rule in regard to appeals from the decisions of Assistants and Extra Assistants and communicates his remarks and observations in regard to the comparison made with the work of the Lahore Division. With reference to the increase proposed for his Head Clerk, observes that there is not sufficient reason apparent for enhancing his salary and that, if Mr. Lincoln can promote his interests by proceeding elsewhere, he is at liberty to do so, after giving the usual notice.	
1453	No. 5, dated 22nd April 1856 .. From—The President of Committee appointed under G. O. G. G. of 21st December 1855. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Subtitution of articles of Indian manufacture for imported articles.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, to his address, No. 1630, dated 21st December 1855, and requests to be furnished with information as to whether substitutes may not be found in articles of Indian produce or manufacture for those indented for from England and if so, which of the two sources of supply would be more economical.	Nos. 60-61.
	No. 989; dated 2nd May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests that he will furnish the information required.	

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1454	No. 493, dated 24th April 1856 .. From—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scale of officers in Civil employ in the Punjab.	Forwards, for the consideration and orders of the Chief Commissioner, a list of officers in Civil employ in the Punjab showing an excess in the number authorized by the Supreme Government in their communication of the 20th April 1853, No. 1826.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd May 1856— Nos. 82-3.
	No. 1005, dated 3rd May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply informs the Civil Auditor that his list includes officers on furlough, on extended sick leave or on detached duty—settlement and the like—who cannot be considered as part of the effective strength of the Punjab service. Forwards an amended list of the officers actually serving in the Punjab inclusive of those who are absent on short leave in India, showing a total of 78, and states that this number is one less than the sanctioned complement.	
1455	No. 102, dated 24th April 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Municipal Commissioners, Simla.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, with enclosure, and requests that the sanction of Government may be obtained to the appointment of the Municipal Commissioners therein named for the year 1855-56.	Nos. 84-5.
	No. 329—1006, dated 3rd May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and solicits the sanction of Government to the appointment of the Municipal Commissioners therein named.	
1456	No. 219, dated 25th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	All applications from uncovenanted servants for superannuation pension to be supported by a medical certificate.	Forwards a copy of a Resolution by Government in the Financial Department, dated 11th April 1856, directing that, in future, a medical certificate shall accompany every application from an uncovenanted servant for a superannuation pension. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 97-8.
1457	No. 30, dated 1st March 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of vegetables for troops.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 10 of the 23rd February 1856, states that as there are no European troops stationed in his division; vegetables are not grown to any great extent. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 102.
1458	No. 61, dated 16th April 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 10, dated the 23rd February 1856, forwards his report on the cultivation of vegetables in the Rawalpindi District. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 103.

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1459	No. 100, dated 23rd April 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of vegetables for troops.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 10 of the 23rd February 1856, forwards his report on the cultivation of vegetables in the Cis-Sutlej States. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd May 1856— Nos. 104-105.
1460	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd April 1856 .. From—Ram Tarrak Banerjee, Contractor, 2nd Sub-Division, Bari Doab Canal. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines in Kulu.	Solicits permission to work the iron mines in Kulu, and begs to be furnished with information connected thereby.	Progs. for the week ending 10th May 1856— Nos. 18-19.
	No. 1017; dated 6th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Ram Tarrak Banerjee, Contractor- 2nd Sub-Division, Bari Doab Canal.	Ditto	In reply refers Ram Tarrak Banerjee to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States for such information as he may require.	
1461	No. 188, dated 25th April 1856 .. From—Major-General G. E. Gowan, Commanding, Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Badshahi Mosque, Lahore, to the Civil authorities.	In continuation of letter No. 159 of the 6th April 1856, forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, a copy of correspondence with the Quarter-Master General's Department, relative to the transfer of the Jama or Badshahi Mosque in the Citadel of Lahore to the Civil authorities, and requests that the necessary arrangements may be made for fixing the hours for closing the north and south Hazuree Bagh Gates.	Nos. 20—22.
	No. 1118, dated 7th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information, with reference to letter No. 848, dated the 18th April 1856, and requests he will arrange with the military authorities for fixing the hours for closing the north and south Hazuree Bagh Gates of the Citadel.	
1462	No. 72, dated 26th April 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ferruginous resources of the Kirana Range.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 899, dated the 22nd April 1856, submits his remarks on the report of the Geological Surveyor on the ferruginous resources of the Kirana Range.	Nos. 51-2.
	No. 1041, dated 8th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply requests he will ascertain from Mr. Coats what information he has collected in regard to the iron ore which exists in the Kirana Range, and whether he would be willing to work any of these mines, and, if so, on what terms.	
1463	No. 435, dated 25th April 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary reports and returns of Peshawar Division for the year 1855.	The Commissioner of Peshawar submits to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Dispensary reports and returns of his division for the year 1855 and explains cause of delay in their transmission.	Nos. 58—67.

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1463—*concld.*	No. 1045, dated 8th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Dispensary reports and returns of Peshawar Division for the year 1855.	In reply, the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner states that the Chief Commissioner considers the results obtained in the several dispensaries to be satisfactory and creditable to his Divisional Administration and communicates remarks and observations on such points exhibited in the reports and returns as require notice.	Progs. for the week ending 10th May 1856— Nos. 58—67.
1464	No. 74, dated 1st May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant Mackenzie's nomination to the charge of the Gujrat District.	Adverting to letter No. 29, dated the 13th February 1856, the Commissioner of Jhelum requests the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner that Lieutenant Mackenzie's nomination to the charge of the Gujrat District may be communicated to the Civil Auditor, with the view to the adjustment of Lieutenant Mackenzie's acting allowance.	Nos. 70-71.
	No. 1047, dated 9th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissoner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner intimates that Lieutenant Mackenzie's appointment was duly communicated to the Civil Auditor on the 30th April 1856.	
1465	No. 125, dated 3rd May 1856 .. From—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Alteration in the design of the masonry pillars sanctioned for supporting the telegraph wire over the river Jhelum.	In reference to letter No. 2234 of the 21st December 1855, the Officiating Chief Engineer forwards to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Taylor proposing an alteration in the design of the masonry pillars sanctioned for supporting the telegraph wire over the river Jhelum, and states that he has authorized the same and directed commencement of the work in anticipation of the approval of the Chief Commissioner.	Nos. 72—4.
	No. 1048, dated 9th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Conveys approval and requests early submission of a revised estimate.	
1466	No. 518, dated 25th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual report on Education.	Referring to letter No. 1107, dated the 31st August 1855, forwards forms of returns to be sunmitted with the annual report on Education.	Nos. 77—9.
	No. 1050, dated 9th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information. with reference to his letter No. 1783, dated the 28th September 1855.	

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1467	No. 96, dated 22nd April 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Period of residence in the hills.	In reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 676, dated the 31st March 1856, relative to the limitation of the Commissioner's residence in the hills, submits for the Chief Commissioner's favourable consideration, his application to be permitted to defer his visit to the plains till the 15th October of each year, and solicits authority for the purchase of a Circuit House at Ambala.	Progs. for the week ending 10th May 1856— Nos. 83-4.
	No. 1052, dated 9th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto Provision of a Circuit House at Ambala.	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's regret at his inability to comply with his request. In regard to a Circuit House at Ambala adds that the Chief Commissioner will be prepared to recommend to Government the expenditure of a sum not exceeding Rs. 5,000 on this account.	
1468	No. 110; dated 24th April 1856 .. From—J. N. Warren, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed Railway from Amritsar to Multan *via* Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 830 of the 17th April 1856; expresses thanks for the enquiries made in regard to the projected construction of a Railway from Amritsar to Multan *via* Lahore, and acknowledges receipt of certain maps. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 100.
1469	No. 1424; dated 1st May 1856 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Chaudhris' fees for supplies to troops.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 155 of the 28th January 1856; states that owing to a difference of circumstances in various districts a uniform rate of chaudriat fees could not be introduced throughout the Punjab. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 110.
1470	No. 881; dated 30th April 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India; Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	All applications for superannuation to be supported by medical certificates.	In continuation of letter No. 761 of the 25th October 1855, forwards of copy of a Resolution of Government in the Financial Department recalling the instructions of the 17th September 1855, and determining that in future a medical certificate shall in every case be required to accompany the application of a public servant for a pension. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 117.

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1471	No. *Nil*, dated 2nd May 1856 .. From—A. Schlagintweit, Esq., in charge Magnetic Survey of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Magnetic survey operations in Kashmir.	Referring to letter No. 464 of the 17th March 1856, from the Secretary to the Government of India to the address of the Chief Commissioner, requests that arrangements may be made with Maharaja Gulab Singh with a view to instructions being issued to his officers to facilitate the progress of the proposed Magnetic operations in His Highness' dominions, and to the grant of advances of money on application.	Progs. for the week ending 17th May 1856— Nos. 26-7.
	No. 1071, dated 13th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—A. Schlagintweit, Esq., in charge Magnetic Survey of India.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Schlagintweit that Maharaja Gulab Singh has been addressed on the subject, and encloses five copies of the letter in question, for the use of each individual of his party.	
1472	No. 43, dated 3rd May 1856 .. From—The Officiating Postmaster-General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Franking of official letters by Commissioner's Head Clerks.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 910 of the 23rd April 1856 from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner on the question of power of Head Clerks to frank letters on the public service, states that the orders referred to in Home Department letter No. 609 of the 4th May 1855, do not, in his opinion, convey such authority, and suggests an application being made to the Government of India for the requisite sanction.	Nos. 33—6.
	No. 350—1074, dated 14th May 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and previous correspondence on the subject, for the information of the Supreme Government and solicits authority for Commissioners of Divisions in the Punjab delegating their powers of franking all service correspondence generally to the Head Clerks of their offices.	
1473	No. 43, dated 6th May 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	Forwards a draft for Rs. 413 being the amount of subscriptions collected in the Jhang District on account of the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 37—9.
	No. 1075, dated 14th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.	Ditto	Forwards a draft for Rs. 413 on the Sub-treasurer, Fort William, being amount of collections in the Jhang District on account of the Patriotic Fund.	
	No. 1076, dated 14th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft for Rs. 413.	

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1474	No. 2174, dated 25th April 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Combination of posts of Inspector of Prisons and Inspector of Dispensaries.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 235, dated the 31st March 1856, communicates the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the appointment of the Inspector of Prisons in the Punjab to be Inspector of Dispensaries also.	Progs. for the week ending 17th May 1856— Nos. 44—6.
	No. 1081, dated 15th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Prisons.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of previous correspondence constituting him Inspector of Dispensaries also. Communicates instructions in regard to the general nature of his duties and explains the prominent points to which his intention should be especially directed on his tours of inspections and in the preparation of his annual reports.	
	Circular No. 25—1082, dated 15th May 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Forwards printed copies of the preceding and requests that the instructions therein conveyed concerning themselves or their subordinates may be duly observed.	
1475	No. 184, dated 6th May 1856 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Shipping agency at Multan.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 748, dated the 7th April 1856, forwards with his remarks; for the information and orders of the Chief Commissioner, correspondence in original, regarding the claim of Lieutenant Hopkins to remuneration for the shipment of Government goods at Multan.	Nos. 50-1.
	No. 443, dated 25th April 1856 .. From—Commander E. Daniell, Commanding, Indus Flotilla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 749 of the 7th April 1856, intimates that Lieutenant Hopkins is not entitled to any remuneration in addition to his present pay and allowances as Government Steam Agent at Multan.	
	No. 1085, dated 15th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to his letter above intimates that it is quite clear that Lieutenant Hopkins is not entitled to any further allowance than that he is already in receipt of and that he is, to all intents and purposes, the Government Steam Agent at Multan though he is not so designated.	
1476	No. 190, dated 8th May 1856 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Maharaja Dalip Singh's donation to the Amritsar schools.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2013, dated the 9th November 1855, forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of Lahore, showing the mode in which the donation first received from His Highness Maharaja Dalip Singh for educational purposes has been applied in the Government and missionary schools at Amritsar, together with a tabular statement of the incumbents of scholarships in the Government institution.	Nos. 54—6.

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1476—*concld.*	No. 1087, dated 16th May 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—J. S. Login, Esq.; Superintendent, His Highness Maharaja Dalip Singh.	Maharaja Dalip Singh's donation to the Amritsar schools.	Forwards a copy of the above for the information of Maharaja with reference to letter No. 2014, dated the 9th November 1855.	Progs. for the week ending 17th May 1854— Nos. 54—6.
1477	No. 839, dated 29th April 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of civil buildings from the Attock Fort.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 591, dated the 18th March 1856, relative to the clearing away of certain buildings in the Fort of Attock, communicates the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to compensation being granted to the inhabitants up to a limit of Rs. 70,000.	Nos. 61-2.
	No. 1090, dated 16th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto.	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of previous correspondence on the subject and conveys instruction in regard to the measures to be adopted for carrying out the orders of the Supreme Government for the removal of the town from within the Fort of Attock.	
1478	No. 2309, dated 25th April 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea plantation in the Kangra Valley.	In continuation of letter No. 2286 of the 25th April 1856, forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors with reference to the report by Dr. Jameson on the tea plantations in the Kangra Valley.	Nos. 72—4.
	No. 1096, dated 17th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner. Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information and requests that he will give his best attention to the subject and endeavour to induce the people to try the experiment of undertaking the cultivation of the tea plant.	
1479	No. 2286, dated 25th April 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards for information a copy of Dr. Jameson's report on the subject of tea cultivation in the Kangra Valley, and enquires what has been done in the matter by inducing native landholders to undertake the cultivation of tea on their own account.	Nos. 95-6.
			MEMO.—OFFICE.	
1480	No. *Nil*, dated 5th May 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disturbances in Mumdote. Settlement operations and demarcation of boundaries.	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, a copy of a letter addressed to the Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore, in reply to his communication reporting the recent disturbances in the Mumdote Ilaqa and containing instructions in regard to the employment of establishments, etc., also, in regard to the measures to be adopted in the disposal of claims to landed tenures, the early prosecution of settlement operations, and the demarcation of boundaries.	Progs. for the week ending 24th May 1856— Nos. 11—13.

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1480—*concld.*	No. 1106, dated 19th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Disturbances in Mumdote. Settlement operations and demarcation of boundaries.	In reply communicates the Chief Commissioner's remarks on the several points adverted to in his letter, and requests that he will expedite the transmission of the schedules previously called for of Establishment required in the several Departments. Adds that it is of importance that an Assistant Commissioner should for a time be located to Mumdote. The Chief Commissioner will be prepared to sanction an outlay of Rs. 500, for the purpose of providing him with temporary accommodation.	Progs. for the week ending 24th May 1856— Nos. 11—13.
	No. 1106-A.; dated 19th May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for their information.	
	No. 1106-B.; dated 19th May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.			
1481	No. 999, dated 5th May 1856 .. From—The Quartermaster-General of the Army. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Additional ground required for military purposes at Rawalpindi.	Referring to letter No. 181, dated the 30th January 1856, forwards a communication (in original) from the Brigadier Commanding the Sind Sagar District, stating why additional ground is required for military purposes at Rawalpindi and recommends the application for the sanction of the Chief Commissioner.	Nos. 14—16.
	No. 1107, dated 19th May 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Referring to letter No. 13, dated the 22nd January 1856, asks the Commissioner to take the necessary steps for transferring to the military authorities the additional ground required for the Rawalpindi Cantonment.	
	No. 1108, dated 19th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 999 of the 5th May 1856, intimates, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, that the necessary instructions have been issued to the Commissioner of Jhelum for the transfer to the military authorities of the additional ground required for the Rawalpindi Cantonment.	

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1482	No. 2460, dated 6th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Exploration of the mineral wealth of the Himalayan range.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 256 of the 9th April 1856, forwarding an application from Lieutenant Pengree soliciting permission to explore the mineral wealth of the Himalayan range on both banks of the Sutlej, intimates that, although there is nothing necessarily objectionable in the terms as now proposed, yet the scheme in question is too vague and loose to be entertained, and the Governor-General in Council cannot, therefore, allow any engagements to be entered into upon such imperfect data.	Progs. for the week ending 24th May 1856— Nos. 19-20.
	No. 1110, dated 19th May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Geo. Pengree, Invalid Establishment, Simla.	Ditto	In reply to his letter dated the 30th March 1856, forwards a copy of the proceding and suggests the adoption of such measures as will enable him to submit a definite proposition and a rough estimate of the capital to be laid out. Adds that the Chief Commissioner will be glad to aid him in his laudable enterprise, so far as he may be enabled to do with propriety.	
1483	No. 1135, dated 22nd May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conservancy of burial grounds.	Requests that all correspondence connected with the conservancy of burial grounds in the Punjab may be transferred to the Civil Department.	Nos. 65-6.
	No. 1136, dated 22nd May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests that all references connected with the conservancy of burial grounds may be submitted to the Civil Department instead of to the office of the Military Secretary.	
1484	No. 1140, dated 23rd May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Work performed in the Lahore Commissioner's office.	Calls for a statement showing the quantity of work performed in his office during the year 1854-55 and the 1st quarter of 1856.	Nos. 73-4
	No. 1141, dated 23rd May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto Office of the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Same as the preceding.	
1485	No. 51, dated 16th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary, to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Failure of silk operations in Lahore.	Reports the final failure of the silk experiment at Lahore, and states that a general report on the silk operations for 1856 will be submitted by the end of the month. Suggests a trial being made on a small scale at Nurpur and Kangra, under the supervision of the District authorities.	Nos. 82-3.

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1485—*concld.*	No. 1146, dated 23rd May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Failure of silk operations in Lahore.	In reply, requests that all the establishments may be paid up and discharged immediately on their completing the work in hand. Directs the early submission of a general report for the information of the Supreme Government and states the Chief Commissioner's objections to any further experiment being undertaken.	Progs. for the week ending 24th May 1856— Nos. 82-3.
1486	No. 48, dated 14th May 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary Returns. Cost of out-door and in-door patients.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 23, dated the 23rd April 1856, forwards a copy of a letter from the Civil Surgeon, Multan, pointing out that it is hardly possible to discriminate the cost of out-door and in-door patients in the Final Dispensary Returns, and solicits instructions on the subject.	Nos. 86—8.
	No. 1148, dated 23rd May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Dispensaries, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of the circular referred to for an expression of his opinion.	
1487	No. 112, dated 15th May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Powers exercised by Judicial and Revenue Officers	Enquires what powers are exercised by the Judicial and Revenue Officers in the Punjab.	Nos. 89-90.
	No. 1149, dated 23rd May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Salaries, etc.	Ditto	In reply, furnishes a detailed statement of the information required.	
1488	No. 177, dated 7th May 1856 .. From—Lieutenant-Colonel Jacob, Acting Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Inportation of Kirman wool intothe Punjab.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 941, of the 25th April 1856, intimates his entire concurrence in the view expressed by the Deputy Commissioners of Amritsar, Gujrat and Lahore, relative to the introduction of Kirman wool into the Punjab. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 108.
1489	No. 2524, dated 9th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Duties of Company's Chaplains.	Forwards, for information, a copy of correspondence relative to the duty in certain cases of a Company's Chaplain and the question of his being entitled to demand fees for performing offices for the Company's troops. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 114-15.
1490	No. 2600, dated 9th May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Extension of the system of District Daks to all non-regulation districts.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from the Director-General of Post Offices in India, suggesting the extension of the present system of District Dâks to all non-regulation districts; and requests that the necessary instructions may be issued to local officers for giving effect to the measures proposed.	Progs. for the week ending 31st May 1856— Nos. 10—12.

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1490—*concld.*	No. 1167, dated 26th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Extension of the system of District Daks to all non-regulation districts.	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information, and requests that he will issue the requisite instructions to local officers.	Progs. for the week ending 31st May 1856— Nos. 10—12.
1491	No. 1169, dated 26th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Mr. Henderson's misconduct while in charge of the Multan district.	Adverting to letter No. 993½ of the 3rd May 1856, and to the reasons which necessitated the transfer of Mr. Henderson from Multan, requests that the Commissioner of Leiah will be good enough to exercise a thorough supervision over that officer's work and take such precautions as will prevent any accumulation of arrears.	No. 15.
1492	No. *Nil*, dated 13th May 1856 .. From—S. W. Fallon, Esq., Head-master, Agra College. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Anglo-Hindustani Law and Commercial Dictionary.	Intimates the projected publication of an Anglo-Hindustani Law and Commercial Dictionary and solicits the Chief Commissioner's patronage.	Nos. 27-8.
	No. 1177, dated 27th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—S. W. Fallon, Esq.; Head-master, Agra College.	Ditto	In reply; informs; Mr. Fallon that the Chief Commissioner will take 50 copies of the work in question.	
1493.	Circular No. 27-1196; dated 28th May 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Data required for examination of establishments.	Referring to Circular No. 19, dated the 15th April 1856, forwards blank forms received from the Commissioner for the revision of Civil salaries, etc., to be filled up by District Officers and requests their early return.	Nos. 65.
1494	No. 631; dated 22nd May 1856 .. From—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sir John L. M. Lawrence's visit to Calcutta on duty.	Requests to be furnished with a certificate of the date on which Sir John Lawrence availed himself of, and returned from, the two months' leave granted him under orders of Government, dated 19th February 1856.	Nos. 69-70.
	No. 1200, dated 29th May 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor; North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that Sir J. Lawrence proceeded to Calcutta on duty by order of the late Governor-General in Council and annexes copies of letters on the subject.	
1495	No. 1206, dated 30th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner in Sind.	Customs duty due to the Nawab of Bahawalpur for Sind Camel Train.	Intimates that the Nawab of Bahawalpur had applied to this Department for the recovery of transit duty on account of the Sind Camel Train passing through his territory from November 1854 to June 1855. Communicates remarks and requests that the amount payable to the Nawab may be remitted by a draft on the Multan treasury.	Nos. 79-80.

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1496	No. 93, dated 9th May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Excessive work in the Lahore Division. Proposed appointment of a Sub-Commissioner.	Referring to previous correspondence and to the orders of Government, dated the 13th October 1854, relative to the heavy duties of the Lahore Commissionership, etc., requests to be favoured with the opinion of the Chief Commissioner as to whether it would be desirable to afford relief by the appointment of a Sub-Commissioner to take all criminal appeals and sessions trials.	Progs. for the week ending 31st May 1856— Nos. 83-4.
	No. 1208, dated 31st May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Ditto Proposed formation of a third Division out of the Lahore and Cis-Sutlej Divisions.	In reply, intimates that the Chief Commissioner is inclined to doubt the expediency of the arrangements proposed, and states objections. Adds that the Cis-Sutlej Commissioner also requires relief and the proposal of the Chief Commissioner was to form the present Lahore and Cis-Sutlej Divisions into three Commissionerships.	
1497	No. 58-A, dated 30th April 1856.. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Positions of Deputy Commissioners in the Punjab.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 790, of the 11th April 1856, and intimates that the correspondence regarding the position of Deputy Commissioners in the Punjab, as compared with that of Magistrates and Collectors in the North-Western Provinces, has been made over to him. Invites further suggestions on the subject. Encloses a copy of a printed letter addressed to such officers in the North-Western Provinces and Bengal as are known to have given their attention to subjects connected with general polity, together with certain printed questions, and begs that the Chief Commissioner will favour him with his opinion on such as may be considered useful in promoting the introduction of necessary reforms in the old Provinces.	Nos. 91-2.
	No. 1210, dated 31st May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Ditto	In reply, encloses a set of answers to the questions submitted by him and states that the Chief Commissioner has no further arguments to adduce with reference to the position of the Punjab Deputy Commissioners besides those urged in the correspondence referred to except that every year's experience confirms the necessity of improving the status of these officers. In regard to grades, intimates the Chief Commissioner's opinion that they should, for the present at least, remain personal in the Punjab, on account of the mixture of civil and military officers of various standing in the same service.	
1498	No. 127, dated 13th May 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Decrease in appellate work.	Referring to previous correspondence reports a considerable decrease in the appellate work of his office.	No. 96.

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1499	No. *Nil*, dated 24th May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Salaries and Establishments. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Inspector of Prisons in the Punjab.	Asks for a copy of correspondence connected with the appointment of Inspector of Prisons in the Punjab; and the suitableness of the salary allotted to the office.	Progs. for the week ending 7th June 1856— Nos. 28-9.
	No. 1238, dated 3rd June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Salaries and Establishments.	Ditto	In reply; transmits the correspondence required and states that the salary of the Inspector of Prisons does not appear to be too high, considering the duties attached to the office.	
1500	No. 159, dated 23rd May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries; etc., To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Designations and duties of Native officers in the Revenue and Judicial Departments.	Asks for a list of the designations of Native officers in the Revenue and Judicial Departments, with a description of the duties performed by the officers of each designation and the English designation which may be considered most suitable for each class.	Nos. 35—7.
	Nos. 1238-39, dated 4th June 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial and Judicial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding letter and requests that they will furnish the list of the designations required.	
1501	No. 136½, dated 23rd May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mamdot affairs	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, extracts from a letter received from the Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore, urging that there is no necessity for the special deputation of an European Assistant to Mamdot; and states that Commissioner concurs in the views therein expressed.	Nos. 50—52.
	No. 1248, dated 6th June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply; informs the Commissioner that the matter has been left to his decision, but that the Chief Commissioner's own judgment is in favour of Lieuetenant Thompson remaining at Mamdot for the present, provided he has obtained accommodation there.	
1502	No. 88, dated 26th May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	System of registration in the Gujrat Dispensary.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 854 of the 19th April 1856, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Gujrat, with enclosures, relative to the paucity of attendance at the Gujrat Dispensary. States that the explanations offered by the Sub-Assistant Surgeon in charge of this institution are not satisfactory and that he has been called on to furnish further information on the subject.	Nos. 53—6.
	No. 1249, dated 6th June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply concurs in the opinion expressed by Commissioner in regard to the inperfect system of registration prevailing in the Gujrat Dispensary and approves of his having called for further information. Adds that further correspondence on the subject should be addressed to the Inspector of Dispensaries.	

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1502—*concld.*	No. 1250, dated 6th June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Dispensaries, Punjab.	System of registration in the Gujrat Dispensary.	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information and requests his particular attention to the rectification of the mode of registration which prevailed last year in the Gujrat Dispensary. States that, if necessary the matter should be adverted to in his next annual report.	Progs. for the week ending 7th June 1856— Nos. 53—6.
1503	No. 3043, dated 28th May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Municipal Commissioners for Simla.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 329, dated the 3rd May 1856, intimates the notification in G. O. of the 28th idem of the Municipal Commissioners proposed for the station of Simla for 1855-56.	Nos. 57-8.
	No. 1251, dated 6th June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information, with reference to letter No. 102, dated the 24th April 1856.	
1504	No. 197, dated 29th May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Statements showing establishments of certain offices.	Asks for returns in the form annexed to his Circular No. 1 for the office below detailed—Chief, Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Secretary, Chief Commissioner, Inspector of Prisons; Captains of Police; Superintendent; Pangee Timber Agency; Assistant to the Superintendent, Pangee Timber Agency; Revenue Surveyors; Assistants to Revenue Surveyors, Settlement Officers; Assistants to Settlement Officers; Cantonment Joint Magistrates and Superintendent of Abkari.	Nos. 76—80.
	No. 1260, dated 7th June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner; Punjab.	Ditto	Requests the Judicial Commissioner to furnish the statement required for his own and the offices subordinate to his Department.	
	No. 1261, dated 7th June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner; Punjab.	Ditto		
	No. 1262, dated 7th June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Same as the preceding.	
	No. 1263, dated 7th June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent; Pangi Timber Agency.	Ditto		
1505	From—Householders at Murree. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application to bring Murree under the provisions of Section III of Act XXVI of 1850.	Solicits that the Chief Commissioner will cause the Station of Murree to be brought under the provisions of Section III of Act XXVI of 1850, with a view to its general improvement.	Progs. for the week ending 14th June 1856— Nos. 5-6.

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1505—*concld.*	No. 1269, dated 9th June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner; Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Application to bring Murree under the provisions of Section III of Act XXVI of 1850.	Forwards a copy of the preceding and with reference to the Act therein quoted, requests he will cause the issue of a proclamation inviting householders and Establishments to declare whether they are desirous or not that the said Act should be put in force; such declarations being forwarded to this Department for consideration.	Progs. for the week ending 14th June 1856— Nos. 5-6.
1506	No. 2737, dated 20th May 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the branch offices of Account and Audit from Agra to Lahore.	Forwards an extract from a Despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors; regarding the transfer of the branch offices of Account and Audit from Agra to Lahore and enquires the Chief Commissioner's opinion as to the best mode of carrying out the Hon'ble Court's views, and the salaries he would propose for the appointments of Accountant and Civil Auditor, respectively, supposing the Auditor to be an uncovenanted Officer as well as the Accountant.	Nos. 15—17.
	No. 412—1274, dated 9th June 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply; furnishes the information required. Proposes a salary of Rs. 700 per mensem, each for the Accountant and Civil Auditor, and urges the necessity of giving early effect to the arrangements contemplated.	
1507	No. 1280, dated 10th June 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Dispensaries and Vaccine, Punjab.	Small-pox in Lahore and Amritsar.	Draws particular attention to the unusual virulence of the small-pox this year in the cities of Lahore and Amritsar and requests that he will favour the Chief Commissioner with an early report on the subject.	No. 23.
1508	No. 3042, dated 28th June 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Educational scheme for the Punjab.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 182, dated the 7th March 1856, conveys the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the several proposals therein contained regarding the Educational scheme for the Punjab with slight modifications in the salaries of the visitors and their assistants. States reasons under which Government have deferred fixing the annual amount to be allowed to the department; and invites the Chief Commissioner's opinion on the question discussed by the Financial Commissioner of withdrawing Government schools from places where other good schools exist; especially in regard to the school at Amritsar.	Nos. 26-7.
	No. 1083, dated 10th June 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner; Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information, with the Chief Commissioner's remarks on points requiring his attention, and requests the submission of specific *recommendations* from himself and the Director in regard to the withdrawal of Government from competition with missionary or other schools.	

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1509	No. 148, dated 30th May 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Limitation of claims in Mamdot.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1106, dated the 19th May 1856, solicits a second expression of the Chief Commissioner's opinion in the matter of the period of limitation within which certain classes of claims in Mamdot territory may be heard.	Progs. for the week ending 14th June 1856— Nos. 42-3.
	No. 1291, dated 12th June 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply communicates observations on the subject and states that without altering the 12 years' limitation as a bar, the Chief Commissioner would prefer that all cases of whatever kind, *within* this term, should be tried upon their merits, according th circumstances and the judgment of the officers.	
1510	No. *Nil*, dated 7th June 1856 .. From—H. Cope, Esq.; late Secretary, Paris Exhibition Committee. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Detention by Mr. Cope, of jewels intended for the Paris Exhibition.	Observes that four months have elapsed since he admitted detention of jewels of Harjas Rai, and begs that the Government may be solicited to come to an early decision on the matter.	Nos. 44-5.
	No. 420—1292, dated 12th June 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the preceding letter and solicits the early orders of Government.	
1511	No. *Nil*, dated 1st May 1856 .. From—The Professor of Geology, Thomason College, Rurkee. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a Museum at Rurkee.	Intimates the establishment of a Museum at Rurkee, in connection with the Thomason College and solicits aid in the collection of facts of every description that may lead to the development of the productions and resources of these provinces.	Nos. 58-4.
	No. 1296, dated 12th June 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions, Judicial Commissioner, Financial Commissioner, Chief Engineer, Director of Canals.	Ditto	MEMO. Directing distribution of 50 printed copies of the preceding letter.	
1512	No. 230, dated 6th June 1856 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Examination results of the Government school at Amritsar.	Submits, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, copies of a letter (with enclosures) from the Director of Public Instruction reporting upon the recent annual examination held at the Government school at Amritsar and remarking on the defects which exist in the system of education pursued in this institution.	Nos. 81—4.

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1512—*concld.*	No. 1317, dated 14th June 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Examination results of the Government School at Amritsar. Defects of existing system.	In reply, states that after the Chief Commissioner's cursory inspection of the Amritsar school in 1855, he was prepared to hear that the defects now pointed out by the Director were in existence. It is easily intelligible that the education conveyed is formal and technical but, it is probably not peculiar to the Amritsar school, the same defect being generally believed to exist in most of the higher educational institutions in India. Communicates remarks on the subject and states that the Chief Commissioner relies upon the earnestness and sagacity of the Director to infuse vitality in all parts of our educational system.	Progs. for the week ending 14th June 1856— Nos. 81—4.
1513	No. 92, dated 6th June 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines in the vicinity of Shahpur.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1041, of the 8th May 1856, states that Mr. Coates has replied direct to the reference desired to be made to him in regard to the iron mines in the vicinity of Shahpur. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 94.
1514	No. *Nil*, dated 27th May 1856 .. From—The Officiating Superintendent, Electric Telegraphs. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for the transmission of messages by electric telegraph.	Forwards, for information, an extract from the rules for the transmission of messages by electric telegraph. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 100.
1515	No. 445—1363, dated 21st June 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Leave to military officers in civil employ in Trans-Indus territory.	Submits, with the Chief Commissioner's remarks, copies of selected correspondence relating to a question raised by Lieutenant Davies, Assistant Commissioner, as to whether military officers in civil employ in Trans-Indus territory should be allowed the same privilege in regard to two months' consecutive leave as that accorded to military duty officers on regimental duty in the same territory, and solicits the orders of the Supreme Government.	Progs. for the week ending 21st June 1856— No. 72.
1516	No. 170, dated 19th April 1856 .. From—The Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Auction of tea at Hoshiarpur.	Forwards, for the information of the Commissioner, a catalogue showing the prices obtained for teas sold by auction at Hoshiarpur on the 27th March 1856. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 86-7.
1517	No. 3315, dated 11th June 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Uncovenanted leave rules.	Referring to the Financial Department Notification, dated the 22nd February 1856, No. 9, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, a copy of a Resolution by the Governor-General in Council under date 30th May, modifying the latter part of section I of the Uncovenanted Leave Rules. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 88-9.

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1518	No. 150, dated 6th June 1856 .. From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Election of Municipal Commissioners at Simla.	Submits, for sanction, a communication, received from the Chairman of the Municipal Commissioner at Simla, annexing a list of the parties selected to act as Commissioners for the ensuing 12 months.	Progs. for the week ending 28th June 1856— Nos. 10—12.
	No. 451—1373, dated 23rd June 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding with the recommendation of the Chief Commissioner for the favourable consideration of Government.	
1519	No. 52, dated 31st May 1856 .. From—The Secretary Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Silk experiments at Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1146, dated the 23rd May 1856, submits, for information, a final report on the silk experiments at Lahore. Intimates that the whole establishment has been paid up and discharged, and enquires whether any further sum should be granted to the Bengalee silk winders to enable them to return to their own country.	Nos. 27—9.
	No. 1381, dated 26th June 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary Agri-Horticultural Society, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the payment to the parties named of a fair sum of money to enable them to return to their homes. States that Rs. 41-11-0 was disbursed from this office on account of the Kashmir silk-worms and adds that this latter amount should be repaid by the Society and both items charged in the General account.	
1520	No. 1390, dated 28th June 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepore.	Proposed Railway from Multan to Amritsar *via* Lahore. Statistics of water traffic on the Sutlej.	Calls for a report showing the annual extent of water traffic on the river Sutlej from Ferozepore downwards, with reference to a project for the construction of a railway in the Bari Doab with Multan and Amritsar as its termini and details information required.	No. 47.
1521	No. 359, dated 12th June 1856 .. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 826, dated the 7th April 1856, submits the reports and returns therein required of the trade in Amritsar District, with reference to the projected construction of a Railway from the above station to Multan.	Nos. 49—51.

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1521—*concld.*	No. 1391, dated 28th June 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar.	Proposed Railway from Multan to Amritsar *via* Lahore.	In reply, forwards for the Deputy Commissioner's information extracts from a memorandum by the Financial Commissioner connected with the question under notice, and invites his opinion on the points touched upon by Mr. Mcleod, particularly with reference to the aggregate traffic as it now exists which would be attracted by the proposed Railway. Communicates the Chief Commissioner's remarks on the apparent excess of the imports and and exports of Amritsar on the Lahore Road, compared with those of Lahore on the Amritsar route, and also on other points requiring attention.	Progs. for the week ending 28th June 1856— Nos. 49—51.
1522	No. 1074, dated 12th June 1856.. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 824, dated the 17th April 1856, submits his reports with returns of the traffic between Amritsar, Lahore, and Multan, with reference to the project for the establishment of a Railway.	Nos. 52—6
	No. 1392, dated 28th June 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.	Ditto	In reply, forwards copy of a memorandum by the Financial Commissioner, for the Deputy Commissioner's information, and requests that he will report on the several points relating to his district. Also communicates further remarks of the Chief Commissioner.	
1523	No. 247, dated 16th June 1856 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Educational scheme for the Punjab.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1233, dated the 10th June 1856, intimates that no time will be lost in communicating to the Director of Public Instruction the orders of the Government of India regarding the Educational scheme for the Punjab, and conveys further remarks on the subject. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 60.
1524	No. 89, dated 13th June 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer to the Muhammadans of the Badshahi Masjid, Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 848, dated the 18th April 1856, reports transfer to the Muhammadans of the Badshahi Masjid in the City of Lahore. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 64.
1525	No. 45, dated 15th March 1856 .. From—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of vegetables in the neighbourhood of Military Cantonments.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 27, dated the 3rd November 1854, submits a report on the growth of vegetables in the neighbourhood of Military Cantonments in his Division. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 71.

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1526	No. 260, dated 30th May 1856 .. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed Railway from Amritsar to Multan *via* Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 828 of the 17th April 1856, submits the returns of traffic called for, with reference to the project for the construction of a Railway from Amritsar to Multan.	Progs. for the week ending 5th July 1856— Nos. 10—13.
	No. 1399, dated 1st July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Multan.	Ditto	In reply, observes that the statements submitted merely show the aggregate of all imports and all exports, whereas it is necessary that the aggregate of imports and exports should be separately shown for each route. Conveys remarks on the large amount of traffic on the Multan route shown in the returns for Amritsar and Lahore, as compared with that shown in the corresponding return of Multan itself, and requests a further expression of his opinion on this as well as on other points noticed in detail which require explanation.	
1527	No. *Nil*, dated 20th June 1856 .. From—Lieutenant Pengree, Invalid Establishment, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to prospect for minerals in the Himalayas.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1110, dated the 19th May 1856, relative to his proposition to explore the mineral wealth of the Himalayan Range on both banks of the Sutlej, communicates further enquiries made by him on the subject, and solicits instructions in regard to his previous proposals.	Nos. 19-20.
	No. 1402, dated 1st July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Pengree, Invalid Establishment, Simla.	Ditto	In reply states that before making a second reference to Government the Chief Commissioner desires to be furnished with definite proposals of the nature required by the Supreme Government.	
1528	No. 246, dated 9th June 1856 .. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Salaries. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prohibition of a gradation system of salaries.	Forwards, for information, a copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, dated the 5th September 1838, prohibiting the introduction of a gradation system of salaries, and solicits the Chief Commissioner's opinion in regard thereto.	Nos. 26—8.
	No. 1405, dated 1st July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Salaries.	Ditto	In reply communicates the Chief Commissioner's opinion.	
1529	No. 5, dated 24th June 1856 .. From—The Inspector of Prisons and Dispensaries, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Combination of posts of Inspector of Prisons and Inspector of Dispensaries.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1081, dated the 15th May 1856, intimates having entered upon his new duties of Inspector of Dispensaries, states his opinion relative to the impracticability of the Inspector of Prisons performing satisfactorily the extra duties assigned to him and forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, copy of a letter addressed to the Commissioner for the Revision of Salaries, etc., in reply to his enquiry.	Nos. 51—5.

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1529—*concld.*	No. 1419, dated 3rd July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Prisons and Dispensaries, Punjab.	Combination of posts of inspector of Prisons and Inspector of Dispensaries.	In reply; intimates that the Chief Commissioner cannot perceive how the duties referred to are so onerous as he supposes, and states his belief that they can be adequately and satisfactorily performed. Also adds that it was from the first contemplated to relieve him of the immediate charge of the Central Jail at Lahore and that, if practicable, arrangements will be made with the Judicial Commissioner for this end.	Progs. for the week ending 5th July 1856— Nos. 51—5.
	No. 1420, dated 3rd July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	
1530	No. 1426, dated 4th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, for information and record in his office, copies of letters regarding the appointment of the Inspector of Prisons in the Punjab as Inspector of Dispensaries also.	No. 61.
1531	No. 3352, dated 17th June 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Guarantee taken from Civil Servants leaving the country on furlough or sick leave.	Forwards; for information and guidance, a copy of a communication addressed to the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, prescribing a form of guarantee which should be taken, in future, from all Civil servants leaving the country on furlough or sick leave.	Nos. 62—6.
	Circular No. 31-1427, dated 4th July 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commisioners, of Divisions in the Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the preceding for their information and guidance.	
	No. 1428, dated 4th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for their information.	
	No. 1429, dated 4th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto		
1532	No. 507, dated 14th May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of vegetables for troops.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 10, dated the 23rd February 1856, submits the report on the growth of vegetables in the Peshawar Division.	Nos. 77-8.

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1532—*concld.*	No. 1435, dated 4th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Cultivation of vegetables for troops.	In reply conveys the Chief Commissioner's opinion that the potato cannot be grown advantageously at Peshawar, and forwards, for his information, a copy of the memorandum on the subject by Major Burnett, of the Horse Artillery at Mian Mir, who has given the matter his attention. Remarks on the satisfactory results obtained in the growth of this vegetable in the Hazara District, and requests that he will arrange with the Deputy Commissioner for the purchase of the available supply in communication with the Commissariat Officer at Peshawar.	Progs. for the week ending 5th July 1856— Nos. 77—8.
1533	No. 1436, dated 4th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 330 of the 9th February 1856, forwards, for the information of Government, the report therein called for, regarding the cultivation in the Punjab of vegetables suited for the consumption of European troops.	Nos. 79-80.
	No. 1437, dated 4th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	
1534	No. 1313, dated 23rd June 1856.. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Work of the Trans-Sutlej Commissionership.	Submits, for the Chief Commissioner's information, copies of statements, showing the work of the Trans-Sutlej Commissionership, which have been transmitted direct to the Commissioner for the revision of salaries, and states that copies of the District statements will also be submitted shortly. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 115-16.
1535	No. 1329, dated 24th June 1856.. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the preceding letter forwards a copy of his communication to the address of the Commissioner for the Revision of Salaries, which should have accompanied that despatch.	No. 117.
1536	No. 165, dated 30th June 1856 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Designations and duties of Native officers in the Judicial Department.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1239, dated the 4th June 1856, forwards the statement required by the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.; showing the designations and duties of native officers in the Judicial Department.	Progs. for the week ending 12th July 1856— Nos. 17—19.
	No. 1474, dated 7th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Ditto	Referring to his letter No. 159, dated the 23rd May 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding for his information, and states that the Financial Commissioner has also been called on for a similar list for his Department which will be transmitted on receipt.	

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1537	No. 481—1477, dated 8th July 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—G. T. Edmonstone, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	Punjab Administration Report for 1855-56.	Referring to letter No. 1194, dated the 21st September 1856, in the Home Department, and to letter No. 1491 of the 23rd November, following in the Foreign Department, intimates the despatch of the Punjab Administration Report for 1855-56, by letter mail of this day to his address.	Progs. for the week ending 12th July 1856— No. 23.
1538	No. 227, dated 24th May 1856 .. From—Mr. G. H. Coates, Government Contractor, Ferozepore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines of the Karana Range in the Shahpur District.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a communication addressed by him to the Commissioner of Jhelum, stating, in reply to that officer's enquiries on the subject, the terms on which he (Mr. Coates) would be willing to undertake the working of the iron mines of the Karana Range in the Shahpur District, and intimates his intention of visiting the mines in question.	Nos. 24—6.
	No. 482—1478, dated 9th July 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards, for the information of Government, copies of correspondence regarding the mineral resources of the Karana Range, in the Shahpur District, and states that a further report will be submitted on receipt of information from Mr. Coates regarding the result of his contemplated visit to the mines.	
1539	No. 7, dated 26th June 1856 .. From—The Inspector of Dispensaries, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Simla Dispensary.	Referring to letter No. 481, dated the 13th June 1856, submits his report in connection with the management of the Simla Dispensary, and solicits sanction to an outlay of Rs. 2,000 for the re-construction of the building which is in a dilapidated condition.	Nos. 27—9.
	No. 1479, dated 10th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Dispensaries, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, requests submission of a plan and estimate for the re-building of the Dispensary, and enquires whether the sum (Rs. 2,000) to be allotted as compensation out of the amount authorized for a new Kutchery at Simla, which is to be built on the site of the Dispensary, is available for this purpose. Conveys the Chief Commissioner's remarks on certain other points of his report which require notice.	
1540	No. *Nil*, dated 28th June 1856.. From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pashtu Dictionary.	Submits, for perusal, a prospectus of his Dictionary of the Pashto language and solicits the Chief Commissioner's patronage.	Nos. 35—8.
	No. 1484, dated 10th July 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Raverty Assistant Commissioner, Multan.	Ditto	In reply; enquires what will be the price of the work when published.	

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1541.	No. 1250, dated 7th June 1856 .. From—The Quartermaster-General of the Army. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of vegetables for soldiers' rations.	Brings to the notice of the Chief Commissioner the great want of wholesome vegetables for soldiers' rations at Peshawar. Suggests measures for obtaining a better supply in future, and solicits the Chief Commissioner's cooperation in the matter, especially with the view of securing a sufficiency of the best potatoes available.	Progs. for the week ending 12th July 1856— Nos. 39—42.
	No. 490, dated 17th June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, copies of correspondence received from the Quartermaster-General of the Army regarding the want of vegetables for European troops at Peshawar and certain other stations in the Punjab, and suggesting measures for securing a better supply.	
	No. 1485, dated 10th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1437, dated the 4th July 1856, forwards a copy of a General Report to Government on the cultivation of vegetables, and intimates the instructions issued to the Commissioners of the Jhelum and Peshawar Divisions for arranging for the requisite supply of potatoes required during the next season.	
	No. 1486, dated 10th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1435, dated the 4th July 1856, forwards, for his information, a copy of the preceding letter from the Quartermaster-General of the Army, and requests that he will arrange with potato-growers in Hazara for the supply required during the next season for the European troops at Peshawar. Authorizes his making any moderate cash advances needed, and desires that the arrangements made may be duly reported to this office.	
	No. 1487, dated 10th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards, for his information, a copy of the preceding letter from the Quartermaster-General of the Army, and requests that he will place himself in communication with the Commissariat Officer at Rawalpindi and arrange contracts with the potato-growers in the Murree Hills, for the requisite supply during the next season. Also desires that enquiries may be made as to whether any similar measures can be effected at or near Jhelum, and requests that the result of these arrangements may be duly reported to this office.	

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1542	No. 603, dated 20th June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a temporary sanitarium in the Khuttuck Hills (Cherat).	Forwards, for information; letter No. 1246, dated the 6th June 1856, with enclosures in original, from the Quartermaster-General of the Army, and requests that the Chief Commissioner will submit his opinion on the proposals to establish a temporary sanitarium in the Khuttuck Hills in the neighbourhood of the Cherat Pass.	Progs. for the week ending 12th July 1856— Nos. 49-50.
	No. 1491, dated 11th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply conveys the Chief Commissioner's opinion and mentions the objections which exist to the establishment of the sanitarium.	
1543	No. 83, dated 30th May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Data required in connection with revision of salaries, etc.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's circular No. 19-817, dated the 15th April 1856, submits a statement containing the information required by the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments.	Nos. 51—8.
	No. 55, dated 5th June 1856 .. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's circular No. 19, dated the 15th April 1856, submits District Returns containing the information required by the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments.	
	No. 78, dated 8th May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's circular No. 19, dated the 15th April 1856, forwards the Gujrat District Return containing the information required by the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishment.	
	No. 83, dated 15th May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the preceding forwards similar Returns for the districts of Rawalpindi and Shahpur.	
	No. 104, dated 24th June 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the preceding submits the Return for the Jhelum District.	
	No. 157, dated 26th June 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's circular No. 19, dated the 15th April 1856, forwards District Return containing the information required by the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments.	
	No. 498, dated 13th May 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's circular letter No. 19, dated the 15th April 1856, forwards District Returns containing the information required by the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments.	

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543—*concld.*	No. 1492, dated 12th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments.	Data required in connection with revision of salaries, etc.	In reply to his letter of the 28th March 1856, forwards the District Returns for the Cis-Sutlej, Lahore, Jhelum, Multan and Peshawar Divisions. States that the Trans-Sutlej States returns have been forwarded direct and that those for Leiah have not yet been received, but have been urgently called for.	Progs. for the week ending 12th July 1856— Nos. 51—8.
1544	No. 3572, dated 30th June 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Jewels for the Paris Exhibition detained by Mr. H. Cope, Secretary of the Exhibition Committee, Lahore.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 420, dated the 12th June 1856, and previous correspondence regarding the detention by Mr. H. Cope of certain jewels belonging to Harjas Rai of Lahore, forwards a copy of a letter from the Judge Advocate-General communicating his opinion on the case, and directs that a civil suit be instituted in the District Court on the part of Government as therein suggested, for the recovery from Mr. Cope of the interest paid to the owners of the jewels which were detained by him.	Progs. for the week ending 19th July 1856— Nos. 3—6.
	No. 1501, dated 14th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of previous letter No. 1795, dated the 17th April 1856, for his information and for transmission to the Commissioner of Lahore, with a view to the orders of Government being duly communicated to Mr. Cope. States that the Financial Commissioner has been directed to institute a claim on the part of Government to reimburse the interest which is to be paid to the owners of the jewels.	
		Civil suit to be brought against Mr. Cope for recovery of interest.		
	No. 1502, dated 14th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of the previous letter from Government for Financial Commissioner's information. Communicates instructions for the disbursements to Harjas Rai from the Lahore Treasury of the interest alluded to, and directs the institution of a civil suit in the Lahore Court on the part of Government against Mr. Cope, for the amount so disbursed.	
1545	No. 94, dated 7th July 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Data for revision of salaries, etc.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's circular No. 19, dated the 15th April 1856, submits returns containing the information required by the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments.	Nos. 7-8,
	No. 1504, dated 14th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments.	Ditto	Forwards the Returns received with the preceding in continuation of letter No. 1492, dated the 12th July 1856.	

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1546	No. 353, dated 8th July 1856 .. From—The Major-General Commanding the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of potatoes for the use of troops.	Forwards copies of correspondence received from the Quartermaster-General of the Army, on the subject of the cultivation of potatoes for the use of the troops in the Peshawar Valley, and requests the co-operation of the Chief Commissioner in giving effect to the measures proposed.	Progs. for the week ending 19th July 1856— Nos. 19—23.
	No. 1513, dated 15th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Major General Commanding the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	In reply intimates that the Commissioner of Peshawar will be instructed to arrange the necessary details in communication with Brigadier Cotton. Observes that if the Commissariat officers at Peshawar and Rawalpindi would place themselves in communication with the Commissioners of Peshawar and Jhelum, contracts might be entered into for an ample supply of potatoes for the next year. Communications on this subject have been already made to the Supreme Government and to the Army Headquarters to which replies may be shortly expected.	
	Nos. 1514-1515, dated 15th July 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Peshawar and Jhelum Divisions.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding letter for their information.	
1547	No. 3542, dated 27th June 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scale of appointments in the Punjab Commission.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 395, dated the 31st May 1856, intimates the intention of the Governor-General in Council to postpone consideration of the recommendations therein submitted for promotions and other changes pending reply to a reference made to the Civil Auditor regarding the actual disbursements on account of allowances to members of the Punjab Commission and calls for explanation of the apparent excess in the number of substantive appointments as Deputy Commissioners of the 3rd class and Assistant Commissioners of the 2nd class over the limit prescribed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors.	Nos. 24—7.
	No. 419—1516, dated 15th July 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards explanation on all the points referred to in the preceding letter, and states that the difference in the scale prescribed for the Punjab Commission is not against but in favour thereof. Forwards, in illustration, a statement showing all the information desired.	

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1548	No. 3618, dated 30th June 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Refusal to grant a Jagir to Munshi Radha Kishan.	In continuation of letter No. 2267, dated the 20th May 1853, forwards extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, declining to authorize the grant of a Jagir to Munshi Radha Kishan, formerly Sarishtadar in the Political Department of the Cis-Sutlej Commissioner's office, and requests that the same may be communicated to the Munshi.	Progs. for the week ending 19th July 1856— Nos. 45—7.
	No. 1530, dated 16th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information and for communication to Munshi Radha Kishan with reference to letter No. 601, dated the 4th June 1853.	
1549	No. 3685, dated 4th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Municipal Commissioners for Simla.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 451, dated the 23rd June 1856, intimates the appointment of the following gentlemen to be Municipal Commissioners for the station of Simla for the year 1856-57, *viz.*, Mr. F. Peterson, Captain D. Briggs, Mr. F. Graham, Major S. B. Good, Mr. Wm. Charde, Dr. W. Peskett.	Nos. 48-9.
	No. 1531, dated 16th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information, with reference to letter No. 150, dated the 6th June 1856.	
1550	No. 283, dated 9th July 1856 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	"Grants-in-aid" for schools.	Referring to letter No. 247, dated the 16th June 1856, forwards, for countersignature, a contingent bill received from the Director of "Public Instruction for the "Grant-in-aid" specified in the Schedules submitted with letter No. 40, dated the 30th May 1856, at Rs. 720 per mensem, and solicits sanction to the 1st February 1856 being fixed as the date from which the "Grants-in-aid" shall commence.	Nos. 80—82.
	No. 1549, dated 18th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply conveys sanction and returns bill countersigned for Rs. 2,880.	
1551	No. 282, dated 9th July 1856 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Schedule of Educational Establishments.	Referring to letter No. 247, dated the 16th June 1856, forwards, in original, a schedule of Educational Establishments organized by the Director of Public Instruction, aggregating Rs. 2,572 per mensem, and solicits sanction thereto from the 1st June inclusive to the close of the current official year.	Nos. 83 4.
	No. 1550, dated 15th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply conveys sanction.	

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1552	No. 2716, dated 14th July 1856 .. From—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dalhousie Iron Mines.	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, a copy of a report by Major Anderson, Superintending Engineer, 1st Circle, Punjab, Public Works, on the Dalhousie Iron Mines, and recommends the employment of Captain Fagan in superintending the working of the same with an adequate establishment under him during such time as the erection of the public buildings at Dalhousie may be postponed or pending the orders of the Supreme Government, and that the sum of Rs. 10,000 may be placed at his disposal for this purpose.	Progs. for the week ending 19th July 1856— Nos. 89—91.
	No. 1553, dated 19th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his opinion and invites his particular attention to the subject of arrangements for protecting the young trees now in the vicinity of the mines. With reference to the Chief Engineer's proposals for the employment of Captain Fagan, intimates that the Chief Commissioner considers it scarcely expedient to make use of such expensive agency.	
1553	No. 164, dated 23rd June 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conservancy of timber at Simla.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 300, dated the 11th February 1856, forwards, with his remarks, a copy of a report received from the Superintendent, Hill States, regarding the conservancy of timber at Simla.	Progs. for the week ending 26th July 1856— Nos. 6—8.
	No. 1557-A., dated 21st July 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Cutting of trees on private estates.	In reply conveys approval of the arrangements reported, but desires that the prohibition against householders cutting trees on their own estates may be maintained with caution.	
1554	No. 40, dated 2nd July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of forage to mounted corps.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Quartermaster-General of the Army, having reference to the introduction of a new system for supplying forage to mounted corps, and requests to be furnished with information as to what would be the actual rate of contract at each station where a mounted force is maintained.	Nos. 8A—8B.
	Circular No. 34-1558, dated 21st July 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners in the Punjab.	Ditto	Communicates the preceding and requests they will furnish the information called for with as little delay as possible.	

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1555	No. *Nil*, dated 14th July 1856 From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pashto Dictionary.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1484, dated the 10th July 1856, states that Rs. 42 will be the probable price of his Pashto Dictionary.	Progs. for the week ending 26th July 1856— Nos. 14-15.
	No. 1562, dated 22nd July 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan.	Ditto	In reply informs Lieutenant Raverty that 10 copies of his Pashtu Dictionary will be taken for the use of this office, provided that the cost does not exceed Rs. 42 per copy.	
1556	No. 289, dated 10th July 1856 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Building for the Mission School at Kangra.	Forwards a copy of correspondence received from the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, soliciting a grant of Rs. 500 towards the erection of a building for the Mission School at Kangra, and recommends the same for sanction.	Nos. 28—30.
	No. 1570, dated 23rd July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply conveys sanction; but desires that care may be taken that too large a portion of the funds of the Educational Department be not allotted to a particular part of the Punjab.	
1557	No. 2237, dated 10th July 1856 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Posting of an Assistant Commissioner at Attock.	Referring to previous correspondence, forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of Jhelum, with enclosures, showing the necessity for the location of an Assistant at Attock, and solicits a re-consideration of the subject.	Nos. 52—4.
	No. 525—1583, dated 26th July 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation for the favourable consideration of the Supreme Government with reference to letter No. 549, dated the 17th September 1856.	
1558	No. 3804, dated 11th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Franking of official letters by Head Clerks.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1074, dated the 14th May 1856, requesting authority for the Head Clerks of the offices of the Chief Judicial and Financial Commissioners to frank letters; the Secretary intimates that a notification has been issued on the subject in the Home Department under date; the 4th July 1856, No. 1054, and published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th *idem*, page 1110. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 65.

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1559	No. 3797, dated 11th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Style of address of Roman Catholic Bishops.	Forwards, for information and guidance, a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Government in the Home Department, to the Secretary to the Government at Madras, prescribing the style in which Roman Catholic Bishops in the country should be addressed.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd August 1856— Nos. 1—3.
	Circular No. 36—1585, dated 28th July 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for their information and guidance.	
1560	No. 194, dated 24th July 1856 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of salaries, etc.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1260, dated the 7th June 1856, submits the following returns prepared in accordance with the form prescribed by the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments— (1) Statement of Judicial Commissioner's office. (2) Statement of Inspector of Prisons. (3) Statement of Cantonment Joint Magistrates.	Nos. 15—22.
	No. 32, dated 17th June 1856 .. From—The Superintendent, Pangee Timber Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1263, dated the 7th June 1856, forwards the returns for his Department, required by the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	
	No. 2220, dated 15th July 1856 From—The Officiating Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1272, dated the 7th July 1856, submits returns furnished by the Captains of Police in the Punjab containing the information required by the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments.	
	No. 1594, dated 30th July 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 197, dated the 29th May 1856, forwards returns for the following offices— The Chief Commissioner, The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Commissioners, Deputy Commissioners and Assistant Commissioners, The Judicial Commissioner, The Inspector of Prisons, Cantonment Joint Magistrates, Superintendent, Abkari, The Superintendent, Pangee Timber Agency, Assistant to the Superintendent, Pangee Timber Agency, The Captains of Police, and states that the returns for the remaining offices will be forwarded on receipt.	

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1561	No. 291, dated 11th July 1856 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Closure of Government schools in localities where other efficient schools exist.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1283, dated the 10th June 1856, forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, on the subject of the withdrawal of Government schools from localities where other efficient schools exist. Observes that the Government schools have been withdrawn from Jullundur and Kangra, but Mr. Arnold strongly urges the continuance of those at Amritsar and Rawalpindi.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd August 1856— Nos. 24—7.
	No. 1596, dated 30th July 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Retention of schools at Amritsar and Rawalpindi.	In reply, intimates that the Chief Commissioner concurs in Mr. Arnold's opinion as to the propriety of maintaining the Government schools at Amritsar and Rawalpindi and the measure has been accordingly recommended for the sanction of the Government of India, but adds that the Chief Commissioner understands from the Commissioner of Jhelum that no Mission school exists at Rawalpindi.	
	No. 539—1597, dated 30th July 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply to Government letter No. 2042, dated the 28th May 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding letter from the Financial Commissioner with its enclosures, for the information of Government, and solicits sanction to the continuance of the Government schools at Amritsar and Rawalpindi.	
1562	No. 67, dated 22nd July 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suspension of Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, on charges of corruption.	Reports that he has deemed it necessary to suspend Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan, from the performance of his duties, consequent on certain charges of corruption made against that officer, and states that the proceedings will be duly submitted on the receipt of Lieutenant Raverty's final reply.	Nos. 39—44.
	No. 540—1604, dated 30th July 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Explains reasons under which the Chief Commissioner has authorized the suspension from his official functions of Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan, and adds that on receipt of the proceedings no time will be lost in submitting the case for the orders of the Supreme Government.	
	No. 1605, dated 30th July 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	In reply to Commissioner's letter No. 67, authorizes the suspension of Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	
	No. 1606, dated 30th July 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Intimates certain transfers consequent on Mr. Raverty's suspension.	
	Nos. 1607-8, dated 30th July 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for their information.	

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1563	No. 102, dated 9th July 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Restoration of Badshahi Mosque to the Muhammadan public.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, enclosing an address in original, signed by 70 Mussulman Noblemen and gentry, residents of Lahore, expressing their thanks to Government for the restoration to them of the Badshahi Mosque.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd August 1856— Nos. 61—3.
	No. 545—1619, dated 1st August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a translation of the address received with the preceding for the information of Government.	
1564	No. 333, dated 30th July 1856 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of salaries, etc.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1595, dated the 30th June 1856; submits the statement of Revenue Officers in the Punjab required by the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments.	Nos. 64-5.
	No. 1620, dated 1st August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the statement received with the preceding in continuation of letter No. 1594, dated the 30th July 1856.	
1565	No. 1357, dated 26th July 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed railway from Multan to Amritsar *via* Lahore.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1392, dated the 28th June 1856, forwards explanation in regard to the difference existing between the Export and Import Returns of Amritsar and Lahore. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 71.
1566	No. 123, dated 24th July 1856 .. From — The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conservancy of hill forests.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1470, dated the 7th July 1856, submits, with his remarks, for the approval of the Chief Commissioner revised rules proposed for the conservancy of timber in the mountainous portion of the Rawalpindi District.	Progs. for the week ending 9th August 1856— Nos. 4—7.
	No. 1623, dated 4th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys approval; and directs that immediate steps may be taken for sowing suitable localities with the seed of the most useful timber. The surplus funds which may arise from this source should be devoted to opening District roads in the Hills.	
	No. 1624, dated 4th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	

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1567	No. 1633, dated 5th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Inconvenience experienced by litigants at Kasauli and Ambala Cantonment. Accommodation for litigants at Kasauli to be provided.	Forwards a copy of a petition presented by certain zamindars of the Ambala District, describing the inconvenience suffered by those who resort to the Commissioner's Court at Kasauli and at the Cantonment of Ambala for want of accommodation, etc. Suggests that it would be preferable to build or purchase a house for the Commissioner's office near the city of Ambala to purchasing one in the Cantonment. Requests an expression of Commissioner's opinion on this subject, and desires also to be informed what accommodation exists for natives who resort to the Commissioner's Court at Kasauli. Adds that if none exists, a serai ought to be constructed for his purpose, and funds might be supplied partly by Government, partly from Local funds and also by private subscription.	Progs. for the week ending 9th August 1856— No. 17.
1568	No. 9, dated 24th July 1856 .. From—The Inspector of Dispensaries, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Epidemic of small-pox in Lahore and Amritsar.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1570, dated the 10th June 1856, submits his report on the late epidemic of small-pox in the cities of Lahore and Amritsar.	Nos. 20—22.
	Circular No. 37-1635, dated 6th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto Importance of vaccination.	Enjoins upon them and their District Officers most particular attention to the spread and efficiency of vaccination during the next and all future seasons. Communicates remarks and instructions on the subject and states that the Chief Commissioner earnestly relies on their efforts for the attainment of the measures desired.	
	No. 1636, dated 6th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Dispensaries, Punjab.	Inferiority of vaccine lymph.	Forwards a copy of the preceding circular for his information. Remarks on the defective quality of the virus used in vaccination. The causes of this inferiority are not fully apparent and should be explained. Invites any suggestions that he may be able to offer for securing a supply of good virus.	
1569	No. 558—1637, dated 6th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Goods sent to Paris Exhibition by certain merchants in the Punjab.	Forwards, for consideration, the case of certain merchants in the Punjab who forwarded articles to the Paris Exhibition in accordance with the notification of Government of 4th May 1854. States that nothing has been heard in regard to the disposal of the goods and begs to be favoured with the early instructions of Government on the subject for the satisfaction of the parties concerned, some of whom have addressed the Chief Commissioner in the matter.	No. 23.

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1570	No. *Nil*, dated 31st July 1856 .. From—H. Cope, Esquire. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Detention of jewels intended for the Paris Exhibition.	Requests to be furnished with copies of certain letters which appeared in the *Lahore Chronicle* of the 30th July 1856, in the case of Harjas Rai's jewels, and enquires whether the publication of these papers was authorized by the Chief Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 9th August 1856— Nos. 26-7.
	No. 1639, dated 8th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. Cope, Esquire.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Cope that he can obtain copies of the documents he requires by having them transcribed at his own cost, and states that the papers alluded to were applied for to be placed on the Editor's table, and were accordingly so placed, and that no further instructions were given on the subject.	
1571	No. 372, dated 28th July 1856 .. From—The Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Forage for mounted troops.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Quartermaster-General of the Army, to the address of the Officer Commanding the Peshawar Division, directing the institution of an enquiry on the subject of forage for the Regular mounted troops, and solicits the assistance of the Chief Commissioner in view to obtaining the information desired.	Nos. 32—5.
	No. 1642, dated 8th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Requests he will instruct the Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar to afford all the assistance in his power to the military authorities in the collection of the information desired by them.	
	No. 1643, dated 8th August 1856.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Quartermaster-General, Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Communicates the instructions issued to the Commissioner of Peshawar.	
1572	No. 87, dated 4th June 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed appointment of an Additional Commissioner for the Lahore and Cis-Indus Divisions.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1140, dated the 23rd May 1856, forwards statements showing the work performed in his English and Persian offices during the years 1854, 1855 and the 1st quarter of 1856.	Nos. 36—41.
	No. 162, dated 20th June 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1141, dated the 23rd April 1856, submits a statement containing the information desired in regard to the work of his office.	
	No. 562—1644, dated 8th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Solicits reconsideration by Government of the proposal made by the Chief Commissioner in 1845, for the appointment of an Additional Commissioner to relieve the over-burdened Commissionerships of Lahore and the Cis-Sutlej States, and details the reasons which have induced the Chief Commissioner to again draw attention to the subject.	

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1573	No. 98, dated 29th July 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of salaries, etc.	Forwards copies of District returns connected with the revision of civil salaries, etc., and states that the originals have been forwarded direct to the Special Commissioner. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 9th August 1856— Nos. 51—4.
1574	No. 1745, dated 24th July 1856 From—The Quartermaster-General of the Army. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of vegetables for troops.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1485, dated the 10th July 1856, on the subject of the cultivation of vegetables in the Punjab. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 56.
1575	No. 11, dated 28th July 1856 .. From—The Inspector of Dispensaries, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New Dispensary at Simla.	Adverting to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1479, dated the 10th July 1856, forwards a copy of a letter from the Superintendent of Hill States, intimating concurrence in the proposals made by him for defraying the cost of erecting a new dispensary at Simla amounting to Rs. 2,000 and solicits sanction thereto.	Progs. for the week ending 16th August 1856— Nos. 16-17.
	No. 1663, dated 11th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Dispensaries, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to Rs. 1,000 being drawn, as proposed, from the Revenue Fund of the Simla Dispensary, and also authorizes the grant of a further sum of Rs. 500 in addition to the similar amount allowed for repairs at the end of 1854, which is stated not to have been expended, making a total of Rs. 2,000 available for rebuilding the Hospital in question. But desires that no expenditure may be incurred without a well considered plan for the building being prepared by the Superintendent of Hill States and approved by the Chief Commissioner.	
1576	No. 3705, dated 4th July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Missing jewels and rugs despatched from Lahore to the Paris Exhibition.	In continuation of letter No. 3572, dated the 30th June 1856, forwards, for information and guidance, extract from the Proceedings of Government in the Home Department respecting the missing jewels and rugs said to have been despatched from Lahore for the Paris Exhibition.	Nos. 23—5.
	No. 1666, dated 11th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Referring to letter No. 1502, dated the 14th July 1856, and previous correspondence; forwards the extract received with the preceding for his information and guidance, and requests that he will report the result of his enquiries relative to the rugs in question, for submission to Government.	

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1577	No. 1679, dated 12th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Dispensaries, Punjab.	Epidemic of small-pox in Lahore and Amritsar.	Acknowledges receipt of his report on the recent epidemic of small-pox in the cities of Lahore and Amritsar and communicates remarks thereon. It seems clear that the future chances of such epidemics may be in a great degree obviated by the extension of vaccination and the Chief Commissioner relies on the exertions of the Medical officers and Civil Authorities for the successful attainment of so desirable an object.	Progs. for the week ending 16th August 1856— Nos. 45-6.
	No. 1680, dated 12th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards copies of correspondence, for his information. Requests that he will enjoin upon the Civil Authorities and Medical Officers at Lahore and Amritsar that earnest attention should be given during ensuing season to the extension of vaccination, and states that the Chief Commissioner will expect the adoption of active and zealous measures by the officers concerned for the attainment of this end.	
1578	No. 3936, dated 18th July 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Audit and Account branch offices from Agra to Lahore.	Adverting to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 412, dated the 9th June 1856, forwards, for information and guidance, a copy of a Government Resolution relative to the transfer of the branch offices of Audit and Account connected with the Punjab from Agra to Lahore.	Nos. 47—9.
	No. 568—1681, dated 12th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, acknowledges receipt of the preceding and states that the instructions therein contained have been duly noted. Begs that, for reasons detailed, the transfer of the offices from Agra to Lahore may be permitted to take place at a somewhat earlier period than the 1st May 1857.	
1579	No. 4063, dated 31st July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for leave to Uncovenanted servants.	Forwards, for information and guidance, extract paragraphs 43-4 from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors No. 38, dated the 13th May 1856, containing their decision on the question whether Unconvenanted servants should be allowed to count as service qualifying for pension the period of authorized absence.	Nos. 50—54.
	Circular No. 38-1682, dated 12th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners, Chief Engineer, and Director of Canals.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for their information and guidance.	

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1579—*concld.*	Nos. 1683-84, dated 12th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner and Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules for leave to Uncovenanted servants.	Forwards copies of the preceding.	Progs. for the week ending 16th August 1856— Nos. 50—54.
1580	No. 4061, dated 31st July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Uncovenanted servants. Gratuities and pensions.	In continuation of letter No. 3979, dated the 9th November 1855, forwards, for information and guidance, extract from a despatch from the Court of Directors, ruling that the service of Uncovenanted Officers who have been discharged with gratuity cannot be counted for pension should they obtain re-employment under Government after a short interval.	Nos. 64—5.
	No. 39-1689, dated 12th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners, Chief Engineer, and Director of Canals.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for their information.	
	Nos. 1690-91, dated 12th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for their information.	
1581	Circular No. 40—1704, dated 15th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Punctual submission of Annual Returns and Reports.	Adverting to Circular No. 33, dated the 17th September 1855, conveys the Chief Commissioner's thanks to themselves and the officers subordinate to them for the commendable promptitude evinced in the submission of Annual Reports and Returns for the past year, and expresses a hope that the present system may be maintained and that every year the Judicial reports may be rendered by end of January and the fiscal reports by the end of May.	Nos. 81—3.
	Nos. 1705-6, dated 15th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner and the Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding.	
1582	No. 1718-A.; dated 15th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioners of Dera Ismail Khan, Dera Ghazi Khan, Jhelum, Amritsar, Lahore, Sialkot, Gurdaspur, Gujranwala, Shahpur, Multan, Rawalpindi, Kohat, Ludhiana, Ferozepore, Jullundur, Khangarh, Jhang, Gugera, Peshawar.	Number of boats available for carriage of stores.	Calls for the early submission of certain information required in accordance with a form enclosed, of the number of boats available in their respective Districts for the carriage of stores or produce, and desires that the returns may be sent direct to the address of the Chief Commissioner at Murree.	No. 97.

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1583	No. 99, dated 31st July 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron Mines at Dalhousie.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1553, dated the 19th July 1856, forwards his opinion relative to the working of the Iron Mines at Dalhousie and intimates his intention of visiting the mines in October next.	Progs. for the week ending 16th August 1856— Nos. 111—13.
	No. 1726, dated 16th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Referring to letter No. 2716, dated the 11th July 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding for his information and states that the Chief Commissioner is averse to any steps being taken towards the working of the mines until completion of the Dalhousie Road.	
	No. 1727, dated 16th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Requests that any further information which he may be able to obtain on his visit to the mines may be submitted by an early date.	
1584	No. 110, dated 25th July 1856 .. From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Persons treated at the branch dispensary in the city of Sialkot.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 913, dated the 23rd April 1856, forwards a statement showing the number of persons treated at the branch dispensary in the city at Sialkot from 1st February to 31st May 1856. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 117.
1585	No. 8348, dated 30th July 1856 From—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Substitution of Indian products for articles indented for from England.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 989, dated the 2nd May 1856, enquiring whether Indian products might not be substituted for articles indended for from England, intimates his preference for the latter course and encloses, for information, a copy of a statement containing detailed information on the subject prepared for transmission direct to the President of the Committee appointed under G. O. G. G., dated the 21st December 1855. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 119-20.
1586	No. 1645, dated 4th August 1856 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Beer Iron Mines.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 804, dated the 12th April 1856, and previous correspondence, forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, copy of a letter from Mr. Arratoon, declining to lease the Beer Iron Mines. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 122.
1587	No. 136, dated 9th August 1856.. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of Act XXIV of 1850 at Murree.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1269, dated the 9th June 1856, regarding the introduction of Act XXIV of 1850 at Murree, reports that the majority of householders are averse to the measure.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd August 1856— Nos. 5—7.

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1587—*concld.*	No. 1731, dated 18th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Introduction of Act XXIV of 1850 at Murree.	In reply, requests that he will inform the gentlemen who proposed the introduction of the Act in question that the Chief Commissioner is unable to recommend the measure for sanction of the Supreme Government.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd August 1856— Nos. 5—7.
1588	No. 412, dated 30th July 1856 .. From—The Commissioner for Revision of Civil Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of salaries on revenue and population of the Khangarh District.	Makes enquiries relative to the correctness of the revenue and population of the Khangarh District as described in the Returns furnished by the Deputy Commissioner.	Nos. 15-16.
	No. 1735, dated 18th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Ditto	In reply; furnishes the explanation called for and describes the reason of the high averages prevailing in the Khangarh District.	
1589	No. 4175, dated 8th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Missing rugs despatched from Lahore for the Paris Exhibition.	In continuation of letter No. 3705, dated the 4th July 1856, asks for any information that may have been obtained regarding the rugs said to have been despatched from Lahore for the Paris Exhibition.	Nos. 18-19.
	No. 1737, dated 19th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The FinancialCommissoner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and draws special attention to the early submission of the information required.	
1590	No. 214, dated 13th August 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Instructions regarding vaccination. Inferior quality of lymph.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1635, dated the 6th August 1856, on the subject of vaccination intimates that the instructions therein conveyed will be duly observed. Remarks on the inferior quality of virus supplied and suggests the necessity of arrangements being made for securing a better supply.	Nos. 71-2.
	No. 1763, dated 23rd August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Dispensaries, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information, and invites early suggestions on the subject.	
1591	No. 4, dated 7th August 1856 .. From—The Superintendent, Pangee Timber Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pangee Timber Agency.	Forwards his report on the Pangee Timber Agency for the month of July 1856. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 85.
1592	No. 4194, dated 8th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Culture and Commerce of Cotton in India.	Forwards; for distribution; 12 copies of Dr. Royle's work on the "Culture and Commerce of Cotton in India" received from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 96.

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1593	No. 409, dated 29th July 1856 .. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of salaries of Tahsildars.	Asks for the Chief Commissioner's opinion regarding revision of the salaries of Tahsildars employed in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 30th August 1856— Nos. 7-8.
	No. 1770, dated 25th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Ditto Increase proposed for Peshkars.	In reply, communicates the Chief Commissioner's views on the subject in favour of an increase to the pay of the Tahsildars employed in the Punjab, together with his proposal for enhancing the salaries of the Deputies or Peshkars placed under their orders, and states that nothing could be devised more calculated to conduce to the interests of the people of their Territories than the improvement of the position of the class of officers named.	
1594	No. 961, dated 20th August 1856 From—The Officiating Civil Auditor. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of Punjab branch of the Audit office from Agra to Lahore.	Referring to orders of the Governor-General in Council, sanctioning separation of the Punjab branch of the Audit Office and its removal to Lahore, enquires probable date on which the arrangement will take effect.	Nos. 17-18.
	No. 1776, dated 26th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Civil Auditor.	Ditto	In reply, states that the arrangement will take place either in April or December next, but that a reference on the point is now pending before the Supreme Government. On the receipt of a reply, a further communication will be made to him.	
1595	No. 204, dated 26th August 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conservancy of forests in the Simla District.	Forwards a copy of a Report received from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, on the conservancy of forests in that District	Nos. 22-3.
	No. 1779, dated 27th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Approves, with modifications, of the rules submitted with the preceding and enquires whether no means can be devised whereby the expenditure on account of establishments for the protection of the forests could be met by the income thereof, as in other Districts where such forests exist.	
1596	No. *Nil*, dated 26th June 1856.. From—Peer Buksh, Shawl Merchant, Paris. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of wool used in Amritsar shawls.	Solicits the Chief Commissioner's consideration of the necessity for authoritatively prohibiting the introduction of adulterated wool into the manufacture of Amritsar shawls, and states that otherwise the practice will eventually ruin the trade in this important article.	Nos. 33—5.

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1596—*concld.*	No. 1785, dated 28th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar.	Cultivation of wool used in Amritsar shawls.	Adverting to previous correspondence on the subject of the introduction of Kirman wool into the Punjab, forwards a copy of the preceding for his information, with a request that he will convene an assembly of the principal Shawl Merchants and explain to them the contents of Peer Buksh's communication. It will rest with the merchants themselves to frame bye-laws for the sake of guarding the interests of the trade, but it behoves this administration to prominently invite their attention to the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 30th August 1856— Nos. 33—5.
	No. 1786, dated 28th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Peer Buksh, Shawl Merchant, Paris.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information, and intimates that the introduction of Kirman wool into the Punjab is not countenanced by this administration.	
1597	No. 1788, dated 29th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Kulu Iron Mines	Adverting to previous correspondences asks for the early submission of his official report on the result of the enquiries of the Committee lately assembled for the purpose of examining the Iron Mines at Kulu.	No. 39.
1598	No. 509, dated 31st July 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Medals awarded for Paris Exhibition.	Forwards five medals awarded by the Juries of the Paris Exhibition to the parties named below on account of contributions made by them to the above named exhibition— Ameeroodeen at Srinagar, Kashmir, one silver medal, Wallee Jan at Srinagar, Kashmir, one silver medal, Manufacturer of Papier-mâche work at Lahore, one silver medal. Sherendaz Khan at Ludhiana, one bronze medal, Allah Dad at Ludhiana; one bronze medal.	Nos. 44—6.
	No. 1791, dated 30th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana.	Ditto	Forwards two bronze medals received with the preceding letter for delivery to the parties named.	
	No. 1792, dated 30th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the preceding and begs to be informed of the name of the manufacturer of Papier-mâche work at Lahore to whom the silver medal is to be given.	

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1599	No. 203, dated 21st August 1856 From—The Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cholera in the citadel of Lahore.	Reports that in consequence of cholera having broken out in the citadel, it has been considered necessary to remove the European troops located there, as a temporary arrangement and hopes that the measure will meet with the Chief Commissioner's approval.	Progs. for the week ending 30th August 1856— Nos. 47-8.
	No. 1793, dated 30th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major-General Gowan, C. B., Commanding, Lahore Division.	Ditto	Conveys the Chief Commissioner's approval of the measure reported.	
1600	No. *Nil*, dated 12th August 1856. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conservancy of forests in the Kangra District.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's No. 1471, dated the 7th July 1856, furnishes a report on the conservancy of forests in the Kangra District.	Nos. 51-2.
	No. 1795, dated 30th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the preceding and notices the falling off in the income of the past official year, reported to have been caused by the necessity of suspending cuttings in several forests. Adds that all expenses should be defrayed from the conservancy proceeds, and desires that a debit and credit account be furnished yearly. Communicates remarks and instructions in detail on several points requiring notice.	
1601	No. 4216, dated 8th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition silver medal awarded to Maharaja Gulab Singh.	Forwards, for delivery to Maharaja Gulab Singh, a silver medal which has been awarded to His Highness by the Juries of the Paris Exhibition for his contribution to the Exhibition. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 53.
1602	No. 443, dated 8th August 1856.. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of salaries, etc., of military officers employed in the Civil Department.	Asks for a list of military officers employed in the Civil Department in the Punjab and enquires what proportion of appointments has been allotted to the Civil and Military branches of the service respectively. Begs to be favoured with copies of any correspondence that may be in existence on the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 6th September 1856— Nos. 3—5.
	No. 1798, dated 1st September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Ditto	In reply, forwards the list required. Intimates that no proportion has been fixed for appointments to be held by military and civil officers. It varies from time to time, and at present there are 73 military officers to 35 Civil Servants employed in the Punjab.	

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1603	No. 445, dated 9th August 1856.. From—The Commissioner for Revision of Civil Salaries etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of salaries of Covenanted and Commissioned officers in the Civil services of the North-Western Provinces and Punjab. Limitation of appeals.	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's perusal and for such remarks as he may desire to offer, his draft proposals for the adjustment of salaries of covenanted and commissioned officers in the Civil Services of the North-Western Provinces and Punjab, and observes that relief might be afforded to Commissioners by, in some measures, limiting the existing very extended license of appeal in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 6th September 1856— Nos. 11—18.
	No. 1802, dated 2nd September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Ditto Pay of Commissioners. Creation of an Additional Commissionership. Proposed increase in pay of Deputy Commissioner. Assistant Commissioner's salaries. Limitation of appeals.	In reply, concurs in all the arguments urged by him in favour of the gradation system. Describes the advantages which such a measure would secure and intimates a preference for local rather than personal grades. States that the work of the Punjab Commissioners is fully equal to that performed by the same class of officers in the North-Western Provinces and suggests, in regard to salary, that they should not receive less than their present allowances under any circumstances, but rather that they should be raised to whatever scale may be allowed to the Bengal and North-Western Provinces Commissioners. Urges the necessity for creating a 3rd Division by the reduction of the size of the two overgrown Divisions of the Cis-Sutlej States and Lahore. Communicates recommendation for favour of enhancing the salaries of Deputy Commissioners which might be properly equalised with those of Magistrates and Collectors in the North-Western Provinces. Suggests that Deputy Commissioners when employed on settlement duty, in addition to District duties, should receive an extra allowance on that account, and that in all large districts an Assistant should be stationed in the interior. Agrees in the propriety of raising the salaries of Assistant Commissioners of the first and second classes to the scale proposed by him. Also considers that it would be desirable to fix the salaries of Assistants at Rs. 400 on first joining with a prospect of increase to Rs. 500 after passing the examination. Observes in conclusion, that the Chief Commissioner would not desire, during the present stage of the Administration in the Punjab, to alter existing orders regarding appeals or to fetter the discretion of the Commissioner in this respect.	

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1604	No. 4248, dated 8th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mineral resources of the Kerana Range.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 482, dated the 9th July 1856, and calls for the report therein promised on the mineral resources of the Kerana range in the Shahpur District, together with the result of Monsieur Marcadieu's observations.	Progs. for the week ending 6th September 1856—Nos. 33-4.
	No. 623—1813, dated 2nd September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply; forwards a copy of Monsieur Marcadieu's report on the ferruginous resources of the Kerana Range, and suggests the sinking of a shaft when an officer becomes available for this duty.	
1605	No. 970, dated 20th August 1856 From—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scale of appointments in the Punjab Commission.	Referring to letter No. 1005, dated the 3rd May 1856, regarding the official staff of the Punjab, forwards with his remarks, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, copy of a comparative statement prepared for and transmitted to the Government of India, in compliance with instructions received from the Foreign Department on the subject in question.	Nos. 44—6.
	No. 628—1819; dated 2nd September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 419, dated the 15th July 1856, forwards a copy of the statement received with the preceding, for the information of Government. It appears to the Chief Commissioner to exactly corroborate the points urged in the letter above quoted.	
1606	No. 211, dated 11th August 1856 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Accommodation for litigants at Kasauli and Ambala.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1633, dated the 5th August 1856, states that ample accommodation exists at Kasauli for those who resort to the Commissioner's Court. Part of a Serai has already been erected and the remainder will be completed immediately after the rains. Urges reasons for fixing the site of the Commissioner's Katchary at Ambala within the limits of Cantonments, and intimates the arrangements he has entered into for the purchase of the estate of the late Sir D. Hill.	Nos. 56-7.

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1606—*concld.*	No. 1828, dated 3rd September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Accommodation for litigants at Kasauli and Ambala. Objections to location of Commissioner's Court in Ambala Cantonments.	In reply, requests that the completion of the Kasauli Serai may be expedited. Intimates the objections which, in the Chief Commissioner's opinion, exist to fixing the site of the Commissioner's Court at Ambala within the limits of Cantonments. It must be for the Public interest that the Commissioner during his short stay at Ambala should be in the immediate vicinity of the Jail, the Public offices and the city. Enquires the exact distance of Sir D. Hill's house from the Civil Lines. It seems clear that no legal obligation exists as yet for the purchase of this estate, and no further steps should be taken in the matter for the present.	Progs. for the week ending 6th September 1856—Nos. 56-7.
1607	No. 70, dated 6th August 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Submits, with his remarks, proceedings (in orginal) of a Court of Enquiry held to investigate the charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Nos. 79—83.
	No. *Nil*, dated 9th August 1856 .. From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Appeals against certain proceedings of the Court of Enquiry assembled to investigate accusations of corruption brought against him.	
	No. 640—1840, dated 6th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards the preceding for the consideration of Government and communicates the Chief Commissioner's remarks on each case. Recommends that Lieutenant Raverty be remanded to his Regiment or else that a commission composed of military officers of considerable Civil experience be appointed to investigate these cases and any other case against Lieutenant Raverty that might be brought before them.	
1608	No. 223; dated 18th August 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a Circular addressed by him to the Deputy Commissioners in his Division with the view of facilitating the progress and efficiency of vaccination. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 100.
1609	No. 1844-A.; dated 9th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—R. Temple, Esq.	Acknowledgement of services rendered by Mr. Temple.	Adverting to his contemplated departure on leave, conveys to Mr. Temple, the Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments for the valuable services rendered by him to the State, since his first appointment to the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 13th September 1856—No. 1-A.

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1610	No. 231, dated 2nd September 1856 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Epidemic of cholera at Lahore.	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's perusal, original correspondence regarding the measures adopted for checking the epidemic of cholera at Lahore, and draws attention to the praiseworthy exertions of Major Clarke, Mr. Egerton and Dr. Smith.	Progs., for the week ending 13th September 1856—Nos. 22—4.
	No. 1859, dated 11th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, returns the original papers received with the preceding. Commends the exertions of the officers named by the Judicial Commissioner, and approves of the release during the continuance of the epidemic of prisoners (if their general behaviour has been good) whose terms are within two months of expiry, and even within three months, provided that the prisoners have been one year or more in jail.	
	No. 1860, dated 11th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	
1611	No. 216, dated 20th August 1856 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of thanas and tahsils in Ludhiana and Ferozepore.	Forwards, for the information and orders of the Chief Commissioner proposals regarding certain thana and tahsil arrangements on the border of the Ludhiana and Ferozepore Districts, involving a net increase in the cost of establishments to the extent of Rs. 245 per mensem, and solicits early instructions on the subject.	Nos. 41—3.
	No. 1869, dated 11th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that the matter cannot be disposed of without reference to the Judicial and Financial Commissioners, but, in the meantime, states that the Chief Commissioner is averse to any increase to the Ludhiana and Ferozerpore establishments which are already considerable. Concurs generally in Commissioner's views regarding the consolidation of these scattered Ilaqas and Estates under one jurisdiction, to be attached to the Ludhiana rather than to the Ferozepore District but trusts that Commissioner will be able to devise some plan whereby this may be effected without any material addition to the existing expenditure. Conveys suggestions on the subject, and adds that the Chief Commissioner has no objection to all the transfers proposed by him from the Ferozepore District to that of Ludhiana, but desires that such transfers should not be carried into effect until plan under consideration has been matured and sanctioned.	

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1612	No. 652—1870, dated 11th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Punjab Administration Report for 1855.	Forwards a revised statement of disbursements to be substituted for the return submitted with the Punjab Administration Report for the past official year, and begs that certain alterations may also be made in paragraph 128 of the Report.	Progs. for the week ending 13th September 1856—No. 44.
1613	No. 194, dated 8th August 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sanitarium in the Khuttuk Hills.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1491, dated the 11th July 1856, on the subject of the proposed temporary sanitarium in the Khuttuck Hills, and requests that the question of the commencement of the wall, which was sanctioned as an enclosure for the cantonment of Peshawar, may be considered at an early date.	Nos. 45—7.
	No. 1871; dated 12th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information, and requests that early arrangements may be made with a view to the completion of the work in question.	
	No. 1872, dated 12th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
1614	No. 1875, dated 12th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Site for a market garden at Dalhousie.	In reply to Commissioner's letter No. 49, dated the 11th April 1856, intimates that the Chief Commissioner approves of a piece of ground at Dalhousie having been made over to Mr. E. Healey to cultivate as a market garden, on the conditions set forth in the agreement.	No. 52.
1615	No. 4484, dated 27th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reports on the Administration of the Punjab for 1854-55 and 1855-56.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 481, dated the 8th July 1856, submitting the General Report on the Administration of Punjab for the years 1854-55, and 1855-56, conveys the remarks of the Governor-General in Council respecting the results shown therein, and expresses acknowledgments of the Government of India to the Chief Commissioner and the officers named by him.	Nos. 53-4.
	No. 1876, dated 12th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officers named in the last Punjab Report.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for their information, with an intimation that printed copies of the Report will be sent to them hereafter.	

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1616	No. 202, dated 28th July 1856 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cattle sales at annual fairs held at Eminabad and Dhaunkal.	Submits for the Chief Commissioner's perusal, correspondence reporting the result of cattle sales at the annual fairs held at Eminabad and Dhaunkal in the Gujranwala District.	Progs. for the week ending 13th September 1856— Nos. 57—61.
	No. 1878, dated 13th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns the original correspondence received with the preceding and observes that the result as yet has proved but meagre. The Chief Commissioner will hope for better things on future occasions, and feels sure that the local authorities at Gujranwala will appreciate the importance of the subject in a district affliced with frequent Murrains. Extracts from the Deputy Commissioner of Gujranwala's letter No. 335, dated the 31st July 1856, will be sent to the Deputy Commissioners of Dera Ismail Khan and Amritsar, respectively, with a request that they will do all in their power to further the object in view.	
	No. 1879, dated 13th September 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
	Nos. 1880-81, dated 13th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar, and Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan.	Ditto.	Forwards for their information, extract from the Deputy Commissioner of Gujranwala's letter above quoted, regarding the establishment of cattle fairs at Eminabad and Dhaunkal, and, in reference to Mr. Morris' remarks, requests they will have the goodness to do all in their power to further the object in view.	
1617	No. 1883, dated 13th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Chief Engineer	Commissioner's Kutchery at Ambala.	Forwards extracts from correspondence with the Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, and requests Chief Engineer will cause a report and plan to be furnished of the house proposed to be purchased for the Commissioner's Kutchery at Ambala.	
1618	No. 117, dated 24th August 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Damage done to the Town and Civil Station of Leiah by floods in the Indus.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Leiah, reporting damage done to the Town and Civil Station of Leiah by the recent inundation of the Indus, and states that a further report of the extent of loss of life and property will be furnished so soon as it becomes possible to ascertain the same with any accuracy.	Nos. 69—73.

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1618—*concld.*	No. 1887, dated 13th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Damage done to the Town and Civil Station of Leiah by floods in the Indus.	In reply, requests that a report may be furnished as soon as practicable regarding the condition of the Public buildings. If the District Kutchery has been destroyed or so much injured as to require repairs at a large cost it will be preferable to erect a new one (using the old materials) on the high ground near the Thal on the improved standard plan, after consultation with the Financial Commissioner. Should this arrangement become necessary, desires that the Deputy Commissioner may be instructed to prepare an estimate for the new building, but on no larger a scale than will be actually necessary. Intimates that the Chief Commissioner does not consider that the Supreme Government will be prepared to allow any compensation for the loss of private property.	Progs. for the week ending 13th September 1856—Nos. 69—73.
		Compensation for loss of private property.		
	No. 656—1888, dated 13th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto.	Forwards copies of the preceding for the information of Government.	
1619	No. 1986, dated 29th August 1856. From—The Quartermaster-General of the Army. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a vegetable garden at Peshawar.	Forwards correspondence relating to the establishment of a separate garden at Peshawar, for the raising of vegetables for the use of European troops, sanctioned by the Supreme Government in accordance with the views of the Military Authorities and begs that the Chief Commissioner will be good enough to cause the necessary instructions to be issued on the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 20th September 1856—Nos. 9—14.
	No. 1917, dated 15th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.	Ditto	In reply, annexes copy of a letter addressed to the Commissioner of Peshawar, directing him to arrange the necessary details with Brigadier Cotton for the establishment of the garden in question, submits the Chief Commissioner's views in regard to its construction and management and suggests the advisability of entrusting this work to the Commissariat Officer at Peshawar rather than to the Civil Authorities. Proposes, for the consideration of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, that a committee of five officers be appointed, four to be nominated by the Brigadier and one by the Commissioner for the purpose of selecting the land required. The Commissioner, with the Commissariat Officer as the executive, should then draw up rules for the management of the garden, etc.; the expenditure and accounts connected therewith being arranged for by the Commissariat Officer in his Department.	
		Committee of Management proposed.		

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1619—*concld.*	No. 1918, dated 15th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Establishment of a vegetable garden at Peshawar.	Forwards, for his information, copies of the preceding letters and original correspondence regarding the establishment of a garden at Peshawar for the cultivation of vegetables. Requests that no delay may be allowed to occur in laying the matter before the Major General Commanding and the Brigadier, and that, having ascertained their views, he will proceed to carry them out and state any objections which may occur to him.	Progs. for the week ending 20th September 1856—Nos. 9—14.
	No. 1919, dated 5th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major-General Reid, Commanding-Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards, for his information, copies of letters addressed to the Quarter-master-General of the Army and to the Commissioner of Peshawar and states that the Chief Commissioner feels assured that, should his views meet with the approval of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, the Civil Authorities will exert themselves to carry them out with speed and efficiency.	
1620	No. 4516, dated 29th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Continuance of the Government schools at Amritsar and Rawalpindi.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 539, dated the 30th July 1856, conveys sanction to the continuance of the Government schools at Amritsar and Rawalpindi, and calls for an explanation of the reason why the Financial Commissioner objected to the use of the designations "Zillah" and "Parganah" visitors.	Nos. 23-4.
	No. 1924, dated 16th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commssioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Referring to letter No. 1596, dated the 30th June 1856, forwards copy of the foregoing for his information, and requests that he will furnish the explanation required by Government.	
1621	No. 143, dated 6th September 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Damage done to the Town of Jhelum and bridge of boats by floods. Relief given to the poor.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum, reporting damage done to the town and bridge of boats by the innundation of the river on the 1st August 1856, and solicits sanction to an expenditure of Rs. 335-12-2 on affording relief to the poorer sufferers from the flood.	Nos. 34—6.
	No. 1930, dated 17th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto .. Damage caused by floating timber belonging to Kashmir State.	In reply, sanctions the expenditure applied for, and, adverting to the damage sustained by the bridge of boats by the floating down of timber belonging to Maharaja Gulab Singh, conveys instructions for the adoption of stringent arrangements with His Highness' agents with the view of avoiding similar accidents in future.	

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1621—*concld.*	No. 1931, dated 17th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Damage done to the town of Jhelum and bridge of boa ts by floods.	Adverting to the preceding letter from the Commissioner of Jhelum, calls for an early and detailed report of the damage sustained by the bridge of boats at that station, and draws the attention of the Officiating Chief Engineer to the points on which the Chief Commissioner particularly desires information.	Progs. for the week ending 20th September 1856—Nos. 34—6.
1622	No. 4589, dated 2nd September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed appointment of an Additional Commissioner to relieve Lahore and Cis-Sutlej States.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 562, dated the 8th August 1856, soliciting a reconsideration of the proposal made by the Chief Commisioner in 1854, for the appointment of an Additional Commissioner to relieve the Commissionership of the Lahore and the Cis-Sutlej States, communicates the remarks of the Governor-General in Council on the subject, and calls for a report upon the results of the experimental employment of a Personal Assistant to the Commissioner in the Lahore Division.	Nos. 43-4.
	No. 1935, dated 17th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Duties of the Personal Assistant sanctioned for Commissioner, Lahore.	Calls for a report in detail on the nature and quantity of work performed by his Personal Assistant during the time he has been employed in that capacity, for transmission to the Supreme Government, and requests that it may be rendered as full and explicit as possible.	
1623	No. 4585, dated 2nd September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Posting of an Assistant at Attock.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 525, dated the 26th July 1856, resubmitting the proposal for the location of an Assistant at Attock, refers to letter No. 549, dated the 17th September 1855, and states that the objections which existed last year to the measure proposed, continues in at least equal force, and the Governor-General in Council, therefore, declines to sanction the proposal.	Nos. 73-4.
	No. 1955, dated 18th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information, with reference to letter No. 180, dated the 10th July 1856, and observes that as the permanent location of an Assistant Commissioner at Attock has not met with the approval of the Supreme Government, it becomes necessary that one should be deputed to that place for some months during the cold season. Conveys instructions on the subject.	

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1624	No. 242, dated 10th September 1856. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Location of circuit house at Ambala.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1828, dated the 3rd September 1856, forwards a plan of the late Mr. D. Hill's house and still urges the advisability of fixing the circuit house of the Commissioner at Ambala in Cantonments in preference to Civil Lines.	Progs. for the week ending 20th September 1856—Nos. 96—9.
	No. 1970, dated 20th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply enquires wherher D. Hill's house in Cantonment is built of *pucca* or *kacha* bricks. The fact of its being a bungalow seems to the Chief Commissioner to be objectionable, inasmuch as it will be more liable to accident by fire, and more extensive to keep in repair. Adds that the matter being one of much importance, will be referred to Government.	
	No. 684—1971, dated 20th September 1865. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards, for the consideration and orders of the Supreme Government, copies of correspondence with the Commissioner of Cis-Sutlej States, relative to the most eligible site for a Commissioner's Kutchery at Ambala and communicates the Chief Commissioner's recommendation in favour of the erection of a building for the purpose required within the limits of the Civil Lines.	
1625	No. 484, dated 5th September 1856 From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of salaries.	Submits, for the Chief Commissioner's perusal and for such remarks as he may think fit to offer, copy of his observations on the important office of the Financial Commissioner in the Punjab.	Nos. 101-103.
	No. 1973, dated 20th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner entirely concurs in his remarks and considers that the duties of the office of the Financial Commissioner are very onerous and highly important, and that it is by no means overpaid.	
1626	No, 122, dated 1st September 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Destruction of the cantonment and jail, and a portion of the town of Dera Ghazi Khan by heavy floods,	Reports the almost entire destruction of the cantonment and jail, and a portion of the town of Dera Ghazi Khan by the late heavy floods.	Nos. 109—15
	No. 125, dated 5th September 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the preceding letter, reports further particulars of the inundation in the Dera Ghazi Khan District and states that the water has now entirely receded and efforts are being made to restore the fallen houses in the town and neighbourhood.	
	No. 150, dated 26th August 1856 From—Lieutenant Madley, Executive Engineer, Lower Derajat. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports the damage done to the cantonments and city of Dera Ghazi Khan by the inundation of the river and states that every precaution had been taken to avert the mischief but without success.	

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1626—*concld.*	No. 690—1977, dated 20th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Destruction of the cantonment and jail, and a portion of the town of Dera Ghazi Khan by heavy floods.	Submits, for the information of the Governor-General in Council, copies of the preceding letters, reporting damage done to the cantonments and town at Dera Ghazi Khan by the inundation of the river Indus.	Progs. for the week ending 20th September 1856— Nos. 109—15.
1627	No. 164, dated 6th August 1856 .. From—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of Punjab Branch offices of Audit and Account from Agra to Lahore.	Referring to the Government Resolution regarding the separation of Punjab Branch offices of Audit and Account, transmits a copy of a letter addressed by him to the Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, on the subject. Remarks on the effect which the proposed arrangements will have on the establishment and requests to be favoured with the Chief Commissioner's views in connection therewith.	Nos. 116-17.
	No. 692—1978, dated 20th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto.	Forwards a copy of the preceding and communicates Chief Commissioner's remarks. Solicits the orders of the Governor-General in Council, in regard to the nomination of officers for the appointment of Account and Civil Auditor in the Punjab.	
1628	No. 126, dated 9th September 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the Leiah District.	Submits, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, copy of a report on the Leiah District by Captain McNeile, upon making over charge of it to Captain Bristow.	Nos. 118—20.
	No. 1979, dated 20th September 1856— From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	In reply, observes that the report in question is satisfactory and very creditable to Captain McNeile, but Commissioner should have expressed an opinion on the character of that officer's administration as far as it was in his power to do so.	
1629	No. 494, dated 10th September 1856. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of salaries of Covenanted and Commissioned Officers in the Civil Services of the North Western Provinces and Punjab.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1802, dated the 2nd September 1856, communicating the Chief Commissioner's views on his draft proposals for adjustment of salaries of Covenanted and Commissioned Officers in the Civil Services of the North-Western Provinces and Punjab, and begs to be favoured with further explanation in connection with the suggestions therein made relative to the classification of districts with reference to the gradation system of salaries; the amount of additional allowance proposed to be awarded to a Deputy Commissioner performing settlement duties, the particular localities in the interior of districts where the Chief Commissioner proposes locating Assistants, and whether he desires to have additional Assistants for such localities or would supply them from the existing establishments.	Nos. 121-22.

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1629—*concld.*	No. 1980, dated 20th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Revision of salaries of Covenanted and Commissioned Officers in the Civil Services of the North-Western Provinces and Punjab.	In reply, intimates that the only alteration which the Chief Commissioner would propose in his classification of Districts in the substitution in the 1st class of Multan and Thanesar for Hoshiarpur and Jullundur. Recommends an additional salary of Rs. 300 per mensem for such of the Deputy Commissioners as may be entrusted with the revised settlement of their districts. No additional Assistants are required for outstations, the number allowed for the Punjab being sufficient *when kept up to the full authorized scale*, and the only cost entailed on Government, by such an arrangement is for extra ministerial officers (*Umla*) and guards, which is not great. Details the districts where Assistants are so placed and the localities where others would be required, but adds that since the despatch of this office communication to which his present letter is a reply, the Supreme Government have been negatived a suggestion submitted for the permanent location of an Assistant at Attock.	Progs. for the week ending 20th September 1856—Nos. 121-22.
1630	No. 75, dated 18th August 1856.. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab..	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	In continuation of letter No. 70, dated the 6th August 1856, reporting on the charges against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, forwards, with his remarks a file of Proceedings regarding the dismissal of Jan Muhammad, Chaprasi, from the Dera Ghazi Khan Deputy Commissioner's Establishment. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 127.
1631	No. 2528, dated 9th May 1856 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	House built by General Court in the suburbs of Lahore.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 493, dated the 30th July 1855, forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, with copies of correspondence therein adverted to, relative to the application for compensation on account of a house built in the suburbs of Lahore, by General A. Court, formerly of the Sikh Service. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 131—33.
1632	No. 493, dated 10th September 1856. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of salaries or prospects of Extra Assistants in the Punjab.	Requests to be informed whether the Chief Commissioner is satisfied with the conditions and prospects of the Extra Assistants in the Punjab, and communicates his proposals in regard to them.	Progs. for the week ending 27th September 1854—Nos. 1-2.

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1632—*concld.*	No. 1981, dated 22nd September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Revision of salaries or prospects of Extra Assistants in the Punjab.	In reply states that the Chief Commissioner concurs in his proposals. Points out that the class of Extra Assistants in the Punjab has not reached the maximum allowed by Government, that the scales, sanctioned and existing, amount respectively to Rs. 16,700 and Rs. 14,450, and that the actual allowances now enjoyed slightly differ from the Civil Auditor's list.	Progs. for the week ending 27th September 1856—Nos. 1-2.
1633	No. 490, dated 9th September 1856. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report regarding the offices of account.	In continuation of letter No. 445, dated the 9th August 1856, forwards a further portion of his report to Government embracing the offices of account.	Nos. 7—9,
	No. 1984, dated 22nd September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt and intimates that the Chief Commissioner entirely approves of all his proposals.	
1634	No. 4551, dated 29th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Improvement of the position of Civil Officers in the Punjab.	Forwards extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors in the Financial Department, under date the 13th May 1856, in reply to the last representation which was made by Government, on the subject of improving the position of Civil Officers in the Punjab. Explains the several points of a general scheme which the Governor-General in Council has deemed it expedient to adopt with the view above noted, and requests the submission of the Chief Commissioner's opinion as to the best mode of giving effect to it.	Nos. 11—13,
	No. 201—1986, dated 23rd September 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply intimates the Chief Commissioner's concurrence in the plan proposed by the Supreme Government. Describes the advantages that will be derived therefrom and communicates remarks on several points.	
1635	No. 2645, dated 5th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Jewels for the Paris Exhibition detained by Mr. Cope.	With reference to previous correspondence forwards a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, with Dr. Royle's Report on the missing jewels intended for the Paris Exhibition and requests information regarding suit ordered to be instituted against Mr. Cope.	Nos. 14—16.
	No. 1987, dated 23rd September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests that a report may be furnished for the information of the Government as soon as the case against Mr. Cope is decided.	

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1636	No. 143, dated 18th September 1856. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secreatry to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	In continuation of letter No. 129, dated the 10th October 1855, remits Rs. 416-12-9, being the aggregate of further subsriptions towards the "Patriotic" Fund, realized through the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, and encloses a list of the donors.	Progs.; fort he week ending 27th September 1856 — Nos. 29—32.
	No. 1996, dated 24th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the amount remitted with the preceding letter.	
	No. 1997, dated 24th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.	Ditto	Remits the amount received with the preceding.	
1637	No. 2006, dated 19th September 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Saw-mill in the Palum Valley.	Furnishes explanation relative to an item of Rs. 100 charged in his Toshakana account and paid to one Emamudin as a reward for his enterprise in setting up a saw mill in the Palum Valley.	Nos. 37-8.
	No. 2000, dated 25th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply conveys approval.	
1638	No. 4690, dated 12th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles sent by private individuals to the Paris Exhibition.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 558, dated the 6th August 1856, regarding goods forwarded by private parties from the Punjab for the Paris Exhibition, intimates that the Hon'ble the Court of Directors will be requested to take early steps either to dispose of the articles, or to send them back with a view to their being returned to their owners.	Nos. 46 7.
	No. 2006, dated 26th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information, in continuation of letter No. 1987, dated the 23rd September 1856.	
1639	No. 220, dated 17th September 1856. From—The Accountant-North, Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Punjab Branch Offices of Account and Audit from Agra to Lahore.	Asks for an early reply to his letter No. 164, dated the 16th August 1856, regarding the separation of the Punjab Branch Offices of Account and Audit. Also solicits sanction to the entertainment of a temporary establishment for six months, at a cost of Rs. 300 per mensem for the collation and separation of the Punjab records.	Nos. 65-6.

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1639—*concld.*	No. 2018, dated 27th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces.	Transfer of the Punjab Branch Offices of Account and Audit from Agra to Lahore.	In reply, intimates that the information will be supplied as soon as the Supreme Government intimates their decision whether the Accountant and Civil Auditor for the Punjab are to be appointed by the Governor-General or nominated by the Chief Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 27th September 1856—Nos. 65 6.
1640	No. 1108, dated 1st September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a telegraph line from Lahore to Karachi.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 721, dated the 28th September 1855, forwards a copy of a letter addressed to the Officiating Superintendent, Electric Telegraph, relating to the construction of a line of telegraph from Lahore to Karachi, and requests the Chief Commissioner will co-operate with that officer and render him every possible assistance in the prosecution of the work.	Nos. 67—73.
	No. 2019, dated 27th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Electric Telegraphs.	Ditto	Referring to letter No. 1324, dated the 1st September 1856, from Mr. Secretary Beadon, to his address informs the Superintendent that the Chief Commissioner will be happy to afford every assistance in his power in the construction of the line of telegraph from Lahore to Karachi. The Commissioners of the Lahore and Multan Divisions, the Chief Engineer and Director of Canals have been requested to do so likewise. Conveys the Chief Commissioner's opinion as to the relative merits of the various routes by which the line in question may be carried.	
	No. 2020, dated 27th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the preceding letter for the information of the Supreme Government, and states that the Commissioner will be happy to render the Superintendent of Electric Telegraphs all the assistance in his power.	
	Nos. 2021-22, dated 27th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Lahore and Multan Divisions.	Ditto.	Referring to the comtemplated construction of a line of telegraph from Lahore to Karachi, requests that they will afford every assistance in their power to the Superintendent during the progress of the work.	
	No. 2023, dated 27th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Forwards, for his information, copy of a letter addressed to the Superintendent of Electric Telegraphs in India, conveying the Chief Commissioner's views relative to the line of telegraph from Lahore to Karachi, the speedy construction of which has been directed by the Supreme Government.	

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1641	No. 129, dated 13th September 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Indus floods. Loss of property in the Mithankot Ilaqua.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ghazi Khan, reporting that the loss of property in the Mithankot Ilaqua by the late inundation has been very small compared with that sustained in other parts of the Derajat, and promising a further report on the subject. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs.; for the week ending 27th September 1856—Nos. 79-80.
1642	No. 2029, dated 29th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Iron deposits in the Dulla Range. Examination of the Salt Range.	Requests M. Marcadieu will examine certain iron deposits in the Dulla Range above Shahpur which will be pointed out to him by the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, after that he should proceed without delay and examine the Salt Range, placing himself in communication with the Commissioner of Jhelum on the subject. Also desires that he will report to this office the dates of his arrival at and departure from the above places.	Progs. for the week ending 4th October 1856—Nos. 10—12.
	Nos. 2030-31, dated 29th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Trans-Sutlej States and the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for their information.	
1643	No. 615, dated 20th September 1856. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of cattle in the fairs at Eminabad and Dhonkal, Gujranwala District.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1880, dated the 13th September 1856, intimates that the *Panches* of Amritsar have been admonished against preventing persons from taking their cattle for sale to the fairs at Eminabad and Dhonkal in the Gujranwala District.	Nos. 13-14.
	No. 2031-A., dated 30th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto.	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information with reference to letter No. 1878, dated the 13th September 1856.	
1644	No. 284; dated 23rd September 1856. From—C. Hathaway, Esquire, Inspector of Prisons and Dispensaries, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of vaccine lymph.	Forwards, in original, letter No. 1763, dated the 23rd August 1856, addressed by the Chief Commissioner to his predecessor, regarding the inferior quality of virus represented by the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States to have been supplied for the purposes of vaccination, and suggests that Dr. Cannon may be desired to report thereon.	Nos. 20-21.

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1644—*concld.*	No. 2034, dated 30th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. M. Cannon, Esquire.	Supply of vaccine lymph.	Forwards the preceding letter, in original, for his information. Requests he will furnish a full report of the means so successfully pursued by him during the period of his incumbency at Simla for securing a supply of efficient vaccinating matter, with the reasons which may appear to have operated towards the deterioration of the same. States that the Chief Commissioner will also be happy to receive from him any plan for remedial measures which he may consider necessary.	Progs. for the week ending 4th October 1856— Nos. 20—21.
1645	No. 426; dated 20th September 1856. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation for the detention by Mr. Cope of jewels intended for the Paris Exhibition.	Referring to letters Nos. 1502, 807 and 821, dated, respectively, the 14th July 1856, and 11th and 15th September; forwards for consideration and orders, copies of correspondence on the subject of compensating Lala Harjas Rai for the detention of jewels given over by him to the Central Committee for transmission to the Paris Exhibition of last year, and the prosecution of the Secretary of that Committee, Mr. Cope, by whom they had been detained for the amount of compensation, and communicates his opinion thereon.	Nos. 38—42.
	No. 2045, dated 1st October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, observes that the necessity for the present reference is not apparent as the Supreme Government has, in general terms, intimated its views in the case and directed a prosecution. Conveys the Chief Commissioner's remarks on the several points discussed in his letter and suggests that he apprize the Court of the Chief Commissioner's refusal to make any reference to Government. There being now no grounds for delay, due notice should be given to Mr. Cope and the prosecution resumed.	
1646	No. 2046, dated 1st October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Construction of a telegraph line from Lahore to Karachi.	Referring to the contemplated construction of a line of telegraph from Lahore to Karachi, requests that he will afford every assistance in his power to the Superintendent during the prosecution of the work.	Nos. 43-44
	No. 2047; dated 1st October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner; Punjab To—The Director of Canals.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	

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1647	No. 589, dated 16th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Medals awarded by the Paris Exhibition.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1792, dated the 30th August 1856, states that the name of the manufacturer of Papier-mâche ware at Lahore is not mentioned in the list of Exhibitors to whom medals have been awarded, received from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, and forwards a copy of the Hon'ble Court's Despatch together with an extract from the list.	Progs. for the week ending 4th October 1856— Nos. 55—8.
	No. 2054, dated 3rd October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar.	Ditto	Forwards for delivery to Chamba Mal of Amritsar a silver medal awarded by the Juries for the specimens of Papier-mâche ware contributed by him.	
1648	No. 148, dated 24th September 1856. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Work performed by Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1935, dated the 17th September 1856, furnishes the report therein called for, of the nature and quantity of work performed by his Personal Assistant Pandit Mathphool, since his appointment in November 1855.	Nos. 63-4.
	No. 739—2056, dated 3rd October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto. Appointment of an additional Commissioner to relieve the Lahore and Cis-Indus Divisions.	In reply to his letter No. 4589, dated the 2nd October 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding with the Chief Commissioner's remarks.	
1649	No. 131, dated 22nd September 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Indus floods. Damage done in the Leiah District.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1887, dated the 13th September 1856, submits a report on the condition of the public buildings at Leiah, and states that the damage caused by the late inundation has not been so extensive as was at first supposed.	Nos. 65-6.
	No. 740—2057, dated 3rd October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for the information of Government, in continuation of letter No. 1888, dated the 13th September 1856.	
1650	No. 191, dated 20th September 1856. From—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Limestone in the Kangra and Kulu Districts.	Forwards a report on the limestone of the Kangra and Kulu Districts, and intimates his intention of extending his enquiries during the periodical rains.	Nos. 67—71.

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1650—*concld.*	No. 2058, dated 4th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Limestone in the Kangra and Kulu Districts.	In reply, forwards a copy of Lieutenant Dyas' observations on his proposals for securing a good hydraulic mortar, and informs him that Executive Officers will be instructed to furnish him with the specimens and information, suggested by Lieutenant Dyas, in view to his conducting the necessary series of experiments. Adds that the Chief Commissioner desires that he will visit no district and institute no researches without previous concurrence and sanction.	Progs. for the week ending 4th October 1856— Nos. 67—71.
	No. 2059, dated 4th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Chief Engineer.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, for his information, and requests that he will issue the necessary instructions to his Excutive Officers to furnish M. Marcadieu with the specimens and information therein suggested.	
	No. 2060, dated 4th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Dyas, Director of Canals.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter.	
1651	No. 252, dated 23rd September 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of thanas and tahsils in Ludhiana and Ferozepore.	Replies to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1869, dated the 11th September 1856, in regard to certain modifications proposed in the Revenue and Police Establishments of the Ferozepore and Ludhiana Districts, and represents the impracticability of providing a Thana Establishment for Bhindour by reductions elsewhere.	Nos. 87-8.
	No. 2076, dated 4th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply intimates that the Chief Commissioner will be prepared to take into consideration any plan which he may propose on its being accompanied with the necessary statistical information.	
1652	No. 11, dated 17th September 1856 From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Designation of officers.	Forwards his suggestions in regard to the designation of officers, and solicits the Chief Commissioner's opinion on the subject.	Nos. 89-90.

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1652—*con ld.*	No. 2077, dated 4th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Designation of officers.	Forwards the preceding letter, in original; and requests that he will favour the Chief Commissioner with his opinion on the suggestions of the Special Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 4th October 1856— Nos. 89-90.
1653	No. *Nil*, dated 17th September 1856. From—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Judicial Commissioners and Tahsildars in the Punjab.	In continuation of letter No. 490, dated the 9th September 1856, forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's perusal, extracts from his proposed report as relate to the Judicial Commissioner and the Tahsildars in th Punjab.	Nos. 111—14.
	No. 2093, dated 4th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Ditto	Returns the original documents received with the preceding letter.	
1654	No. 4759, dated 16th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scale of officers in the Punjab Commission.	Acknowledges receipt of letter No. 499, dated the 15th July 1856, and encloses statements prepared by the Civil Auditor, showing that the amount authorized by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors for the Punjab Commission has not been exceeded. Conveys sanction to the promotion of the officers named by the Chief Commissioner in his letter of the 31st May 1856, No. 395, suggests that statements similar to those now forwarded may be furnished half-yearly, and conveys instructions in regard to the filling up of all future temporary vacancies in the grades of Assistant Commissioner.	Nos. 115—18.
1655	No. 4746, dated 12th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Modification of Section VI of the Uncovenanted Service Leave Rules.	Forwards, for information and guidance, copy of Government Resolution, dated the 29th August 1856, modifying Section VI of the Uncovenanted Service Leave Rules, so far as regards the granting of privilege leave.	Nos. 125—12
	Circular No. 45-2100, dated 4th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners, Chief Engineer and Director of Canals.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the Government Resolution received with the preceding for information.	
	Nos. 2101-2, dated 4th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding letter.	

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1656	No. 130, dated 18th August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Kohat. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 423, dated 18th August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 1126, dated 19th August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Jullundur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 301, dated 20th August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 439, dated 20th August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Shahpur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 378, dated 21st August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Gurdaspur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Returns of Boats.	Submit the Returns of Boats called for in letter No. 1718-A., dated the 15th August 1856.	Progs. for the week ending 4th October 1856— Nos. 138—76.
	No. 280, dated 21st August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Gujranwala. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 1025, dated 25th August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Jhelum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 400, dated 22nd August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 401, dated 8th September 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			

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1656—*contd.*	No. 2109, dated 22nd August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Rawapilndi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 2151, dated 1st September 1856. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Rawalpindi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 274, dated 23rd August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 230, dated 25th August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Jhang. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 555, dated 25th August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 160, dated 28th August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Returns of Range Boats.	Submit the Returns of Boats called for in letter No. 1718-A.; dated the 15th August 1856.	Progs. for the week ending 4th October 1856— Nos. 138—76.
	No. 186, dated 30th August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 194, dated 1st September 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Khangarh. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 125, dated 19th August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Gugera. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 133, dated 3rd September 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Gugera. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			

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1656—*concld.*	No. 260, dated 31st August 1856 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ghazi Khan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
	No. 205, dated 15th September 1856. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Khangarh. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Returns of Boats.	Snbmit the Returns of Boats called for in letter No. 1718-A., dated the 15th August 1856.	Progs. for the week ending 4th October 1856— Nos. 138—16.
	No. 1620, dated 16th September 1856. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.			
1657	No. 425, dated 20th September 1856. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Government schools.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1924, dated the 16th September 1856, explains his reasons for proposing to *substitute* the designations "Visitors" and "Assistant Visitors," *for* "Zillah" and "Parganah Visitors" to Government schools.	Progs. for the week ending 11th October 1856— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 741—2103, dated 6th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, for the information of Government, with reference to letters Nos. 3042, and 4516, dated the 28th May and 29th August, respectively.	
1658	No. 1425-A., dated 20th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Epidemic of cholera in Agra.	Forwards a copy of a letter addressed to the Civil Surgeon of Agra, relative to his report on the progress and treatment of the cholera epidemic which raged in Agra during the present season, and states that 50 copies of the report, when printed, will be sent for distribution.	Nos. 8—10.
	Circular No. 46—2107, dated 6th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions in the Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding, for their information, and requests that they will direct the Civil Surgeons of the districts where cholera has been prevalent during the present season to draw up reports of their experience of the disease.	
1659	No. 124, dated 9th September 1856 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines in the Kangra District.	Referring to letter No. 746, dated the 7th April, forwards a copy of the Report of the Committee assembled for the purpose of examining the iron mines of the Kangra District, and urges the importance of opening out the iron regions of the Ool Valley by the formation of good roads.	Nos. 21—5.

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1659—*concld.*	No. 2130, dated 27th September 1856. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines in the Kangra District.	In continuation of the preceding letter, intimates despatch, under a separate cover, of the map of the iron mines alluded to and appends copy of notes to illustrate the Report of the Committee.	Progs. for the week ending 11th October 1856— Nos. 21—5.
	No. 750—2114, dated 8th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Dalhousie mines.	Forwards a copy of the preceding with the map, in original, for the information of Government. Recommends that the project be deferred for the present, and suggests that when the road to Dalhousie has been opened and a suitable officer is available, more experiments may be attempted in the iron mines near that place.	
1660	No. 4806, dated 19th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Statistics for Annual Report on Education.	Conveys instructions relative to the mode of filling up certain columns of the Returns to be submitted with the Annual Report on Education as prescribed in letter No. 518, dated the 25th April 1856.	
	No. 2122, dated 8th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for his information, in continuation of letter No. 1050, dated the 9th May 1856.	
1661	No. 4910, dated 24th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary rules	Forwards, for guidance, a copy of a letter, with annexure, to the address of the Chief Commissioner of Oudh, regarding the extension of the Rules for the supervision of hospitals and dispensaries in Bengal to Oudh, and directs that the Rules be made applicable to the dispensaries in the Punjab.	Nos. 52—5.
	No. 2132, dated 9th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Prisons and Dispensaries, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding; for his information and guidance.	
	Circular No. 48—2183, dated 9th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions in the Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding, for their information.	

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1662	No. 4827, dated 19th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of Branch Audit and Account offices from Agra to Lahor.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 568, dated the 12th August 1856, recommending the early transfer of the Branch Audit and Account offices of the Punjab from Agra to Lahore, forwards a copy of a Resolution recorded by the Governor-General in Council authorizing the Chief Commissioner to settle the time of removal in communication with the Government, North-Western Provinces, on the distinct understanding that the change of locality will not be accepted as an excuse for delay in the submission of the annual accounts. Calls for a tabular statement in the usual form of the establishments as they now stand and as they will stand on their transfer to the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 11th October 1856— Nos. 56—61.
	No. 2134, dated 9th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Referring to the Resolution of the Governor-General in Council communicates the Chief Commissioner's wishes regarding the steps to be taken in respect to the separation of the Punjab Account and Audit offices from those of the North-Western Provinces, and begs to be furnished with the tabular statement required by Government of past and future establishment.	
	No. 2135, dated 9th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for the information of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces.	
	No. 2136, dated 9th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information.	
1663	No. 79, dated 28th August 1856 .. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Forage for mounted troops at Multan.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 49, dated the 26th August 1856, submits, with his remarks, copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Multan, regarding forage for mounted troops at the above station.	Nos. 77—9.
	No. 2143, dated 10th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the preceding and begs that as a specific reply to the Government query is essential, he will further ascertain and report what would be the actual rate of contract for supplying grass at Multan.	

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1664	No. 542, dated 1st October 1856 .. From—The Commissioner for Revision of Civil Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Military and uncovenanted officers holding civil appointments.	Forwards for the Chief Commissioner's opinion two printed papers regarding employment and remuneration of military and uncovenanted officers holding civil appointments.	Progs. for the week ending 18th October 1856— Nos. 6—9.
	No. 2158, dated 14th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Ditto	In reply states that Chief Commissioner concurs in most of what has been advanced by Mr. Ricketts and that, in his opinion, military men and civilians should receive the same amount of salary when employed on similar duties. The number to be employed in each province should be defined, but the particular offices to be filled from each class should not be declared as it is to the benefit of the public that the present competition should exist especially in the higher grades. The Chief Commissioner would select the best men for promotion in the Punjab, whether military or civil, and if the Punjab did not possess an efficient man, he would choose an officer from the service generally. In the Chief Commissioner's opinion the competition system now established in the Civil Service will cause the majority of civil appointments being filled by members of that service, but he considers a sprinkling of military more beneficial, especially in a new country as their presence excites emulation. In regard to the uncovenanted officers, the Chief Commissioner has always been a staunch advocate for increased employment of natives, but at present he would only make them eligible for the posts of Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector and Assistant Judge in the North-Western Provinces and 1st Class Assistant Commissioner in the Punjab, on the same salary as covenanted officers of that grade. Intimates that there is no one Deputy Commissioner in the Punjab in receipt of Rs. 24,000 per annum.	
		Efficiency to be the only test.		
		Advantages of having military officers in civil appointments.		
		Increase of natives in the uncovenanted services.		
1665	No. 322, dated 6th October 1856 From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition medals.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1791, of the 30th August 1856, states his inability to discover in the list of persons who contributed to the Paris Exhibition the names of the persons for whom the medals are intended. Asks for further information.	Nos. 23-4.

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1665—*concld.*	No. 2166, dated the 16th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition Medals.	Informs the Financial Commissioner that the Government of Bengal forwarded no bronze medals awarded to parties in the Ludhiana District by the Juries of the Paris Exhibition, but as the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiana cannot discover the parties, it is desired that full information regarding their caste, residence, etc., be furnished from the records of the late committee believed to be in his (Financial Commissioner's) possession.	Progs. for the week ending 18th October 1856— Nos. 23-4.
1666	No. 160, dated 15th October 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 143, dated the 18th September 1856, sends Rs. 120 being amount of Lt.-Col. Clareks subscription from 1st April 1855 to March 1856 to the Patriotic Fund.	Nos. 31—3.
	No. 3171, dated 17th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the preceding and of Rs. 120.	
	No. 2172, dated 17th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a draft for Rs. 120.	
1667	No. 2166—138, dated 2nd October 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Defective vaccination.	Forwards a minute of the Dispensary Committee at Hoshiarpur, and states as a considerable number of children who had been vaccinated died of small-pox, it appears necessary that the operations of the vaccinators should be carefully supervised or the natives will doubt the efficacy of vaccinations. Proposes that Dr. MacDonald be employed for the purpose.	Nos. 40—42.
	No. 2177, dated 17th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply states that the Chief Commissioner doubts whether Government would authorize the employment of Dr. McDonald as proposed and, that, in his opinion the vaccinators, if carefully instructed, should be able to do all that is necessary. Adds that the civil officers in their turn might do much good by encouraging the natives to have recourse to vaccination.	

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1668	No. 142—2199, dated 4th October 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scheme for a leper asylum at Dharmsala.	Referring to previous correspondence forwards a scheme for a leper asylum at Dharamsala, with a sketch of proposed sites. Adds that Rs. 1,500 have been already realized from subscriptions, and a donation of Rs. 500 has been promised by an officer, if the Institution is permanently established, but as the income from such a source must be precarious, he desires that Government be solicited to place a sum of Rs. 500 at the disposal of the Leper Committee and a monthly subscription of Rs. 44.	Progs. for the week ending 18th October 1855 Nos. 50—52.
	No. 2184, dated 17th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply states that it is not clear to the Chief Commissioner whether the application is for a donation of Rs. 500 and monthly subscription, or for an establishment in addition to those items. On receipt of a reply, the question will be submitted to Government.	
1669	No. *Nil*, dated 2nd October 1856.. From—Lieutenant J. G. Medley. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed telegraph line from Karachi to Lahore.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter dated the 26th September 1856, regarding proposed lines for electric telegraph from Karachi to Lahore. Comments on the different lines and expresses his preference of line No. 3 which would cross the whole of the Derajat, as it possesses many political and military advantages and it would not be thrown away if a line were hereafter made from Dera Ghazi Khan to Multan and Lahore.	Nos. 53—5.
	No. 2185, dated 17th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Superintendent of Telegraphs.	Ditto	Forwards, for information, a copy of the preceding, and states that the Chief Commissioner is inclined to prefer the route by Multan and Dera Ghazi Khan.	
	No. 2186, dated 17th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding in continuation of letter No. 2020, dated the 27th September 1856.	
1670	No. 135, dated 6th October 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab..	Damage done by the Indus floods.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ismail Khan, reporting details of loss of life and property sustained in that district during the late heavy floods. Adds that Captain Coxe has been directed to prepare estimates for repairs to thana and tahsil buildings that have been injured.	Nos. 66—9.
	No. 781—2193, dated 18th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for information.	

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1671	No. 5033, dated 30th September 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Metallurgic research in Karana Range.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 623, dated the 2nd September 1856, conveys sanction to the sinking of a shaft in the Karana Range on opportunity offering, provided that the expense be moderate. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 18th October 1856— No. 76.
1672	No. 6547, dated 14th October 1856 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of a telegraph line from Lahore to Karachi.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2046, dated the 1st October 1856, forwards a copy of a letter addressed to the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Circle, regarding the laying of a line of telegraph from Lahore to Karachi. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 78.
1673	No. 446, dated 8th October 1856 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grant-in-aid to the Cantonment School at Ferozepore.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, soliciting the grant of Rs. 30 per mensem to the Cantonment School at Ferozepore, and recommends sanction.	Progs. for the week ending 25th October 1856— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 2198, dated 20th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply conveys sanction on the understanding that this sum will fall within the aggregate annual amount authorized by Government for grants-in-aid.	
1674	No. 2201, dated 20th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Seizure of some articles purchased by a traveller. Municipal taxes at Lahore.	States that a traveller having complained (in a letter which appeared in the *Lahore Chronicle*) of the seizure of some articles purchased by him at Lahore, by a person said to be a contractor, the Chief Commissioner desires to be furnished with information on the subject.	No. 9.
1675	No. *Nil*, dated 8th September 1856 From—The Superintendent, His Highness the Maharaja Dalip Singh. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Maharaja Dalip Singh's donation to the school at Amritsar.	Forwards an order for Rs. 1,000 being the annual birthday donation from His Highness the Maharaja Dalip Singh to the school at Amritsar. Adds that His Highness is greatly gratified by the letter showing the mode in which the donation has been applied.	Nos. 12—14.
	No. 2204, dated 21st October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, His Highness the Maharaja Dalip Singh.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the order.	
	No. 2205, dated 21st October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards; duly endorsed; the order for Rs. 1,000 and copy of Sir J. Login's letters.	

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1676	Circular No. 5112, dated 8th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Subordinates in the Educational Department.	Communicates, for adoption, an uniform nomenclature for subordinates in the Educational Department.	Progs. for the week ending 25th October 1856— Nos. 24-5.
	No. 2210, dated 21st October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for information and guidance.	
1677	No. 287—3217, date 17th October 1856. From—The Judicial Commissioner' Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of salaries, etc. Designation of officers in the Punjab.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2077, dated the 4th October 1856, desiring opinion regarding designations of officers in the Punjab, forwards a Memo. on the subject, and also one from the Financial Commissioner.	Nos. 46—9.
	No. 2225, dated 22nd October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for Revision of Salaries, etc.	Ditto	Acknowledges circular letter No. 11, dated the 17th September 1856, and forwards copies of the minutes received with the preceding. Adds that the Chief Commissioner is not himself disposed to make changes in the Punjab, either in the designation or power of the District officers, and, in concurrence with the Judicial Commissioner, he deprecates the extension of powers of Deputy Commissioners and considers it a mistake to allow Commissioners. to decide on the record except in peculiar or appeal cases.	
1678	No. 5123, dated 9th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Captain Vaughan's Pushto Grammar.	Referring to previous correspondence, regarding Captain Vaughan's Pushto Grammar, requests that the whole cost of bringing the work to completion over and above the expense of printing may be ascertained from Captain Vaughan and also whether he has been selling the work on his own account, and, if so, to what extent.	Nos. 55-6.
	No. 2229, dated 23rd October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Vaughan, Commanding 5th Punjab Infantry, Kohat.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 898, dated the 19th May 1855, forwards a copy of the preceding and desires that the information therein called for may be furnished.	
1679	No. 5124, dated 9th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Training pupils at the Lawrence Asylum for the Public Works Department.	Referring to previous correspondence, forwards an extract from a despatch of the Hon'ble Court of Directors and requests that the result of the experiment of training pupils at the Lawrence Asylum for the Department, Public Works, may be reported.	Nos. 62 6.
	No. 2234, dated 24th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Lawrence *Asylum.*	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and desires that the information therein required may be furnished.	

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1680	No. 143—2205, dated 8th October 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea cultivation in the Kangra District.	Referring to letter No. 946, dated the 26th April 1856, reports on the prospects of tea cultivation in the Kangra Hills, and submits a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Kangra on the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 25th October 1856— Nos. 67—71.
	No. 2235, dated 24th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that, in the Chief Commissioner's opinion, the results hitherto obtained have been very unsatisfactory, and although the people at Kangra are timid and unenterprising, they are docile and intelligent. He therefore thinks that if the District officers had exerted themselves to point out the advantages of the new cultivation, they might to some extent have been successful, conveys detailed suggestions for the future.	
	No. 798—2236, dated 24th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of correspondence regarding the cultivation in the Kangra District and states that the Chief Commissioner will use his best endeavours to induce the people to undertake the cultivation, but the commencement is the great difficulty.	
	No. 2237, dated 24th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—D. Jameson, Esquire.	Ditto	Forwards, for his information, a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States and of this office No. 2335.	
1681	No. 566, dated 13th October 1856 From—The Commissioner for Revision of Civil Salaries, etc. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Increase in the English District Offices.	Referring to letter No. 58-A., states that after a careful comparison of the ministerial establishments in Bengal, Agra and the Punjab, he is of opinion that the English District officers require an increase, and asks for the Chief Commissioner's opinion on the subject.	Nos. 88-9.
	No. 2246, dated 24th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for Revision of Civil Salaries, etc.	Ditto	In reply states that, in the Chief Commissioner's opinion, the work of the English officers is not more than the establishment allowed can perform and he, therefore, does not advocate any increase, but where individual cases may arise, he would dispose of them on their respective merits.	
1682	No. 5073, dated 3rd October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Punjab Administration Report.	Intimates that the necessary alterations have been made in the General Report of the Punjab Administration for the past official year, as requested in letter No. 652, dated the 12th September 1856.	No. 104.

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1683	No. 2254, dated 27th October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Urmstone, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar.	Lieutenant-Colonel Nicholson appointed Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar.	Informs Lieutenant Urmstone that Lieutenant-Colonel Nicholson has been appointed Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar from 1st November 1856. Adds that he has much pleasure in communicating to him the satisfaction with which the Chief Commissioner views the creditable manner in which he officiated as Deputy Commissioner of the District.	Progs. for the week ending 1st November 1856.— No. 1.
1684	No. 257, dated 18th October 1856 From—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of Branch Accounts and Audit offices from Agra to Lahore.	Replies to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2134, dated the 9th October 1856, and before proceeding with organization of the Branch office, desires to be informed in what respect the Chief Commissioner considered the scheme transmitted by Mr. Grant to be over estimated and how he would propose to effect a saving of Rs. 700 for the salary of the Uncovenanted Accountant. States that in his opinion, Mr. Grant's schedule was not a fraction above what would be required to secure experience and efficiency, and requests information regarding the improved system alluded to by Mr. Temple. Few men will willingly proceed to the Punjab on the understanding that the whole establishment will be subject to revision, and, therefore, suggests that the salaries they received be guaranteed to the individuals going from Agra.	Nos. 6½-7.
	No. 2257, dated 27th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner is not in a position to propose any particular reductions in the schedule submitted by Mr. Grant, but he is clearly of opinion that the salary of the uncovenanted Accountant should be included in Rs. 3,134 and he trusts to effect all that is desired when the office comes under his supervision, but he leaves the distribution of the available sum to the Accountant. If he finds the reduced establishment insufficient, the matter will be laid before Government. Explains that by improved system nothing more than the greater promptness with which the annual accounts would be prepared was meant when Mr. Temple proposed to carry out the transfer in May 1857. Every consideration will be paid to good and capable men, and if an efficient establishment can be organized for Rs. 2,434, the Chief Commissioner desires nothing more, but otherwise he must revise the establishment according to his own judgment.	

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1685	No. *Nil*, dated 18th October 1856 From—H. M. Cannon, Esq., M.B. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of vaccine virus.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2034, dated the 3rd September 1856, with its enclosure, and reports on the means adopted by him during his incumbency at Simla for securing a supply of efficient vaccine virus and the causes which have led to its deterioration. Suggests remedial measures.	Progs. for the week ending 1st November 1856— Nos. 23-4.
	No. 2272, dated 29th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of the Hill States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of preceding and desires to be furnished with a report on the causes of the deterioration in the virus lately supplied from Simla and with a copy of his (the Superintendent's) letter to Government on the subject, as well as with a statement showing annual expenditure by Government on vaccine operations.	
1686	No. *Nil*, dated 24th October 1856 From—Mr. J. A. Penheiro. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Beaufort's Digest	Intimates his willingness to sell for Rs. 100 a copy of Beaufort's Digest.	Nos. 25-6.
	No. 2273, dated 29th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. J. A. Penheiro.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner is willing to purchase the book at the price named.	
1687	No. 5192, dated 15th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Damage to town and civil station of Leiah by inundation.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 656, dated the 13th September 1856, with enclosures, reporting partial destruction of town and civil station of Leiah, and states that the Governor-General in Council awaits the further report promised. Enquires whether there has been anywhere want of reasonable precaution against occurrence of such a calamity.	Nos. 32-3.
	No. 817—2277, dated 31st October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Responsibility of Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner for selection of unsuitable site.	In reply states that in 1853 an embankment was formed round the site on which the public buildings of the station were constructed and this was all that could be done. The fault lay in the selection of the site in the low alluvial land within the influence of the river, and the responsibility of the selection rests with Colonel Ross, Commissioner and the then Deputy Commissioner Major Hollings.	
1688	No. 5262, dated 17th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of Branch Accounts and Audit offices from Agra to Lahore. Selection of staff.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 692, dated the 20th September 1856, and states that, in the selection of men for the important offices of Accountant and Civil Auditor in the Punjab, preference should be given to those already employed at Agra. The nominations will rest with Chief Commissioner subject to confirmation of Governor-General in Council.	Nos. 46-7.

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1688 — *concld.*	No. 2290, dated 31st October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces.	Transfer of Branch Account and Audit offices from Agra to Lahore.	Forwards a copy of preceding and desires him to recommend the persons whom he may consider best qualified for the offices of Accountant and Civil Auditor in the Punjab. If the relative merits of the candidates are doubtful, the Chief Commissioner desires that two or more persons be proposed for each appointment, and that a brief statement of the services and qualifications of each be furnished.	Progs. for the week ending 1st November 1856—Nos. 46-47.
1689	No. 149—2228, dated 24th October 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scheme for a Leper Asylum at Dharamsala.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2184, of the 17th October 1856, states that his application for a grant of Rs. 500 and a monthly subscription of Rs. 44 towards the Leper Asylum was made under the understanding that this sum would partly mean the expense of the establishment proposed, but as it appears that the services of a native Doctor cannot be secured without authority of Government, he trusts the Chief Commissioner will arrange this matter when he submits the question to Government.	Progs. for the week ending 8th November 1856—Nos. 15-16.
	No. 2305, dated 3rd November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner is still doubtful as to the aid required from Government, and desires a clear detail of the proposed establishment, the men required, and the pay of each.	
1690	No. 5344, dated 21st October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Position of Civil Servants in the Punjab and Oudh.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 701—1986, dated the 23rd September, communicates observations on the position of Civil Servants in the Punjab and Oudh, and annexes a copy of a Government Resolution, declaring that Civil Servants in those Provinces are eligible for promotion to offices under the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces.	Nos. 27—31.
	Circular No. 51—2312, dated 4th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for information and communication to District Officers.	
	Nos. 2313-14, dated 4th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding.	

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1691	Dated 18th October 1856 .. From—The Chairman, Municipal Committee, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Powers of the Simla Municipal Committee as regards tree cutting.	Refers to the Chief Commissioner on the subject of the powers on the Municipal Committee at Simla, to cut down trees, etc., and annexes copies of correspondence and certain proceedings.	Progs. for the week ending 8th November 1856—Nos. 36—9.
	No. 2317, dated 4th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and desires him to call upon the Superintendent of States for his opinion. Communicates Chief Commissioner's observations on the subject.	
	No. 2318, dated 4th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—F. Peterson, Esq.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and adds that the correspondence of the committee should be forwarded through the local officers, as the Chief Commissioner cannot decide finally on any reference until he has heard what those officers have to urge.	
1692	No. 1162, dated 21st October 1856 From—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of offices of Accountant and Civil Auditor from Agra to Lahore.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2136, of the 9th October 1856, regarding separation of Punjab offices, states that arrangements for the transfer of the Audit office can be made at once, but he objects to the condition of retrenchment and revision of establishment, as few men will willingly go with such a provision. Draws attention to the necessity of the Uncovenanted Auditor being present and making his own arrangements at Agra as well as acquiring a knowledge of the responsible duties of his charge.	Nos. 40—43.
	No. 2319, dated 4th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply, states that as soon as an officer is appointed to the post of Civil Auditor by Government, the Chief Commissioner will be glad to see him take charge and the office commence its march to Lahore. Annexes extract from a letter addressed to Accountant, and adds that the officers of the Lahore Branch will receive every consideration.	
	No. 1642-A., dated 23rd October 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2135, dated the 9th October 1856, forwards, for information, copies of correspondence with Accountant, North-Western Provinces, relative to removal of Branch offices of Account and Audit from Agra to Lahore.	
	No. 831—2320, dated 4th November 1856. .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	States that a copy of the correspondence relative to removal of Branch offices of Audit and Accounts forwarded to Financial Department having been furnished to this office, the Chief Commissioner desires that a copy of letter No. 2257, dated the 27th October, to Accountant, North-Western Provinces, be forwarded to Government.	

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1693	No. 2326, dated 5th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Quartermaster-General of the Army.	Report on the Ghilzai country and Ghwylurye Pass.	Forwards, at the request of Brigadier Chamberlain, Commanding, Punjab Irregular Force, a "Report explanatory of the Ghilzia country and Ghwylarge Pass," together with a plan of the country between Ghazni and Dera Ismail Khan, and part of the Ghilzai country.	Progs. for the week ending 8th November 1856— No. 52.
1694	No. 5365, dated 24th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New Civil Absentee Rules.	Forwards a copy of a despatch to Government, North-Western Provinces, ruling, with reference to new Civil Absentee Rules, that an officer taking medical leave to a Sanitarium may have his leave extended to proceed to Europe, but he will not be entitled to fresh preparatory leave. The Governor-General in Council thinks it unnecessary to fix any prescribed interval between medical leave to the hills and that taken to Europe under sections VI and VII.	Nos. 63—7.
	Circular No. 52—2332, dated 6th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for their information and guidance.	
	Nos. 2333-34, dated 6th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for information and uidance.	
1695	No. 2975, dated 1st November 1856 From—The Secretary, Lawrence Asylum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Training of students in Lawrence Asylum for the Public Works Department.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2284, dated the 24th October 1856, states that he was not aware of the Government having initiated any experiment. The Rs. 1,000 alluded to was to have been received by Colonel Napier and the surveying instruments, etc., were to be selected and furnished by him, but those instruments have not yet been received. Adds that a small building is now being erected and he hopes to get up a class on the 1st February 1857 to whom instruction in the various branches of Mechanics will be imparted.	Nos. 72-3.
	No. 2337, dated 6th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Referring to previous correspondence regarding grant of Rs. 1,000 for the purchase of scientific instruments to be used in educating the pupils of the Lawrence Asylum for lower branches of the Department, Public Works, states that from a reference to the Principal of the Asylum it appears that no instruments have yet been supplied. The Chief Commissioner desires, therefore, to be informed what has been done in the matter.	

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1696	No. 5364, dated 24th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Uncovenanted Service Absentee Rules.	Forwards, for information and guidance, a copy of a letter in the Financial Department to Secretary to Government, Bengal, containing decisions of Government that private affairs' leave cannot be granted to Uncovenanted Officers in extension of privilege leave and intimating that orders of the Hon'ble Court of Directors have been solicited to insert a clause in the Uncovenanted Absentee Rules, allowing the Local Government to extend period of privilege leave in special cases to 2 or 3 months providing it can be granted without injury to the public service.	Progs. for the week ending 8th November 1856—Nos. 74—8.
	Circular No. 53—2338, dated 6th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions, Chief Engineer, Director of Canals, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for their information and guidance.	
	Nos. 2339-40, dated 6th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the above for information.	
1697	No. 640, dated 31st October 1856 From—Major-General Gowan, Commanding, Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Probable abandonment of the Wazirabad Cantonment.	Referring to the probable abandonment of the Wazirabad Cantonment desires to be made acquainted with the Chief Commissioner's wishes as to guards to be furnished to the Civil Authorities in the neighbourhood.	Nos. 104-105.
	No. 2356, dated 8th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and enquires whether and what military guards will be required at Wazirabad in consequence of the entire withdrawal of troops from the cantonment.	
1698	No. *Nil*, dated 1st November 1856 From—Mr. Arratoon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Imitation of private marks on timber.	Forwards a copy of a letter addressed to the Superintendent, Pauagh Timber Agency, on the subject of the Maharaja Gulab Singh's agents imitating the marks on his timbers.	Nos. 121-22.
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1699	No. 1572, dated 17th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea plantations in the North-Western Provinces.	Forwards, for information, a copy of Mr. Fortune's Report on Tea Plantation in the North-Western Provinces and states that a duplicate copy will be forwarded by Mr. Fortune direct to the Supreme Government.	Progs. for the week ending 15th November 1856—Nos. 3-4.
	No. 2358, dated 10th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the report received with the preceding, for his information.	

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1700	No. 169, dated 1st November 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Municipal taxes at Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2201, of the 20th October 1856, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Lahore, explaining the circumstances under which the goods of a traveller at Lahore were seized in payment of municipal tax.	Progs. for the week ending 15th November 1856—Nos. 49—51.
	No. 2386, dated 12th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, enquires when the *chungi* was extended to Anarkali and the suburbs of Lahore, and under what authority. The Chief Commissioner has been under the impression that it was confined to the town of Lahore and he is inclined to think that the present extension must be liable to great abuse and enable the contractors to oppress poor dealers.	
1701	No. 300; dated 3rd November 1856 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cholera in the Batala District.	Forwards, for the perusal of the Chief Commissioner, correspondence, in original, received from the Commissioner of Lahore, relative to the appearance and progress of cholera in the district of Batala.	Nos. 52-3.
	No. 2387, dated 12th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, returns the original papers and states that the foresight and care shown by Mr. Naesmyth are creditable to that officer.	
1702	No. 179, dated 11th November 1856. From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Abandonment of the Wazirabad Cantonment.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2356, dated the 8th November 1856, states that he does not consider any military guard will be required at Wazirabad by the civil authorities on the entire withdrawal of troops from the cantonment.	Nos. 58-9.
	No. 2390, dated 13th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major-General Gowan, Commanding, Lahore Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of letter No. 640, dated the 31st October 1856, and states that no military guard will be required by the civil authorities at Wazirabad on the abandonment of the cantonment at that place.	
1703	No. 163, dated 1st November 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of potatoes for the European troops at Rawalpindi and Peshawar.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1487, dated the 10th July 1856, forwards a copy of a letter from the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Rawalpindi, reporting the arrangements made for furnishing supplies of potatoes to the European troops at Rawalpindi and Peshawar.	Nos. 76—8.
	No. 2401; dated 14th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Colonel A. Becher, Quartermaster-General of the Army.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1485, dated the 10th July 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, and states that it would appear from these documents that the supply of potatoes for the troops at the stations named fully equals the demand and that the cultivation of this vegetable is likely still further to increase.	

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1704	No. 400, dated 31st October 1856 From—The Officiating Secretary, Sadr Board of Revenue, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Trusteeship of the Lawrence Asylum funds.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of correspondence with the Government North-Western Provinces, associating the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States in the trusteeship of the sum assigned to the Lawrence Asylum from the Thomason Testimonial Fund, and requests the issue of the necessary instructions to the Commissioner on the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 15th November 1856—Nos. 79—82.
	No. 2402, dated 14th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 2195, dated the 15th December 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information, and requests that he will comply with the wish of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor and associate himself with the trust in question.	
	No. 2403, dated 14th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Reverend W. Parker, Principal, Lawrence Asylum.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the letter and its enclosure, received from the Secretary to the Sadr Board of Revenue, North-Western Provinces; and requests that he will furnish an annual report of the appropriation of the income arising from the amount alluded to, through the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	
1705	No. 293, dated 3rd November 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of thanas and tahsils in the Ferozepore and Ludhiana Districts.	Referring to previous correspondence forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, statistical details regarding the increased establishments proposed for Bhuddour and other estates, estimated to cost Rs. 2,940 per annum.	Nos. 87—9.
	No. 2406, dated 15th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply desires to be furnished with a complete return of the Fiscal and Police establishments of the Ferozepore and Ludhiana Districts, as they will stand consequent on the arrangement now proposed and suggests measures by which a saving in the cost of establishments would be effected.	
1706	No. 840, dated 30th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Settlement of retired officers and soldiers in India.	Forwards, for the opinion of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, regarding the practicability of holding out inducements to retired officers and soldiers desirous of settling in suitable localities in India.	Nos. 93—5.
	No. 2408, dated 15th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department.	Ditto	In reply, describes the impracticability of carrying out the measure alluded to by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors owing to the scarcity of arable land in suitable localities, and adds that, in the Chief Commissioner's judgment, little could be done even by good agriculturists without considerable capital.	

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1707	No. 156, dated 6th November 1856 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Preservation of young trees in the neighbourhood of the Dalhousie iron mines.	Referring to letter No. 1727, dated the 16th August 1856, reports the arrangements made with the Raja of Chamba for the preservation of the young trees in the neighbourhood of the Dalhousie mines. Suggests the transfer of the one which has been collected to the Madhopore Workshops, and the reduction of establishment to one chaukidar.	Progs. for the week ending 15th November 1856—Nos. 96—8.
	No. 2409, dated 15th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto Disposal of the iron ore.	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the Chief Engineer has been requested to reduce the establishment to one chaukidar and to cause the iron ore to be made over to Mr. Smith, after which the services of the chaukidar will also be dispensed with.	
	No. 2410, dated 15th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing letter from the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, for his information. Requests that he will at once reduce the establishment to one chaukidar and cause the iron ore to be made over to Mr. Smith. When this has been effected, the services of the chaukidar should also be dispensed with. A report should be made to this office when these instructions have been carried out.	
1708	No. 157, dated 6th November 1856 From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Experimental consignment of iron to England.	Referring to letter No. 1727, dated the 16th August 1856, forwards an extract from a letter from Mr. J. D. Smith, Assistant Civil Engineer, conveying suggestions relative to the experimental consignment of iron to England, and recommends that Mr. Smith be authorized to arrange all the necessary details.	Nos. 99-100.
	No. 2411, dated 15th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, communicates sanction to Mr. Smith's proposals and requests that the Commissioner will carefully supervise the details of the consignment.	
1709	No. 283, dated 3rd November 1856 From—The Officiating Accountant, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab..	Transfer of Account and Audit offices from Agra to Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2257, dated the 27th October 1856 regarding the organization of the office of Accountant for the Punjab, states the impracticability of providing an efficient establishment on the reduced amount named, *viz.*, Rs. 2,484.	Nos. 103-104.
	No. 858—2413, dated 15th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the preceding, for the information of Government, and suggests measures for carrying out the necessary details connected with the organization and transfer to the Punjab of the Branch offices of Audit and Account.	

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1710	No. 4475, dated 27th August 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Restoration of the Badshahi Masjid to the Muhammadan residents of Lahore.	Acknowledges receipt of letter No. 545, dated the 1st August 1856, with enclosures, from the Muhammadan residents of Lahore, expressing their thanks to Government for the restoration of the Badshahi Masjid to them, and in reply states that this expression of thanks has been received with much satisfaction. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 15th November 1856— No. 132.
1711	No. 1374, dated 27th October 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Attendance of a Lhaplain on the Cord Bishop of Madras during His Lordship's tour in the Punjab.	Forwards a copy of a letter to the address of the Lord Bishop of Calcutta, approving of the modified arrangement proposed regarding the attendance of a Chaplain on the Lord Bishop of Madras during His Lordsl ip's tour in the Pt njab. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 134.
1712	No. *Nil*, dated 3rd Novermber 1856 From—Brigadier Chamberlain, Commanding, Punjab Irregular Force. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	A Subedar of 4th Punjab Infantry in confinement in the territories of His Highness the Maharaja Gulab Singh.	Forwarls for information; copies of correspondence from Captain Wilde, Commanding, 4th Punjab Infantry, intimating that a Subedar of his corps is in confinement in the territories of His Highness the Maharaja Gulab Singh. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 135-36.
1713	No. 903, dated 11th October 1856 From—The Acting Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed line of telegraph from Lahore to Karachi.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2023, dated the 27th September 1856, forwards for information; a copy of a letter addressed by him to the Officiating Superintendent, Electric Telegraph in India, relative to the line of telegraph from Lahore to Karachi. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 144—46.
1714	No. 193; dated 24th October 1856 From—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab,	Iron deposits in the Dulla Range.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2029, dated the 29th September 1856, reports inspection of the iron deposits in the Dulla Range above Shahpur and his departure from thence with the view of proceeding to examine the Salt Range. MEMO.—OFFICE,	No. 148.

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1715	No. 5519, dated 5th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines at Kangra.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 750, dated the 8th October 1856, intimates concurrence in the Chief Commissioner's proposal to defer the working of the iron mines at Kangra for the present, and also in his suggestions that when the road to Dalhousie has been opened and a suitable officer becomes available, further experiments may be attempted.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd November 1856—Nos. 33-4.
	No. 2449, dated 17th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, and of the letter to which it is a reply, with reference to his letter No. 1977, dated the 9th September 1856.	
1716	No. 196, dated 9th November 1856 From—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Preparation of cements.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2058, dated the 4th October 1856, conveys remarks on the observations made by Lieutenant Dyas on his proportions regarding the preparation of cements.	Nos. 41-2.
	No. 2453, dated 17th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Director of Canals.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for any observations which he may feel disposed to offer.	
1717	No. 5562, dated 7th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Provision of places of worship for European soldiers of the Roman Catholic Church.	Forwards, for information and guidance, a copy of a resolution by the Governor-General in Council, in the Home Department, dated the 29th October 1849, regarding the principles to be observed in future in regulating the provision of places of worship for European soldiers of the Roman Catholic Church.	Nos. 54—6.
	No. 869—2459, dated 13th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply requests to be furnished with a copy of the previous resolution, of the 28th February 1856, quoted in the preceding, as it does not appear to have been received in this office.	
1718	No. 486, dated 10th November 1856. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commisioner, Punjab.	Medals for the Paris Exhibition.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2166, dated the 16th October 1856, asks for a list of the parties to whom Paris Exhibition Prize Medals have been awarded.	Nos. 60-61.
	No. 2462, dated 19th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, transmits the list required.	

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1719	No. 115, dated 12th November 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suspension of Lieutenant Raverty on charges of corruption.	Forwards a letter, in original, from Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan, bringing to notice the lengthened period of his suspension and urging favourable consideration of his case by the Supreme Government.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd November 1856—Nos. 82—5.
	No. 875—2479, dated 22nd November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Referring to letters Nos. 540 and 640, dated the 30th July and 6th September 1856, forwards copy of Lieutenant Raverty's letter, for the favourable consideration of Government.	
	No. 2480, dated 22nd November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
1720	No. 309, dated 8th November 1856 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules regarding encamping grounds, supplies and Police on the Grand Trunk Road.	Forwards for the perusal of the Chief Commissioner a copy of a circular addressed to Commissioners in sending them a compilation of the Rules regarding encamping grounds, supplies and Police on the Grand Trunk Road. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 105-06.
1721	No. 404, dated 14th November 1856. From—Lieutenant-Colonel Nicholson, Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Assumption of charge of the Peshawar District.	Intimates having assumed charge of the Peshawar district. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 107.
1722	No. *Nil*, dated 5th November 1856 From—Mr. Pinheiro, Thanesar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Beaufort's "Digest to the Criminal Law."	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2273, dated the 30th October 1856, intimates the despatch of Beaufort's "Digest to the Criminal Law" purchased from him and solicits a remittance.	Progs. for the week ending 29th November 1856—Nos. 21-2.
	No. 2495, dated 25th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Pinheiro, Thanesar.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the book and encloses a treasury draft for Rs. 100.	
1723	No. 162, dated 14th November 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a Leper Asylum in Kangra.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2305, dated the 3rd November 1856, submits proposals in regard to the establishment of a Leper Asylum in the Kangra Hills.	Nos. 1—3
	No. 882—2499, dated 26th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of previous correspondence for the information of Government and solicits sanction to the payment of a donation of Rs. 500, and of a monthly sum of Rs. 44 to aid in the establishment of the Leper Asylum in question.	

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1724	No. 1224, dated 13th November 1856. From—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Financial position of the Punjab Commission.	Forwards the statement called for in Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2297, dated the 1st November 1856, regardig the financial position of the Punjab Commission.	Progs. for the week ending 29th November 1856— Nos. 36—40.
	No. 2501, dated 26th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply conveys the Chief Commissioner's thanks for the returns furnished with the foregoing, and requests to be favoured with a specification of the 3rd column in the comparative statement, showing the items in detail and the officers to whom the payments are made.	
1725	No. 208, dated 13th November 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccination in the hills.	Submits, for information, a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, to the address of the Superintendent of Hill States, relative to the introduction of vaccination in the hills. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 78-4.
1726	Circular No. 5666, dated 14th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules regarding Government service and pension. Minimum age of 16 for Clerks.	Forwards, for information, an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, intimating that no person should be admitted into the service of Government as a writer or Clerk at an earlier age than 16 years, and that the period for pension should reckon from the earliest date of Provincial Service. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 82-3.
1727	No. 5723, dated 14th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Educational establishments.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 3042, dated the 28th May 1856, asks for a detailed statement showing the establishments organized for the Educational Department in the Punjab with the actual monthly charge thereby entailed on the State.	Progs. for the week ending 6th December 1856— No. 11-12.
	No. 2524, dated 1st December 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for his information; and requests that he will furnish the detailed statement therein called for.	
1728	No. 2544, dated 5th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of thanas and tahsils in the Ferozepore and Ludhiana Districts.	Forwards correspondence in original, for his perusal, relating to alterations proposed in the scales of establishments of the Ludhiana and Ferozepore Districts and requests he will favour the Chief Commissioner with his opinion on the subject, after consultation with the Financial Commissioner.	No. 51.

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1729	No. 812, dated 17th November 1856. From—The Superintendent of Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Forest conservancy in the Hill States.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1003, dated the 9th June 1855, forwards a report on the forest conservancy in his political jurisdiction.	Progs. for the week ending 6th December 1856—Nos. 61-2.
	No. 915—2549, dated 5th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, for the consideration and orders of the Governor-General in Council, and recommends that the Superintendent of Hill States may be vested with discretionary power in matters connected with the protection of certain tracts, subject to the control of the Chief Commissioner.	
1780	No. 136, dated 4th October 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of forage to mounted troops.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 34, dated the 31st July 1856, forwards copies of letters from the Deputy Commissioners of Jullundur and Hoshiarpur relative to the supply of forage by contract to the mounted force stationed in the Division and concurs in the opinions therein expressed that capitalists of the Punjab are not likely to undertake such contracts.	Nos. 63—76.
	No. 273, dated 15th October 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 34, dated the 21st July 1856, reports the rates at which forage can be procured by contract for mounted troops.	
	No. 143, dated 5th October 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 34, dated the 21st July 1856, submits copies of letters from the Deputy Commissioners of Dera Ismail Khan and Dera Ghazi Khan, furnishing such information as could be obtained relative to the rate of contract for supplying grass to the mounted corps stationed in the Leiah Division and states that parties are unwilling to undertake such contracts.	
	No. 157, dated 18th October 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 34, dated the 21st July 1856, submits copies of letters from the Deputy Commissioners of Rawalpindi and Jhelum, on the subject of supplying forage by contract to the mounted corps stationed in the Division, and observes that both officers are of opinion that the measures would not be attended with success.	
	No. 101, dated 20th October 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 2142, dated the 10th October 1956, states that it would be impossible to fix any actual rate for the supply of grass, as parties are unwilling to undertake contracts.	

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1730—*concld.*	No. 163, dated 24th October 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of forage to mounted troops.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 34, dated the 21st July 1856, furnishes a detail of the rates of grass in the several districts of his Division, but states that no contractor for supplying the same to Government horses has as yet come forward in the Sialkot District.	Progs. for the week ending 6th December 1856—Nos. 63—76.
	No. 2550, dated 6th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 40, dated the 2nd July 1856, forwards a memorandum showing the average prices of forage at the several stations where a mounted force is maintained. It has been ascertained that capitalists in the Punjab evince great unwillingness to engage for the supply of forage, owing to the uncertainty of the supply in favourable seasons, and a feeling of alarm lest they should fail in the contract, and the civil authorities are of opinion that individuals connected with the Commissariat will be the only parties to come forward, and that in seasons of drought they would fail in the fulfilment of their contracts. Some of the Commissioners have suggested the use of oat-hay on which horses are known to thrive admirably. Forwards an extract from Major Browne's Report No. 79, dated the 28th August 1856, on the subject.	
1731	No. 306, dated 24th November 1856. From—The Officiating Accountant, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Interest on loan taken from Patiala.	Submits for the decision of the Chief Commissioner a question relating to the payment of interest to the Maharaja of Patiala on the balance of his loan of 30 lacs to the British Government, and states that, in his opinion, interest at 4 per cent. is fairly due from 4th August 1854 to the 11th March 1855.	Nos. 77-8.
	No. 2551, dated 6th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Accountant, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that the Chief Commissioner concurs in his opinion, and authorizes the payment of interest accordingly.	
1732	No. 5706, dated 14th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea cultivation in the Kangra District.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 798, dated the 24th October 1856, communicates entire approval of the instructions issued by the Chief Commissioner on the subject of tea cultivation in the Kangra District.	Nos. 81-2.

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1732—*contd.*	No. 2553, dated 6th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Tea cultivation in the Kangra District.	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, for his information, in continuation of letter No. 2235, dated the 24th October 1856.	Progs. for the week ending 6th December 1856— Nos. 81-2.
1733	No. 6072, dated 28th November 1856. From—The Assistant Secretary of Government, North-Western Provinces, Agra. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Government Tea Plantations in the North-Western Provinces.	In continuation of letter No. 1572, dated the 5th October 1856, forwards a copy of the appendix to the Report on Government Tea Plantations in the North-Western Provinces.	Progs. for the week ending 13th December 1856— Nos. 8-9.
	No. 2568, dated 8th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of preceding for his information.	
1734	No. 319, dated 29th November 1856. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations in the Cis-Sutlej States.	Submits a statement of the results of vaccine operations in his Division for the month of October 1856.	Nos. 10—12.
	No. 2569, dated 8th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto Unsatisfactory results.	In reply enquires why so little is done in any district but Simla, and whether any explanation can be afforded as to the total failure of all the experiments in the Ferozepore and Ludhiana Districts.	
1735	No. 842, dated 29th November 1856. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Nomination of Captain G. Pengree for appointment as a member of the Simla Municipal Committee.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Chairman of the Municipal Commissioners of Simla, submitting for the confirmation of Government, the nomination of Captain G. Pengree to fill a vacancy among the Commissioners.	Nos. 13-14.
	No. 923—2570, dated 8th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for the consideration and orders of Government.	
1736	No. 521, dated 9th December 1856 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grants-in-aid to private schools.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 520, dated the 29th November 1856, forwards an application from the Director of Public Instruction for the payment of grants-in-aid to private schools, amounting in the aggregate to Rs. 670 per annum, with effect from the 1st November 1856.	Nos. 69—72.

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1736—*concld.*	No. 2605, dated 13th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Grants-in-aid to private schools.	In reply, conveys sanction and states that bills of this description and up to the amount authorized should, in future, be submitted direct to the Civil Auditor.	Progs. for the week ending 13th December 1856— Nos. 69—72.
	No. 2606, dated 13th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
1737	No. 348, dated 11th December 1856. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Consecration of the Church at Simla.	Forwards an application from the Chaplain at Simla, soliciting sanction of the Chief Commissioner for the consecration of the Church at that station, at the approaching visitation of the Bishop of Madras.	Progs. for the week ending 20th December 1856— Nos. 11—13.
	No. 2614, dated 17th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction.	
1738	No. 5928, dated 29th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Passports ...	Draws attention to the Home Department notification dated the 24th November 1856, No. 1729, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem on the subject of passports and requests the issue of the necessary instructions to the officers under the control of the Chief Commissioner for the due observance of the orders therein contained.	Nos. 14—18.
	Circular No. 57—2615, dated 17th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	Draws attention to the notification referred to in the preceding letter and requests that they will take the necessary steps for ensuring a strict observance of the orders therein contained on the part of all officers under their control.	
	Nos. 2616-7-8, dated 17th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioner, and the Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding letter for their information.	

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1739	No. 522, dated 1st December 1856 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a Boys' School at Pallach and a Girls' and Boys' School at Kotgarh.	Submits, for orders, a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, with enclosures in original, from the Revd. J. D. Prochnon, of the Church Missionary Society, applying for grants-in-aid aggregating Rs. 100 per month for a Boys' School at Pallach, and a Girls' and a Boys' School at Kotgarh, and intimates concurrence in Mr. Arnold's recommendation, that Rs. 10 per month, each, be allowed for the two former and Rs. 30 per month for the latter.	Progs. for the week ending 20th December 1856—Nos. 34—6.
	No. 2626, dated 18th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply conveys sanction to grants-in-aid to the extent of Rs. 50 per month as recommended, but adds that each grant can only be allowed for such time as the school for which it is sanctioned may be in existence.	
1740	No. 524, dated 2nd December 1856 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Standard plans and estimates for Tahsil School Buildings.	Forwards, for record, a printed copy of Circular No. 9, of 9th October 1856, addressed by the Director of Public Instruction to District Officers, with plans and estimates attached, of a Tahsil School Building, together with a paper of suggestions by Mr. Blyth, Extra Assistant Commissioner of Amritsar. States that the plan appears appropriate and the estimates moderate and reflect credit on Mr. Blyth.	Nos. 37-8.
	No. 2627, dated 18th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply intimates that the Chief Commissioner highly approves of the proposed plan and begs that Mr. Blyth may be thanked for his labours.	
1741	No. 2628, dated 18th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Rt. Revd. Lord Bishop of Madras.	Consecration of churches and cemeteries in the Punjab.	Begs that, during his present visitation in this Province, His Lordship will be pleased to consecrate all churches and cemeteries within the limits of the Punjab Administration which are at present unconsecrated.	No. 39.
1742	No. 485, dated 10th November 1856. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bronze medals awarded by the Juries of the Paris Exhibition.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2166, dated the 16th October 1856, intimates his inability to discover the parties to whom two bronze medals have been awarded by the Juries of the Paris Exhibition, but states that he has made a reference on the subject to the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiana. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 79.

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1743	No. 1315, dated 1st December 1856 From—The Officiating Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Amounts disbursed to officers of the Punjab Commission.	Forwards the statement therein called for in Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2501, dated the 26th November 1856, exhibiting in detail the amount actually disbursed to officers comprising the Punjab Commission. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 20th December 1856— Nos. 83-4.
1744	No. 1752½; dated 9th December 1856. From—S. Hogg, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Jullundur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Notification of the leave granted to Mr. S. Hogg.	Solicits notification in the Government Gazette of the indulgence leave granted him on the 28th July 1856.	Progs. for the week ending 27th December 1856— Nos. 12—14.
	No. 950—2639, dated 22nd December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Referring to letter No. 4222, dated the 8th August 1856, solicits notification in general orders of the one month's indulgence leave granted to Mr. S. Hogg, Assistant Commissioner, Jullundur.	
1745	No. 6065, dated 9th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mineral springs in Kot Kangra.	Forwards for any suggestions that the Chief Commissioner may have to offer, an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, regarding M. Marcadieu's reports on the mineral springs in Kot Kangra	Nos. 15—17.
	No. 2640, dated 22nd December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, with its enclosure, for his information, and requests he will state what he would propose in order to test the accuracy of the views propounded by M. Marcadieu.	
1746	No. 6069, dated 9th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron mines in Kulu.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors respecting the discovery of iron in Kulu by M. Marcadieu and requests submission of the information therein called for in regard to the arrangements made for carrying out his researches.	Nos. 23—5
	No. 2643, dated 22nd December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information, and requests that he will state what measures he would recommend with reference to the wishes of the Hon'ble Court.	
1747	No. 6013, dated 5th December 1856. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Public libraries	Asks for a statement of the places where public libraries have been established and of the assistance which has been given by Government towards their establishment.	Nos. 29-30.

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1747—*concld.*	No. 58—2645, dated 22nd December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Public libraries	Forwards copy of the preceding for their information and requests that they will furnish the statements required.	Progs. for the week ending 27th December 1856—Nos. 29-30.
1748	No. 5894, dated 28th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea cultivation in the North-Western Provinces and Punjab.	Forwards, for such remarks as the Chief Commissioner may have to offer, copies of two letters from Mr. Fortune, reporting upon the present condition and future prospects of tea cultivation in the North-Western Provinces and in the Punjab.	Nos. 31—3.
	No. 954—2646, dated 22nd December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of Mr. Fortune's reports and communicates the Chief Commissioner's remarks thereon.	
1749	No. 6057, dated 5th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Girls' Schools.	Forwards, for information and guidance an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, sanctioning, for the present, the exemption of Girls' Schools receiving grants-in aid from Government from the operation of the rule under which the levy of a school fee is a neccessary condition of such grants.	Nos. 34—6.
	No. 2647, dated 22nd December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information and guidance.	
1750	No. 6068, dated 9th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Coal in Shahpur.	Forwards, for information; an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, regarding the discovery of coal in Shahpur, and enquires whether any further experiments have been made for testing the coal in question.	Nos. 37—9.
	No. 955—2648, dated 22nd December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, states that no further experiments have been made for testing the coal discovered in Shahpur.	
1751	No. 6066, dated 9th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Timber floated down the Chenab.	Forwards, for information; an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, relative to a careful observance of the engagement made with His Highness the Maharaja Gulab Singh in respect to timber, the produce of British territory, floated down the Chenab. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 94-5.

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1752	No. 360, dated 23rd December 1856 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Consecration of Amritsar church.	Solicits sanction to the consecration of the Amritsar church by the Lord Bishop of Madras on his approaching visitation.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd January 1857. Nos. 14-15.
	No. 2674, dated 29th December 1856 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto.	Replies that His Lordship has been requested to consecrate all the churches within the territories under the Punjab administration.	
1753	No. 8868, dated 13th December 1856 From—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Protection of the Leiah Division from floods.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1892, dated the 14th October 1856, forwards, with his own remarks and recommendations, a copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer, Lower Derajat, intimating his opinion on the state of the Deputy Commissioner's Katchery and on the measures which should be adopted for rendering Leiah Division secure from future floods.	Nos. 5—7.
	No. 977—2681, dated 29th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto. Change of site suggested.	In continuation of letter No. 817, dated the 13th October 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding, with its enclosures, for the consideration of Government, and suggests that the present site at Leiah be abandoned and new Katcheries built on the upland near the town.	
1754	No. 135, dated 23rd December 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Antimony mines.	Forwards for the Chief Commissioner's information, a copy of a report received from Major Hay, Assistant Commissioner, Kulu, on the antimony mines discovered by him in the Shigree mountains. Observes that Major Hay deserves credit for his energetic and zealous exertions and recommends that he be allowed to submit a contingent bill for the actual sum he may have expended in attempting to develope the resources of the Kulu Provinces.	Nos. 53 4.
	No. 985—2701, dated 31st December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto.	Forwards a copy of the preceding and its enclosures, for the consideration and orders of Government. Remarks on the creditable exertions of Major Hay and supports the Commissioner's recommendation that he be allowed to submit a contingent bill for the actual sum he may have expended.	
1755	No. 359, dated 23rd December 1856 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Consecration of Anarkali's tomb.	Solicits sanction to the consecration of the building used as a church at Anarkali by the Lord Bishop of Madras on his approaching visitation.	Nos. 67—71.
	No. 8, dated 3rd January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction.	

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1755—*concld.*	No. 357, dated 22nd December 1856 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Consecration of Ambala church.	Solicits sanction to the consecration of the Ambala church by the Lord Bishop of Madras.	Progs. for the week *ending* 3rd January 1857— Nos. 67—72.
	No. 9, dated 3rd January 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that His Lordship has been already requested to consecrate all the churches and cemeteries within the jurisdiction of the Punjab administration.	
1756	No. 16, dated 5th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of Audit offices from Agra to Lahore. Mr. W. Raynor appointed Civil Auditor.	Referring to the telegraphic message of the 3rd January 1857, informs the Judicial Commissioner that Mr. Raynor, the Superintendent of his office, has been nominated to fill the appointment of Civil Auditor in the Punjab, and states that a copy of the instructions to be furnished to that gentleman will be forwarded to him in due course. Also requests that arrangements may be made for relieving Mr. Raynor of his present duties to enable him to proceed to Agra.	Progs. for the week ending 10th January 1857— No. 7.
1757	No. 27, dated 6th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Accountant, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto.	Forwards a copy of a telegraphic despatch sent to him on the 3rd January 1857, intimating the receipt of orders from Government directing that officers may be sent from the Punjab to organize the offices of Audit and Account at Agra, and the nomination accordingly of Messrs. Raynor and Christie, respectively, to the offices of Audit and Account for the Punjab.	Nos. 27-8.
	No. 28, dated 6th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copy of a telegraphic message sent to him on the 3rd January 1857, intimating that Mr. Raynor will be appointed Civil Auditor and must proceed to Agra on arrival at Lahore of Mr. Christie.	
1758	No. 18—30, dated 6th January 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Punjab Commission.	In compliance with letter No 4759, dated the 16th September 1856, forwards the following returns, showing the present state of the Punjab Commission :— (*i*) Statement of entire cost of the Commission as authorized by the Hon'ble Court. (*ii*) Statement of the names, designations and salaries of all officers holding substantive appointments in the Commission on the 1st January 1857. (*iii*) Comparative statement.	Nos. 31-2,
1759	No. 1633, dated 20th December 1856. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab,	Statements of covenanted civil servants in the Punjab	Asks for statements of covenanted civil servants in the Punjab as prescribed in Mr. Under-Secretary Young's letter No. 521, dated the 29th August 1851.	Nos. 34—45.

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1759 *concld.*	No. 32, dated 7th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.	Statements of covenanted civil servants in the Punjab.	In reply, forwards the statements in question, and observes that it has been recently ruled by Government that an equal portion of covenanted and military officers should fill the following appointments :— Commissioners ... ... 7 Deputy Commissioners ... 27 Assistant Commissioners ... 45	Progs for the week ending 10th January 1857— Nos. 34—45.
1760	No. 5850, dated 28th November 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Punjab offices of Account and Audit from Agra to Lahore.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 831, dated the 4th November 1856, forwards an extract from the proceedings of Government, dated the 21st November 1856, relative to the removal from Agra of the Punjab offices of Account and Audit, and requests that the information therein called for may be furnished.	Nos. 46—54.
	No. 6231, dated 24th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 838, dated the 15th November 1855, submitting measures for carrying out the necessary details in the organization of offices of Audit and Account in the Punjab, forwards for Chief Commissioner's information and guidance, an extract from the proceedings of Government in the Financial Department, directing postponement of the separation of the offices to the 1st May 1857, and the selection from the Punjab of officers for appointment as Civil Auditor and Accountant.	
	No. 33, dated 7th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—J. Christie, Esq.	Ditto	Intimates his appointment as Accountant for the Punjab, subject to the approval of Government. Communicates instructions for his guidance in the organization of his office, and states that the Chief Commissioner considers that the cost of the establishment should not exceed Rs. 2,434 per mensem.	
	No. 35, dated 7th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—W. J. Raynor, Esq.	Ditto	Intimates his appointment as Civil Auditor for the Punjab on a salary of Rs. 700 per mensem, subject to the approval of Government. Conveys instructions for guidance in the organization of his office, and adds that the Chief Commissioner considers that the cost on account of establishment should not exceed Rs. 1,700 per mensem.	
	No. 36, dated 7th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
	No. 21—57, dated 7th January 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to letter No. 6231, dated the 24th December 1856, intimates that the Chief Commissioner has appointed Messrs. Christie and Raynor to the offices of Accountant and Civil Auditor, respectively, subject to the confirmation of Government, and submits a copy of the instructions issued to them for their guidance.	

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1761	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd December 1856 From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pushtu grammar.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1950, dated the 7th September 1854, forwards a memorandum of the cost of 150 copies of his Pushtu grammar (Rs. 606-8-0), and begs the favour of an early remittance.	Progs. for the week ending 10th January 1857—Nos. 64—6.
	No. 42, dated 9th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan.	Ditto	In reply, forwards a draft for Rs. 300 and states that the balance will be forwarded on the receipt of the publication in this office.	
1762	No. 27, dated 3rd January 1857 ... From—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Training of students in the Lawrence Asylum for employment in the Public Works Department.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 233, dated the 6th November 1856, regarding the supply of scientific instruments to the Lawrence Asylum for the training of the pupils of that institution for the P. W. D., forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, a price list of such as can be furnished by his department at an aggregate cost of Rs. 822-1-1.	Nos. 67-8.
	No. 43, dated 9th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Revd. J. W. Parker, Principal, Lawrence Asylum.	Ditto	With reference to letter No. 2975, without date, forwards a copy of the preceding and its enclosure, for his information, and requests he will state whether the instruments detailed are those he requires, and whether they will suffice to enable him to form a class for training youths for subordinate appointments in the Public Works Department.	
1763	No. 6244, dated 26th December 1856. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Articles sent to the Paris Exhibition.	With advertence to letter No. 4690, dated the 12th September 1856, and previous correspondence, regarding articles sent to the Paris Exhibition, forwards, for Chief Commissioner's information and guidance, an extract from the proceedings of Government in the Home Department, with copies of the despatch and its enclosures from the Hon'ble Court of Directors therein referred to, and requests that the necessary steps may be taken for paying over to the parties in question the amount realized on account of their goods.	Nos. 69—75.
	No. 44, dated 9th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards copies of two sale accounts of manufactures contributed by the firms of Messrs. Davi Sahai and Chamba Mal and Lal Chand of Amritsar to the late Paris Exhibition, amounting, respectively, to Rs. 2,005-1-0 and Rs. 4,490. Directs payment to the parties in question of the sums realized. Requests that Davi Sahai and Chamba Mal may be informed that an application has been made by Government for the early return of their property remaining unsold, and adds that the goods belonging to Lal Chand which have not been disposed of were made over to Messrs. D'Alsane Freres of Paris, as originally desired.	

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1763 *concld.*	No. 45, dated 9th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Articles sent to the Paris Exhibition.	Forwards sale accounts of shawl manufactures and invoices of goods remaining unsold as noted below contributed by the parties named to the late Paris Exhibition. Directs payment to them of the sums realized and requests that they may be informed that application has been made by Government for the return of the property remaining undisposed of. SALE ACCOUNTS. *Ludhiana.* (1) Polo Mal, Sarup Bhan. ... Rs. 9,371 A. 0 P. 0 (2) Chooa Mal-Kundan Mal ... 3,309 0 0 (3) Nur Muhammad 858 0 0 (4) Kashi Ram Munsha Ram ... 4,178 0 0 (5) Soobhan Vaen ... 220 8 0 (6) Khan Muhammad 24 0 0 INVOICES. *Ludhiana.* (1) Nur Mahammad... Rs. 4,031 A. 0 P. 0 (2) Mr. Dubignon ... 1,300 0 0 (3) Soobhan Vaen ... 434 0 0 (4) Khan Muhammad 1,446 0 0 (5) Hara Mal ... 74 15 6	Progs. for the week ending 10th January 1857— Nos. 69—75.
	No. 46, dated 9th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards sale accounts of manufactures and invoices of goods remaining unsold as shown below contributed by the parties named to the late Paris Exhibition. Directs payment to them of the sums realized and requests that they may be informed that application has been made by Government for the return of the property remaining undisposed of. SALE ACCOUNTS. *Multan.* (1) Kirpa Ram ... Rs. 165 (2) Dunya Malik ... 8 (3) Suka Nand ... 158 INVOICES. *Multan.* (1) Suka Nand ... Rs. 191 A. 4 P. 0 (2) Budhu Malik and Amee Das ... 574 2 0 (3) Dunya Malik ... 62 0 0	
1764	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd December 1856 From—Revd. G. G. Cuthbert, Domestic Chaplain to the Bishop of Madras. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Consecration of churches.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2628, dated the 8th December 1856, states that the Lord Bishop of Madras will be happy to comply with the Chief Commissioner's request to consecrate all churches and cemeteries within the limits of the Punjab Administration. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 78.

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1765	No. 140, dated 30th December 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Public libraries.	In reply to Circular No. 58, dated the 22nd December 1856, states that no public libraries have yet been established in the Multan Division. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 10th January 1857— No. 87.
1766	No. 178, dated 31st December 1856 From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Circular No. 58, dated the 22nd December 1856, states that no public libraries have been established in the Leiah Division. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 88.
1767	No. 565, dated 24th December 1856 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Government *versus* Mr. Cope, regarding detention of jewels intended for the Paris Exhibition.	In continuation of letter No. 426, dated the 20th September 1856, and with reference to Chief Commissioner's office letter No. 2045, dated the 1st October 1856, reports the decision of the Court in the case of Government *versus* Mr. Cope, regarding detention by the latter of jewels belonging to Harjas Rai. Remarks that there is valid ground for appeal from the decision. Returns the Government letter forwarded to him with letter No. 1987, dated the 23rd September 1856, and states that its original enclosures will be returned with a separate report.	Progs. for the week ending 17th January 1857— Nos. 15-16.
	No. 55, dated 12th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that, if Harjas Rai is satisfied with the amount of damages awarded by the Court, the Chief Commissioner sees no necessity for appeal, otherwise that course should be adopted. Calls for a statement in English of the grounds of the decision as Government require the information.	
1768	No. 6, dated 2nd January 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, enclosing original receipts of Musseer Manjee Pestonjee, for the amount of loan contracted with him in July 1856.	Nos. 25—7.
	No. 38—60, dated 12th January 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to previous correspondence forwards a copy of Lieutenant Raverty's letter and the original receipts.	
	No. 61, dated 12th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for his information.	
1769	No. 8, dated 7th January 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cholera epidemic at Gujranwala.	In continuation of letter No. 1, dated the 3rd January 1857, forwards, in original, a further communication on the late epidemic of cholera at Gujranwala.	Nos. 63-4.
	No. 81-A, dated 15th January 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns original papers, and conveys the Chief Commissioner's thanks to Lieutenant Tighe and Sub-Assistant Surgeon Pandit Bukhshi Ram for their management during the epidemic.	

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1770	No. *Nil* dated 7th January 1857 From—Mr. M. Ter Arratoon, Timber Merchant. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to timber lying in Maharaja Golab Singh's territories.	Requests that a court of enquiry may be convened for the purpose of deciding on his claims to timber lying between Padur and Riesy in Maharaja Golab Singh's territories.	Progs. for the week ending 17th January 1857— Nos. 76-7.
	No. 87, dated 16th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—Mr. M. Ter Arratoon, Timber Merchant.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner cannot comply with his request, as he considers Lieutenant Heath fully competent to decide all questions which may arise regarding the timber, and adds that Lieutenant Heath's decision will be subject to the approval of the Chief Commissioner. Whatever, therefore, Mr. Arratoon may have to urge should be stated to that officer, either in person or by Vakil, and not by letter.	
1771	No. 568, dated 29th December 1856 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	City school at Ambala.	Forwards a copy of correspondence with the Director of Public Instruction, relative to the refusal of the Revd. Mr. Orbison to draw the grant-in-aid sanctioned to the city school at Ambala. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 94.
1772	No. 5, dated 7th January 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cholera epidemic in Gugera.	Adverting to Circular No. 46, dated the 6th October 1856, transmits a report from the Sub-Assistant Surgeon at Gugera on the late epidemic of cholera at Gugera, and adds that no cases occurred at Multan and Jhang. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 98-9.
1773	No. 5944, dated 3rd December 1856 From—The Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Position and claims of Roman Catholics in India.	As requested in letter No. 868, dated the 19th November 1856, forwards a copy of Government Resolution regarding the position and claims of Roman Catholics in India.	Nos. 107-08.
1774	No. *Nil*, dated 4th January 1857 ... From—Major Voughan, Commanding 5th Punjab Infantry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pashtu grammar.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letters Nos. 2229 and 3, dated the 23rd October 1856, and 2nd January 1857, respectively, states that the actual expenditure incurred by him in bringing to completion his Pashtu grammar was Rs. 520, exclusive of printing charges.	Progs. for the week ending 24th January 1857— Nos. 4-5.
	No. 93—58, dated 19th January 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 5123, dated the 9th October 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding letter.	
1775	No. 1, dated 2nd January 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reduction or abolition of duties levied on articles passing through the Bahawalpur territory.	States that he has been informed that the tools formerly levied on merchandise in transit through Bahawalpur territory have been either reduced or abolished. Requests to know whether the information is authentic, in order that he may notify it to the traders of the Jullundur Doab.	Nos. 6-7.
	No. 94, dated 19th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the Chief Commissioner's vernacular Proceedings, dated the 21st January 1856, containing the information required; and intimates that it was published in the *Koh-i-Nur* at Lahore, with a view to publicity being given to the reduction of the duties.	

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1776	No. 6335, dated 31st December 1856 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed establishment of a Leper Asylum at Kangra.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 882, dated the 26th November 1856, conveys sanction to a donation of Rs. 500 and of a monthly expenditure of Rs. 44 for the establishment of a Leper Asylum proposed to be established at Kangra.	Progs. for the week ending 24th January 1857—Nos. 8-9.
	No. 94-4, dated 19th January 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 162, dated the 14th November 1856, forwards, for his information, copies of the preceding and of the letter to which it is a reply.	
1777	No. 32, dated 8th January 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Forest conservancy.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 999, dated the 9th June 1855, and subsequent letters, forwards copies of letters from the District officers within his Division, reporting on the subject of Forest conservancy. States that in Peshawar there are no forests or tracts of jungle to preserve. Annexes a copy of the rules issued by him to be in force in the Hazara and Kohat Districts, with the establishment authorized, and adds that the expenditure in the Hazara District will not be covered by the income, but the proceeds from Kohat will cover the expenses of both, so that Government will not be a loser by undertaking the above arrangement.	Nos. 10—15.
	No. 95, dated 19th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the Chief Commissioner's approval and sanction of the rules, but adds that he is of opinion that the forests in Hazara should at least be made to pay their own expenses, and, with this view, all people, who are not village proprietors or cultivators, cutting timber should pay the prescribed tax. Requests that this suggestion may be carried out.	
1778	No. 75, dated 15th January 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Price of grass	In reply to circular No. 34, dated the 21st July 1856, states that grass can be purchased at about two annas a day per horse all the year round, at Peshawar, Haraza and Kohat. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 43.
1779	No. 1, dated 3rd January 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cholera epidemic in Lahore.	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's perusal, a letter (with original enclosures) from the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, enclosing a report from Dr. Smith, Civil Surgeon, Lahore, on the late cholera epidemic that prevailed during the months of August and September 1856. Remarks that the report appears to be a most valuable one and cannot fail to be perused with great interest. Records his sense of the services rendered by the several local authorities.	Nos. 47—49.

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1779 *concld.*	No. 111, dated 21st January 1857 . From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Cholera epidemic in Lohore.	Returns original enclosures, and conveys the Chief Commissioner's thanks to Dr. Smith for his valuable report and his able and excellent services rendered during the late epidemic. Records also the Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments of the exertions of the local officers.	Progs. for the week ending 24th January 1857—Nos 47--49.
	No. 112, dated 21st January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major-General Gowan, C. B., Commanding, Lahore Division.	Ditto	With advertence to the above, conveys the Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments for the readiness with which the Major-General complied with the requisition of the local authorities for tents at a time when the immediate removal of prisoners was deemed advisable.	
1780	No. 201, dated 8th December 1856... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Extension of *Chungi* to Anarkali and its suburbs.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2386, dated the 12th November 1855, forwards a copy of a letter No. 981, dated the 3rd December 1856, from the Deputy Commissioner, Lahore, explaining the circumstances under which the *Chungi* was extended to Anarkali and its suburbs.	Nos. 66—68.
	No. 119, dated 22nd January 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner was not aware that it was intended to extend the *Chungi* to Anarkali, and requests to be informed how the measure has been found to answer.	
1781	No. 79, dated 9th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Captain Pengree's appointment as a Municipal Commissioner of Simla.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No 923, dated the 8th December 1856, sanctions Captain Pengree's appointment to fill a vacancy among the Municipal Commissioners of Simla.	Nos. 81—83.
	No. 123, dated 24th January 1857.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To The Superintendent, Hill States.	Ditto	With reference to his docket No. 842, dated the 29th November 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	
	No. 124, dated 24th January 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for his information.	
1782	No. 1, dated 3rd January 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2569, dated the 8th December 1856, reports that the District Officers and Civil Surgeons of his division attribute the failure of vaccine operations to the bad quality of the virus received from Simla.	Nos. 87—9.
	No. 823, dated 20th November 1856 From—The Superintendent, Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No 2272, dated the 30th October 1856, and communicates his opinion regarding the cause of the deterioration noticed in the quality of the virus supplied from Simla. Annexes, for information, a copy of correspondence between himself and the Government of India, on the subject of extending vaccination throughout the Himalayas.	

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1782 *concld.*	No. 68—126, dated 24th January 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	Vaccine operations. Failure due to inferior lymph. Appointment of a committee of enquiry suggested.	Forwards copies of the two preceding entries and previous correspondence on the subject of the failure of vaccine operations in the Punjab, owing to the inferior quality of the virus supplied from Simla. States that these failures are calculated to shake the faith of the Natives in the advantages of vaccination, and it is of the highest importance to the public that the cause which has led to the deterioration of the virus should be elicited. With this view, recommends that a special committee be formed to enquire into the matter, and suggests that the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States be nominated President.	Progs. for the week ending 24th January 1857— Nos 87—9.
1783	No. 140, dated 9th January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Consecration of churches.	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, a copy of a letter addressed to the Archdeacon of Calcutta, granting permission to the Bishop of Madras to consecrate the churches at Jhelum, Murree and Kasauli. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 31st January 1857— Nos. 47-8.
1784	No. 24, dated 12th January 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Government *versus* Mr. Cope regarding detention of jewels intended for the Paris exhibition.	In continuation of letter No. 565, dated the 24th December 1856, forwards, with his remarks, copies of the award in English given in by the assessors and of the decision recorded by the presiding officer, in the case of Government *versus* Mr. Cope, claim for damages amounting to Rs. 2,000 on account of the detention of jewels belonging to Harjas Rai.	Nos. 57—60.
	No. 155, dated 29th January 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the fact of Harjas Rai being satisfied or otherwise with the decision of the Court awarding only Rs. 1,064-4-6, instead of Rs. 2,000, has not been definitely ascertained. Requests that this may be done at once, to enable the Chief Commissioner to report the case to Government.	
1785	No. 15, dated 8th January 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Schedule of establishments in the Educational Department.	Adverting to letter No. 2524, dated the 1st December 1856, forwards, with his opinion and remarks, copies of correspondence with the Director of Public Instruction, forwarding schedules of establishment as it exists at present, and those proposed to be organized by the close of the current official year.	Nos. 63—7.
	No. 78—157, dated 29th January 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 5723, dated the 14th November 1856, forwards copies of the preceding and of its accompaniments, and states that the Chief Commissioner concurs in the views and proposed plans of Mr. McLeod and Mr. Arnold.	

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1786	No. *Nil*, dated 12th January 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Museum of Economical Geology for India.	Forwards 25 printed copies of a prospectus regarding the "Museum of Economical Geology for India," soliciting aid in the promotion of its object, and prescribing rules for the admission of the public.	Progs. for the week ending 31st January 1857— Nos. 76-7.
	No. 162, dated 30th January 1857...	...	MEMO.—Distribution of the preceding ordered.	
1787	No. 65, dated 12th January 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant-Colonel Nicholson appointed Officiating Commissioner of Peshawar.	Applies for two months' leave of absence on urgent private affairs from such date as he may avail himself thereof.	Nos. 82—4.
	No. 167, dated 30th January 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the leave, and intimates that Lieutenant-Colonel Nicholson will officiate as Commissioner of the Peshawar Division and Lieutenant Urmston as Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar.	
	No. 82—168, dated 30th January 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Reports the above grant of leave, and the arrangements ordered in consequence.	
1788	No. 16, dated 20th January 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cholera epidemic in Amritsar.	In continuation of letter No. 326, dated the 27th November 1856, forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, a copy of a further communication showing the extent of mortality in the city of Amritsar during the prevalence thereof the late epidemic cholera. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 87-8.
1789	No. 12, dated 17th January 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cholera epidemic in Ambala, Thanesar and Ferozepore.	With reference to Circular No. 46, dated the 6th October 1856, forwards copies of reports on the prevalence of epidemic cholera, from the Deputy Commissioners and Civil Surgeons of Ambala, Thanesar and Ferozepore, and explains the difficulty of ascertaining the exact amount of ravages done by the disease. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 89—92.
1790	No. 3264, dated 21st January 1857 From—The Principal and Secretary, Lawrence Asylum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Training of students in Lawrence Asylum for employment in the Public Works Department.	Replies to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 43, dated the 9th January 1857, enclosing a list of instruments that can be supplied by the Engineering Department to the Asylum and intimates that they will be sufficient, and adds that if there are any particular books in which candidates for employment in the Punjab Department of Public Works are likely to be examined, he may be furnished with a list, in order that they may be used in the class.	Progs. for the week ending 7th February 1857— Nos. 6—8.

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1790 *concld.*	No. 173, dated 2nd February 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Training of students in Lawrence Asylum for employment in the Public Works Department.	With reference to his letter No. 27, dated the 3rd January 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding and directs that the articles mentioned in the list may be furnished to Mr. Parker as soon as possible, together with the information required by him regarding the text books of the department.	Progs. for the week ending 7th February 1857—Nos. 6—8.
	No. 87—174, dated 2nd February 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 5124, dated the 9th October 1856, relative to the establishment of a class at the Lawrence Asylum for training pupils for subordinate appointments in the Department of Public Works encloses a list of instruments that are to be supplied by the Chief Engineer to Mr. Parker and by whom they are considered sufficient for the purpose of instruction in surveying and levelling. Adds that the school room for the Department is nearly ready for occupation, and that several suitable lads have been already appointed to the class.	
1791	Circular No. (4, No. 193) dated 4th February 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— (1) All Commissioners. (2) Chief Engineer. (3) Director of Canals. (4) Judicial Commissioner. (5) Financial Commissioner. (6) Brigadier Chamberlain.	Official correspondence to be legibly written in good ink.	Requests that they will instruct their subordinates and be careful themselves that all public documents are written in a large and plain hand writing and with good black ink. States that the public service is much impeded and great personal inconvenience caused by a neglect of these precautions.	No. 46.
1792	No. 280, dated 21st January 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea plantations at Holta.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 954, dated the 22nd December 1856, states that, in the opinion of the Governor-General in Council, sufficient reasons have been assigned by the Chief Commissioner for not abandoning the tea plantations at Holta, and adds that any well considered application for erecting the additional buildings recommended by Mr. Fortune will be favourably considered.	Nos. 76-7.
	No. 206, dated 7th February 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, for perusal and return, the preceding letter and the previous correspondence on the subject.	
1793	No. 6, dated 2nd January 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of universities at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.	Draws attention to the Government resolution, in the Home Department, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th December 1856, regarding the establishment of universities at the three Presidency towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.	Nos. 82—4.
	Nos. 209 and 210, dated 7th February 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, and Director of Public Instruction, Punjab.	Ditto	Draws attention to the Government resolution referred to in the preceding.	

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1794	No. 34, dated 16th January 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Maharaja Dalip Singh's donation to the schools at Amritsar.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2205, dated the 20th October 1856, enclosing an order for Rs. 1,000 on account of the schools at Amritsar being a birthday donation from His Highness Maharaja Dalip Singh for 1856, and encloses copies of letters from the Director of Public Instruction, showing the manner in which the former contributions have been expended.	Progs. for the week ending 14th February 1857—Nos. 1—3.
	No. 212, dated 9th February 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Sir J. L. Login.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 2204, dated the 21st October 1856, explains, for the information of Maharaja Dalip Singh, how the amount of his donation has been distributed.	
1795	No. 321, dated 23rd January 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Discovery of coal at Shahpur.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 955, dated the 22nd December 1856, requests that portion of the coal discovered at Shahpur may be sent to Professor Oldham for examination.	Nos. 11-12.
	No. 218, dated 9th February 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Shahpur.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests his sending to this office for transmission to Professor Oldham, a portion of the coal discovered at Shahpur, accompanied by any descriptive memoranda which he may have in his office connected with the locality in which the coal was discovered.	
1796	No. 371, dated 23rd January 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Raverty's Account of the Mountain Districts forming the west boundary of the Lower Derajat.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Raverty and requests that he may be informed that his "Account of the Mountain Districts forming the Western boundary of Lower Derajat" has been received and that a copy will be sent to the Asiatic Society.	Nos. 16—18.
	No. 221, dated 10th February 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Raverty, Multan.	Ditto	With advertence to his letter dated the 25th October 1856, to the address of the Secretary to the Government of India, forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information.	
1797	No. 427, dated 28th January 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Antimony mines on the Shigre Mountains.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 985, dated the 31st December 1856, declines to sanction the working of the antimony mines discovered by Major Hay, on the Shigre Mountains, as not likely to be attended with any material advantage. Conveys the Governor-General in Council's acknowledgments of Major Hay's exertions and authorizes that officer to submit a contingent bill for the *bonâ fide* expenses incurred by him in his researches.	Nos. 32-3.

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1797—*concld.*	No. 227, dated 10th February 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Antimony mines on the Shigre Mountains.	With reference to his letter No. 185—2816, dated the 15th December 1856, forwards, for his information, copies of the preceding and of the letter to which it is a reply.	Progs. for the week ending 14th February 1857—Nos. 32-3.
1798	No. 40, dated 9th February 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	General Court's claim to compensation.	Forwards, in original, correspondence from the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, with enclosures, regarding General Court's claim to compensation for a house built by him in the environs of Lahore, on land granted to him by Maharaja Ranjit Singh.	Progs. for the week ending 21st February 1857—Nos. 20-21.
	Nos. 128—274, dated 16th February 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 493, dated the 3rd July 1855, solicits the orders of Government on the proposal submitted by the Chief Commissioner in the case noted in the preceding.	
1799	No. 54, dated 2nd February 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Recommendation for appointment of Mr. Arnold, Director of Public Instruction, as a member of the Senate of Calcutta University.	Recommends that Mr. Arnold, Director of Public Instruction, be appointed a member of the Senate of the University at Calcutta, similarly with the officer holding a corresponding post in the North-Western Provinces.	Nos. 32-3.
	No. 130—282, dated 18th February 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, with Chief Commissioner's recommendation.	
1800	No. 460, dated 30th January 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Standard plans of public buildings.	Requests to be supplied with copies of plans of each kind of public buildings adopted in the Punjab, together with a detailed estimate of the cost of each.	Nos. 47-8.
	No. 132—294, dated 18th February 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply forwards copies of the standard plans required and adds that plans of central and 1st class jails are not immediately available, but can be prepared if desired.	

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1801	No. 74, dated 10th February 1857... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Detention by Mr. Cope of jewels intended for the Paris exhibition.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letters Nos. 55 and 155, dated, respectively, the 12th and 28th January 1857, explains that, agreeably to paragraph 3 of Government letter No. 1795, dated the 28th March 1856, he calculated and paid to Harjas Rai, Rs. 2,000, as interest at the rate of 8 per cent., upon the value of the jewels for the period they were detained by Mr. Cope; after which he instituted a suit in the Civil Court for its recovery. He understood from the letter above quoted that Government intended to take upon itself the payment of Harjas Rai's claims on what it considered equitable terms, independently of what it might be able to recover from Mr. Cope. The amount awarded by the Court is only Rs. 1,064-4-6, and if Harjas Rai is declared to be entitled only to what the Court may decree, he must be asked to refund Rs. 935-11-6 of the sum already received by him. In Financial Commissioner's opinion, the grounds on which the Lahore Court has reduced the amount of damages are untenable, and he has accordingly directed the Government Vakil to institute an appeal against this order in the Commissioner's court.	Progs. for the week ending 21st February 1857—Nos. 60-6.
	No. 295, dated 19th February 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner did not understand from the Government orders that Harjas Rai was to receive what might be considered just, irrespective of the decision of the Civil Court, but as the Financial Commissioner has construed the orders otherwise and paid a given sum to that individual, it will now be out of the question to call on him for a refund, and Government will, no doubt, bear the loss of the difference between the sum paid and the amount finally awarded. Requests that an appeal may be instituted against the decision of the Lahore Court, and the result reported to this office.	
1802	No. *Nil*, dated 8th February 1857 From—The Superintendent, Tea Plantation, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Chinese tea makers.	Forwards pay abstract of Chinese tea makers employed in the Government factories in the North-Western Provinces, and the Punjab, for January 1857.	Progs. for the week ending 28th February 1857—Nos. 11-12.
	No. 316, dated 23rd February 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Tea Plantation, Punjab.	Ditto	Asks for a copy of Government letter dated the 29th April 1856, quoted in the pay abstract.	
1803	No. 633, dated 11th February 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Messrs. Christie and Raynor as Accountant and Civil Auditor of the Punjab, respectively.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 21, dated the 7th January 1857, conveys sanction to the nomination of Messrs. Christie and Raynor to the appointments, respectively, of Accountant and Civil Auditor of the Punjab, on a salary of Rs. 700 per mensem each.	Nos. 17—19.
	No. 318-19, dated 24th February 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Christie and Raynor.	Ditto	In continuation of letters Nos. 32 and 35, dated the 7th January 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding for their information.	

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1804	No. 689, dated 13th February 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Captain Vaughan's Pushtu Grammar.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 53, dated the 19th January 1857, conveys sanction to the payment to Major Vaughan of Rs. 520, being amount of actual expenses incurred by him (exclusive of printing charges) in bringing his Pushtu Grammar to a completion and also of a donation of Rs. 500, for the labour and time devoted to the work by that officer.	Progs. for the week ending 28th February 1857— Nos. 29-30.
	No. 326, dated 27th February 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—Major Vaughan, Commandant 5th Punjab Infantry.	Ditto	With reference to his letter, dated the 6th January 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding; and requests that he will submit a bill for the amount to the Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	
1805	No. 84, dated 14th February 1857... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea cultivation	Returns correspondence regarding tea cultivation, received with Chief Commissioner's letter No. 206, dated the 7th February 1857. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 40.
1806	No. 30, dated 14th January 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Staff for the Central College at Lahore.	Forwards, with his recommendation, a copy of a letter from the Director of of Public Instruction on the subject of procuring a Principal and a Professor of Natural Philosophy from England for the Central College at Lahore. Mr. Arnold is in hopes of securing the services of a Professor of Mathematics in India.	Progs. for the week ending 8th March 1857— Nos. 7-9.
	No. 343, dated 2nd March 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that it seems to the Chief Commissioner premature to commence the organization of machinery for a College, as the state of education in the country creates no present demand He would prefer to see the scheme suspended for at least 2 or 3 years. The Chief Commissioner, would, at any rate, delay referring the matter for the consideration of Government, until he could lay before them the report and schedules of the matured arrangements called for in Mr. Temple's letter No. 1283, dated the 10th June 185[illegible].	
1807	No. 90, dated 20th February 1857... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Female schools.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, reporting the establishment of female schools in the 1st and 2nd Circles, Punjab. Conveys remarks and hopes that the measures provisionally adopted by the Director and Inspectors will be approved of by the Chief Commissioner.	Nos. 23-5.
	No. 353, dated 3rd March 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner highly approves of the measure, and conveys sanction to the arrangements provisionally made.	

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1808	No. 61, dated 23rd February 1857.. From—The Inspector of Dispensaries, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New Dispensary at Simla.	Submits, for the orders of the Chief Commissioner in original, an application (with sketch) from the Deputy Commissioner, Simla, for an additional grant of Rs 2,000 towards the erection of the new dispensary at Simla. Observes that, in his opinion, the sketch proposed by Dr. Peskett is not so suitable or adapted to the habits and wants of natives as the plan of separate apartments with small courtyards, distinct from each other. Adds that Government has sanctioned Rs 1,000 for the site and Rs. 500 for the repairs of the old dispensary which have not been appropriated for that purpose, and the present application is for the sum in addition to the above.	Progs. for the week ending 7th March 1857— Nos. 4-8.
	No. 358, dated 3rd March 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Dispensaries, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns original correspondence and sketch and conveys the Chief Commissioner's remarks on the unnecessarily large and expensive plan of the scheme. Gives directions as to the amount of accommodation the new building should afford, so designed as to admit of ready enlargement hereafter, if necessary, that whatever plans and estimates are prepared they should be submitted for the scrutiny and approval of the Chief Engineer. On submission of the revised plan and estimate, the Chief Commissioner will recommend to Government that one-half of the expenditure be borne by the State, provided that the balance be supplied by private contribution.	
	No. 359, dated 4th March 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of Hill States.	Ditto	Refers to his letter No. 48, dated the 30th January 1857, to the address of the Inspector of Dispensaries, and requests that, in future, copies of any correspondence which may be forwarded be supplied, as they are necessary for record.	
1809	No. 96, dated 23rd February 1857.. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed appointment of the Director of Public Instruction as a member of the Senate of the Calcutta University.	In continuation of letter No. 54, dated the 2nd February 1857, forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction in the Punjab, expressing his thanks for having been recommended for appointment as a member of the Senate of the University of Calcutta. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 53.
1810	No. 765, dated 18th February 1857 From—The Director of Public Instructions, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	University at Calcutta.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 210, dated the 7th February 1857, states that he has duly noted the Government resolution, regarding the University at Calcutta, and that he is in communication with the Registrar on the subject. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 56.

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1811	No. 67, dated 17th February 1857 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Shahpur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Coal found at Kundal in the Salt Range	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 218, dated the 9th February 1857, intimates despatch of four maunds of coal found at Kundal in the Salt Range, and refers to his predecessor's communication containing particulars with regard to the locality, &c.	Progs., for the week ending 7th March 185[illegible]— Nos. 62-3.
	No. 363, dated 5th March 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—T Oldham, Esq., Superintendent, Geological Survey, Calcutta.	Ditto	Under instructions from the Supreme Government, forwards, for examination, the coal received with the preceding.	
1812	No. 21, dated 23th February 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to make Rawalpindi the headquarter s of the Jhelum Division.	Forwards a sketch map of the Jhelum Division, with his remarks on the advantages of making Rawalpindi the headquarters instead of Jhelum, and requests that, if the Chief Commissioner is of the same opinion, the sanction of Government may be obtained for making the former the permanent headquarters of the Jhelum Division.	Nos. 68—70.
	No. 179—365, dated 6th March 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, with sketch map in original, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation that Rawalpindi be made the headquarters of the Jhelum Division.	
1813	No. 831, dated 20th February 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Encouragement of private schools.	Forwards an extract from a Government Resolution, remarking that at the rate at which the charges of the Educational Department are increasing, no private individual can hope to compete with the public authorities, and that some check should be put upon its expenses Draws attention to the important principle explained in the Resolution.	Nos. 71—3.
	No. 366, dated 6th March 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and its enclosure and points out that care should be taken that the expenses of the department do not exceed the limit authorized by Government.	
1814	No. 61, dated 6th February 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Moravian Missionaries at Lahoul.	With reference to this office letter No. 709, dated the 3rd April 1856, forwards a copy of a letter from Messrs. Pagree and Hezde, Moravian Missionaries, who have settled at Lahoul in the Kangra district, relative to their present circumstances and future intentions. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 14th March 1857— Nos. 26-7.
1815	No. 32, dated 18th February 1857... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of towns and tahsils in the Ferozepore and Ludhiana districts.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 211, dated the 7th February 1857, states that he has no opposition to offer to the modifications proposed in the establishment for the Ludhiana district, and submits a revised statement.	Nos. 39—41.

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1815 *concld.*	No. 193—389, dated 11th March 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Revision of towns and tahsils in the Ferozepore and Ludhiana Districts. Bhudour estate.	Submits for orders, copies of previous correspondence and of the preceding, regarding certain alterations proposed to be effected in the establishment of the Ferozepore and Ludhiana districts, to provide for the police and fiscal management of the villages comprising the Bhudour estate. Solicits sanction to a net increase of Rs. 103 per mensem caused by the new arrangements.	Progs. for the week ending 14th March 1857— Nos. 39—41.
1816	No. 956, dated 27th February 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Deterioration of vaccine virus. Committee of Enquiry.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 68, dated the 24th January 1857, conveys sanction to the appointment of a special Committee, of which the officiating Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, is to be President, to enquire into the cause of the deterioration of vaccine virus in the hills.	Nos. 56—9.
	No. 397, dated 13th March 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and other correspondence on the subject, and requests that he will arrange with the Superintending Surgeon for the early assembly of the Committee. Expresses the Chief Commissioner's hope that he will be able to carry out the investigation before delivering charge of the division to Mr. Barnes, but if this is not practicable, Sir John Lawrence would wish him to remain and complete the enquiry, an arrangement to which the sanction of Government will be solicited.	
	No. 398, dated 13th March 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Ambala.	Ditto	Forwards copies of a letter No. 68, dated the 24th January 1857, to Government, and its reply, and requests him to nominate two Medical Officers as members of the Committee and to arrange with Mr. Campbell for its assembly.	
	No. 399, dated 13th March 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To The Superintendent, Hill States, Simla.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the Government letter, above and of the communication to which it is a reply, and states that the Chief Commissioner has requested the Superintending Surgeon, in communication with the officiating Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, to arrange for the assembly of the Committee.	
1817	No. 34, dated 7th March 1857 ... From—Major Vaughan, Commandant, 5th Punjab Infantry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pashtu grammar.	Acknowledges the receipt of Rs. 1,020 from the Chief Commissioner on account of his Pushtu grammar, and solicits that his thanks may be conveyed to the Government of India for the same.	Nos. 69-70.
	No. 198-404, dated 14th March 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 689, dated the 18th February 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding.	

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1818	No. 112, dated 4th March 1857 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mission school at Ambala.	In continuation of his letter No. 56 dated the 29th December 1856, forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's approval, a copy of correspondence relative to the grant of Rs. 400 made to the Revd. J. Orbison, Missionary to aid in purchasing a building in the Ambala Cantonment for the Mission school, payable from the sum held in deposit on account of the grant-in-aid given to the city school, but not drawn by Mr. Orbison.	Progs. for the week ending 14th March 1857- Nos. 77—9.
	No. 405, dated 14th March 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's approval.	
1819	No. 40, dated 3rd March 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cutting of timber on private estates at Simla.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter 2317, dated the 4th November 1856, submits, with his remarks and suggestions, copies of a letter and enclosure from the Deputy Commissioner, Simla, on the subject of cutting timber on private estates at Simla.	Nos. 77—80.
	No. 407, dated 14th March 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, requests that he will cause a copy of his letter to be communicated (through the Superintendent, Hill States) to the Municipal Committee, in order that a meeting may be called and the views of the house proprietors taken on the different points therein discussed. On receipt of this, with Commissioner's own opinion and that of the Superintendent, the Chief Commissioner will be in a position to decide what should be done.	
1820	No. 82, dated 9th March 1857 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of quinine out of *chungi* funds.	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's perusal, a copy of correspondence relative to the purchase of a large supply of quinine for the civil dispensary at Multan, to be paid from the *chungi* fund of that city. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 92-3
1821	Electric Telegram dated 15th March 1857. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Deterioration of vaccine virus.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's telegraphic message of 13th March 1857, intimates that Mr. Barnes had better take the place of Mr. Campbell as President of the Committee to enquire into the causes of deterioration of the vaccine virus at Simla, in the event of his rejoining his appointment before the close of the enquiry.	Progs. for the week ending 21st March 1857— Nos. 84-5.
	No. 444, dated 15th March 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	With reference to this office letter No. 397, dated the 13th March 1857, forwards a copy of the proceding for his information.	

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1822	No. 28, dated 12th March 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Suspension of Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, on charges of corruption.	Forwards, for the information and orders of the Chief Commissioner, a letter, in original, from Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan, bringing to notice the lengthened period of his suspension and requesting the favourable consideration of Government in his case.	Progs. for the week ending 21st March 1857— Nos. 71—3.
	No. 21—445, dated 20th March 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of Lieutenant Raverty's letter received with the preceding, and observes that that officer's case has now been under consideration for full seven months, and expresses the Chief Commissioner's earnest hope hat orders may be issued regarding it at an early date, in justice both to that officer and to the administration generally	
1823	No. 104, dated 9th March 1857 ... From—The Superintendent, Hill States, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Forest conservancy in the Hill States, 1856.	Submits his report on the Forest conservancy in the Hill States for 1856. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 88.
1824	No. 58, dated 17th March 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Kalasur forest in Ambala.	Forwards a copy of a report on the conservancy of hill forests, from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, for 1856, and states having taken charge of the Kalasur forest in the Ambala district, which he expects will, like the Simla forests, involve no expense. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 97
1825	No. 49, dated 11th March 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Simla station library.	In continuation of letter No. 33, dated the 18th February 1857, forwards a copy of a letter, with original enclosure, from the Deputy Commissioner, Simla, reporting on the establishment and condition of the station library.	Progs. for the week ending 28th March 1857— Nos. 14-15.
	No. 464, dated 23rd March 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, asks for the printed memo. alluded to by Lord W. Hay in his letter.	
1826	No. 1177, dated 14th March 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Deterioration of vaccine virus.	Forwards copies of telegraphic messages received and despatched, relative to Mr. Campbell being retained on the Committee to complete the enquiry on the cause of deterioration of vaccine virus, on Mr. Barnes rejoining his appointment. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 45.
1827	No. 132, dated 15th March 1857 ... From—The Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Chinese tea-maker in the Kangra valley.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 316, dated the 23rd February 1857, intimates that the bill alluded to was inadvertently sent, and encloses copies of Government orders regarding the tea establishment in the Kangra valley, with a list of Chinese employed in Government factories in the North-Western Provinces and Punjab. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 51-2.

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1828	No 1199, dated 16th March 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment for the Educational Department.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 78, dated the 29th January 1857, forwards a copy of a Government resolution, sanctioning for one year, from close of 1856-57, the proposed establishment for the Educational Department, at an annual cost of Rs. 1,56,720, and calls for a separate report on the other items of fixed expenditure ultimately contemplated, aggregating Rs. 72,048.	Progs. for the week ending 28th March 1857— Nos. 53—5
	No. 477, dated 25th March 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and its enclosure, and draws his particular attention to the last paragraph of the Government resolution.	
1829	No. 65, dated 25th March 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cutting of trees on private estates at Simla.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 407, dated the 14th March 1857, directing a meeting to be convened to discuss the right of cutting trees of private estates at Simla, enquires whether the meeting is to be a general one so as to include, with the proprietors, the visitors, renters and residents at Simla, and whether the Deputy Commissioner of Simla and himself should also attend.	Progs. for the week ending 4th April 1857— Nos. 21-2.
	No. 502, dated 30th March 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner intended that the meeting should consist of proprietors and not of renters and other residents. The Chief Commissioner will be glad if the Deputy Commissioner and Commissioner will attend the meeting, and whatever the parties interested may have to urge, either for or against the proposed measures, should be placed on record before a final decision is declared.	
1830	No. 153, dated 26th March 1857 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Expenditure on education.	Forwards, with his approval, a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, proposing that the expenses of the Educational Department should be continued as at present until the close of 1857-58, and that all establishment required from time to time may be provisionally authorized by the Chief Commissioner until the expiration of the above period.	Nos. 23—5
	No. 251—503, dated 30th March 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	orwards copies of the preceding, and its enclosure, and solicits sanction to the Chief Commissioner authorizing establishments in excess of those detailed in the schedule lately sanctioned by Government in a resolution received with letter No. 1199, dated the 16th March 1857 until the close of 1857-58, on the understanding that the total expenditure shall not exceed two lakhs per annum. Adds that the organization of a college at Lahore will form no part of the operations of the Department during the ensuing year.	

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1831	No. 70, dated 27th March 1857 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Station library at Simla.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 64, dated the 23rd March 1857, forwards a printed copy of the proceedings of a meeting held at Simla on the 4th May 1854, for the consideration of the establishment of a station library at that place.	Progs. for the week ending 4th April 1857— Nos. 39-40.
	No. 516, dated 31st March 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Replies, with reference to his letter No. 49, dated the 11th March 1857, that copies of all books printed by the local administration in the Punjab will be supplied to the station library at Simla, and that the supreme Government will be asked to accord a similar indulgence.	
1832	No. 68, dated 27th March 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations.	Submits a report on vaccine operations in his Division during January 1857.	Nos. 54—6.
	No. 69, dated 27th March 1857 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits a report on vaccine operations in his division during February 1857.	
	No. 517, dated 1st April 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, requests Commissioner to call upon the Superintendent, Hill States, to explain the reasons for the delay which has taken place in the submission of the return for his district, and to direct him to make arrangements for the punctual submission of the document in future.	
1833	No. 632, dated 23rd August 1856 . From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transit duties in Bahawalpur on Sind Camel train.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1206, dated the 30th May 1856, forwards copies of correspondence relative to the claim preferred by the Nawab of Bahawalpur to transit duty on camels belonging to the train which passed through his territory from November 1854 to 16th June 1855, and states that no duty was levied at the post offices in Sind, nor can the value of the goods be ascertained.	Nos. 57-57½.
	No 518, dated 1st April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply, states that His Highness has relinquished his claim to the arrears of transit duty in question.	
1834	No. 157, dated 28th March 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Moravian missionaries in Lahoul.	In continuation of letter No. 61, dated the 6th February 1857, forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, a copy of a letter from Major Hay, Assistant Commissioner, Kangra, giving further particulars regarding the establishment of Moravian missionaries in Lahoul. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 62-3.
1835	No. *Nil*, dated 26th March 1857 From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Civil Auditor's office from Agra to Lahore	Notifies the probable time of the removal of the Civil Auditor's office from Agra to Lahore, and requests that all covers likely to arrive at Agra after the 15th April 1857 may be directed to Lahore. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 64

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1836	No. 1313, dated 26th March 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	General Court's claim to compensation for loss of an estate in the suburbs of Lahore.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 128, dated the 16th February 1857, on the subject of General Court's claim to compensation for loss of an estate in the suburbs of Lahore, remarks that no reply has been received to his letter No. 2528, dated the 19th May 1856, and that the certificate which he expected from Raja Dina Nath has not yet been furnished. The Governor-General in Council, as at present advised, observes that there is no reason for conceding the request of that officer now, which did not exist before.	Progs. for the week ending 4th April 1857— Nos. 97-8.
	No. 536, dated 4th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 40, dated the 9th February 1857, returns original enclosures and annexes a copy of the preceding for his information.	
1837	No. 548, dated 7th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—G. Campbell, Esq.	Deterioration of vaccine virus.	Informs Mr. Campbell that Mr. Barnes has pointed out the benefit which would be derived from his furnishing to the special Vaccine Committee a memo. on the subject of their enquiries, drawn up from information acquired by him at Simla. Although the Chief Commissioner cannot, under the late orders of Government, request him to proceed to that place for the purpose on public duty, yet Sir John Lawrence will be obliged by his rendering this assistance to the Committee, if his own private affairs detain him for a short period at Simla.	Progs. for the week ending 11th April 1857— os. 14-15.
	No. 549, dated 7th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for his information.	
1838	No. 36, dated 19th January 1857... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to dispense with the services of M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2643, dated the 22nd December 1856, suggests the measures he would recommend with a view of systematizing and rendering effective the researches of M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor in the Punjab.	Nos. 19-20.
	No. 277—552, dated 7th April 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 6069, dated the 9th December 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding, and states that there is no sufficient or satisfactory mode of employing Mansieur Marcadieu any longer in the Punjab, and suggests that the services of that gentleman be dispensed with from a given date, and that three months' salary be granted him as a bonus, to enable him to return to Calcutta. Explains that all localities which were at all accessible have been examined and that the cost of this survey may be estimated at Rs. 10,000 per annum. The Chief Commissioner would prefer such resources as the Government can allow for the Punjab to be devoted to public improvements.	

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1839	No. 33, dated 18th February 1857.. From The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Public Libraries	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 219, dated the 9th February 1857, reports on the Libraries kept up in the districts of his division.	Progs. for the week ending 11th April 1857— Nos. 21—8
	No. 2, dated 5th January 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Circular letter No. 58, dated the 22nd December 1856, states that no public libraries have been established nor assistance given by Government in his division.	
	No. 34 dated 19th February 1857... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Circular letter No. 58, dated the 22nd December 1856, reports that there are no public libraries within his division supported by Government, but there are several book-clubs at Lahore, Amritsar and Sialkot maintained by public subscription.	
	No. 5, dated 13th January 1857 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Circular letter No. 58, dated the 22nd December 1856, reports that there are no public libraries within his division.	Nos. 21—3.
	No 120, dated 24th January 1857... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Circular letter No. 58, dated the 22nd December 1856, states that there is only one public library in his division, in the station of Peshawar, kept up by private subscription. Adds that in a previous communication he asked for a grant of Rs. 4,000 towards the erection of public rooms at Peshawar, namely, a library, theatre and district museum.	
	No. 278—553, dated 8th April 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 6013, dated the 5th December 1856, reports on the different libraries existing in the Punjab, and forwards copies of certain documents	
1840	No 2228, dated 3rd April 1857 . From—The Director of Canals, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Preparation of cement from limestone.	With reference to letter No. 2453, dated the 17th November 1856, enclosing a copy of M. Marcadieu's remarks on the preparation of cement from limestone, conveys his own observations thereon, and states that he will be happy to render every assistance in his power to M. Marcadieu to enable him to analyse the different specimens of *Kankar* which he has directed his executive officers to forward to that gentleman.	Nos. 29—32.
	No. 554, dated 8th April 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 196, dated the 9th November 1856, forwards a copy of the preceding and its enclosure, and intimates that the Director of Canals has been requested to communicate direct with him on the subject.	
	No. 555, dated 8th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Director of Canals, Punjab.	Ditto	Informs Commissioner that copies of his letter and enclosure have been forwarded to M. Marcadieu, and suggests his communicating direct with that gentleman on the subject.	

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1841	No. 124, dated 2nd April 1857 ... From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Strength and cost of the Punjab Commission.	In compliance with a telegraphic message dated the 26th March 1 57, forwards three detailed statements showing the actual strength and cost of the Punjab Commission on the 1st March 1857.	Progs. for the week ending 11th April 1857— Nos. 34—8.
	No. 280—557, dated 8th April 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the statements received with the preceding.	
1842	No. 558, dated 9th April 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Specimens of ores and mineral waters.	Advises despatch to his address of a box containing specimens of ores and water, and requests that he will examine and report upon them.	No. 39.
1843	No. 46, dated 2nd April 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mineral springs in the Kangra district.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 3640, dated the 22nd December 1856, annexes a copy of Dr. Jameson's memo. on the mineral springs of the Kangra district, and suggests that the medical officer recently appointed to Dharmsala be especially commissioned during the cold weather to collect samples of the several springs and transmit them for chemical analysis to Calcutta, with a view of obtaining the opinion of the medical profession regarding them. States that Mr. Schlagintweit is at present engaged in collecting specimens of these springs and he might be able to report whether he agrees with M. Marcadieu in attaching great importance to these springs, either for commercial or medical purposes.	Nos. 4—8.
	No. 564, dated 9th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—A. Schlagintweit, Esq., Magnetic Surveyor.	Ditto	Enquires the result of his researches with respect to the several mineral springs in Kot Kangra and what amount of importance he attaches to them for commercial or medical purposes.	
	No. 565, dated 9th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. Mathew, Dharmsala.	Ditto	Requests that, during the cold weather, he will, in communication with the Commissioner of the Trans Sutlej States, collect samples of the several mineral springs in Kangra, and transmit them for chemical analysis to Calcutta, with such opinion as he may feel disposed to express regarding them.	
	No. 566, dated 9th April 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	

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1844	No. 54, dated 6th April 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Extension of the *chungi* tax to Anarkali	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 119, dated the 22nd January 1857, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, reporting the result of the extension to Anarkali of the *chungi* tax. The Deputy Commissioner considers that the measure has been beneficial and recommends that it be maintained. The Commissioner purposes calling upon the Deputy Commissioner for a detailed report of income and expenditure from the commencement of the system to the end of the current month, by which time he will be better able to express his views on the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 11th April 1857— Nos. 91—3.
	No. 576, dated 11th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's sanction to maintain the *chungi* tax.	
1845	No. 585, dated 13th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	School house at Nalagarh.	Informs the Financial Commissioner that a small school house exists at Nalagarh, and as the Hindore State is likely to lapse to Government, requests that he will take into consideration the advisability of maintaining it from the general funds assigned to the Punjab for educational purposes.	Progs. for the week ending 18th April 1857— No. 3.
1846	No. 59, dated 9th April 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Patriotic Fund.	In continuation of letter No. 160, dated the 15th October 1856, encloses a draft for Rs. 76, being balance of subscriptions towards the Patriotic Fund realized in the Sialkot district.	Nos. 12—14.
	No. 594, dated 14th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the draft.	
	No. 595, dated 14th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.	Ditto	Forwards the draft received with the preceding letter.	
1847	No. 20, dated 20th February 1857... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Petroleum found at Jabba in the Jhelum District.	In continuation of letter No. 6, dated the 9th January 1856, forwards copies of correspondence relative to the petroleum found at Jabba, in the Jhelum district.	Nos. 16—50.
	No. 11538, dated 9th April 1857 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of correspondence on the subject of petroleum found in this province, which, he considers, will prove identical with that of Burma, and states that the quantity now procurable will at once yield a considerable profit.	

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1847—*concld.*	No. 607, dated 15th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Petroleum found at Jabba in the Jhelum District.	In reply to his letter above, forwards a copy of the preceding letter, and its enclosures, received from the Chief Engineer, and requests that he will have 2 or 3 maunds of the article collected, carefully packed, and despatched to Karachi, consigned to the Collector of Customs, who should send it on to some good mercantile houses at Bombay and England for sale, with the view of ascertaining its marketable value. The Collector of Customs should be informed that the risk of the venture will be borne by Government.	Progs. for the week ending 18th April 1857— Nos. 46—50.
	No. 291—608, dated 15th April 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above entries and of previous correspondence on the subject, and suggests that a quantity of the article might be sent to the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, with the view of their ascertaining its value in England.	
1848	No. 38, dated 11th April 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of the town from the fort of Attock.	Referring to Mr. Temple's letter No. 1090, dated the 16th May 1856, conveying Government sanction to the removal of the town from the fort of Attock, the Commissioner annexes a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Rawalpindi, soliciting sanction to an expenditure of Rs. 465-9-9, incurred in laying out the new town, and recommends that the amount may be passed and charged to General Revenues.	Nos. 89-90.
	No. 631, dated 18th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction as recommended.	
1849	No. *Nil*, dated 16th April 1857 ... From—A. Schlagintweit, Esq., Magnetic Surveyor. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mineral springs in Kangra district.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 564, dated the 9th April 1857, states that he will be happy to communicate to the Chief Commissioner any information he may obtain regarding the mineral springs of Kangra, Kulu, etc.	Progs. for the week ending 25th April 1857— No. 32.
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1850	No. 40, dated 17th April 1857 .. From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Metalliferous resources of the Salt Range.	In continuation of letter No. 166, dated the 8th November 1856, forwards with his remarks, a copy of M. Marcadieu's report on the metalliferous resources of the Salt Range.	Nos. 47—9.
	No. 312—663, dated 23rd April 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Gold mining.	Forwards copies of the above, and its enclosures, and states that, before attempting to mine for gold, the views of more practical and able geologists than M. Marcadieu should be obtained.	

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1851	No. 517, dated 14th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lord Fredrick Hay.	Intimates that Lord Fredrick Hay, an unpassed Civil Servant, has been permitted to proceed to Simla for the purpose of prosecuting his studies there, and requests that the Chief Commissioner will issue such orders as shall ensure the due prosecution of his studies during his stay at Simla.	Progs. for the week ending 25th April 1857— Nos. 75-6.
	No. 683, dated 24th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards two printed copies of the preceding one for his information, and the other for transmission to the Superintendent of Hill States. Draws his attention to and annexes a copy of section XXXVII of the rules contained in the notification of the Government of Bengal, dated the 24th January 1854, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th idem.	
1852	No. 1678, dated 15th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of thanas and tahsils in the Ferozepore and Ludhiana districts. Bhudaur estates.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 193, dated the 11th March 1857, conveys sanction to the alterations proposed in the establishments of the Ferozepore and Ludhiana districts, involving a net increase of 103 rupees per mensem, to provide for the police and fiscal management of the Bhudaur estates.	Nos. 79-80.
	No. 686, dated 24th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 32, dated the 18th February 1857, forwards copies of the preceding and of the letter to which it is a reply.	
1853	No. 1687, dated 16th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Death of Raja Dina Nath.	Forwards a copy of the message announcing the death of Raja Dina Nath. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 85.
1854	No. 186, dated 20th April 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rawalpindi Mission School.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, with original enclosures, proposing a grant-in-aid of Rs. 10 per mensem to the Rawalpindi Mission School, and solicits sanction to its payment from the 1st February 1857.	Nos. 88—90.
	No. 688, dated 25th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Conveys sanction, and returns original correspondence received with the preceding.	
1855	No. 278, dated 22nd April 1857 ... From—Mr. Coates, Ferozepore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cutting of wood in the Mamdot jungles.	Forwards a letter addressed to the Chief Commissioner desiring to have an interview, and of obtaining permission to cut wood in the Mamdot jungles, for the purpose of burning lime and brick, which he has contracted to supply to the Public Works Department at Ferozepore.	Nos. 102—105.

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1855—*concld.*	No. 695, dated 25th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Coates, Ferozepore.	Cutting of wood in the Mamdot jungles.	Replies that the Chief Commissioner will be at Lahore until the 30th April 1857 and will be happy to see him if he desires it, but that he can on no account give a license to cut wood in the Mamdot jungles without first ascertaining the views of the Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner on the subject, and suggests his applying to those officers in the first instance.	Progs. for the week ending 25th April 1857— Nos. 102—105.
	No. 696, dated 25th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for his information.	
1856	No. 3, dated 27th March 1857 From—The Inspector of Prisons, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations.	Forwards his observations regarding the uncertainty which exists in the minds of the people generally as to the ultimate beneficial results of vaccination, and the causes of failure. Conveys detailed suggestions for measures to be adopted to remedy these evils.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd May 1857— Nos. 4—6.
	No. 698, dated 27th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Prisons, Punjab.	Ditto Bribery among Vaccinators. Lymph and instruments to be obtained from London.	Calls for a detail of all cases in which Vaccinators have taken bribes or fees, in order that they may be brought to trial. Conveys authority to his procuring a supply of vaccine matter from the National Vaccine Institutions in London and the newly invented vaccine instruments, &c., at a cost of Rs. 80. Adds that a circular has been addressed to the Medical authorities, desiring them to indent for vaccine matter in the fluid form, and to afford practical instruction to Vaccinators, and another circular to Commissioners, directing introduction of the system of check suggested by him.	
	Circular No. 12—699, dated 27th April 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Inspector of Dispensaries, suggesting a system of check whereby the accuracy of reports of native Vaccinators may be tested, and desires its introduction throughout their Divisions, as it is feared that the confidence of the public has been greatly shaken, and it is, therefore, necessary for all officers to endeavour to re-establish it by supervising and checking subordinates on whose fidelity success is dependent.	
1857	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd April 1857 .. From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Complains that the Commissioner of Multan has declined to submit his letter in the case of Mahdi Husain, for the consideration of the Chief Commissioner, and forwards a copy, with annexures. Also states that the Commissioner refused him copies of certain documents.	Nos. 29—33.
	No. 709, dated 29th April 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner sees no reason to interfere, and declines requiring Commissioner to furnish him with copies of any of the documents to which he alludes.	

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1857—*concld.*	No. 710, dated 29th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Forwards a copy of the above, for his information.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd May 1857— Nos. 29—33.
1858	No. 713, dated 29th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Cutting of timber in the Mamdot jungles.	In continuation of letter No. 696, dated the 25th April 1857, enclosing a copy of a letter to Mr. Coates of Ferozepore, regarding his being permitted to cut wood in the Mamdot jungles, forwards a copy of the communication to which that was a reply, and states that Mr. Coates has had an interview with the Chief Commissioner. As it appears that the public interests would be furthered by helping him, the Chief Commissioner suggests that a certain extent of land be made over to him. Mentions the terms and conditions on which the land is to be held.	Nos. 41-2.
	No. 714, dated 29th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. G. H. Coates.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for his information.	
1859	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd April 1857 ... From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Civil Audit office from Agra to Lahore.	Intimates, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, that he will leave Agra on the 22nd April for Lahore. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 84.
1860	No 747, dated 8th May 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Increases of establishment. Economy enjoined.	Requests that the Judicial Commissioner will point out and impress on Commissioners of Divisions and District Officers the importance of avoiding expenditure for extra establishments without reference, unless it be emergent and absolutely necessary, and when such expenditure is incurred, every precaution must be taken to apply for the requisite authority without delay. Conveys detailed instructions on the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 9th May 1857— Nos. 19-20.
	No. 748, dated 8th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above	
1861	No. 1853, dated 24th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Referring to letter No. 807, dated the 1st November 1855, forwards an extract from the Court of Directors' despatch remarking on the tendency among local authorities to apply for additional establishment and to incur increased expense, and directing that the practice may be checked. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 42-3.
1862	No. 219, dated 29th April 1857 ... From—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Analysis of minerals and mineral waters.	Reports the result of his analysis of the minerals and mineral waters sent by the Chief Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 16th May 1857— Nos. 5-6.
	No. 765, dated 11th May 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Pengree, Simla.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information, with reference to his letter dated the 20th June 1856, and the specimens of lead received with the report.	

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1863	No. 56, dated 17th March 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary Report for 1856	Reports on the management of dispensaries during the past year.	Progs. for the week ending 16th May 1857— Nos. 7—49
	No. 34, dated 21st March 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits Dispensary Report of the Trans-Sutlej Division for the past year, with copies of District and Medical officers' reports and returns.	
	No. 44, dated 21st March 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of his letter No. 348, dated the 14th March 1857, forwards copies of cash balance account of the Nurpur Dispensary for 1855-56 and 1856-57.	
	No. 62, dated 16th April 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports on the management of the Government dispensaries in the Lahore Division during 1856.	
	No. 94, dated 18th March 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits, in original, reports on the management of the dispensaries of the Multan Division for the year 1856, with remarks, and a comparative statement of attendance and cost of diet of patients.	
	No. 121, dated 3rd April 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a comparative statement of vaccination for the years 1855-56 in the Kahor Charitable Dispensary, in continuation of letter No. 94, dated the 18th March 1857.	
	No. 104, dated 24th March 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 94, dated the 18th March 1857, forwards a statement showing the statistical results of the Gugera Dispensary for the years 1855 and 1856.	
	No. 111, dated 30th March 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 94, dated the 18th March 1857, forwards a comparative statement showing result of vaccine operations at the charitable dispensary at Jhang for 1855 and 1856.	
	No. 13, dated 16th March 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of reports on the management of dispensaries in the Leiah Division for the year 1856, with remarks.	
	No. 171, dated 28th April 1857 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ghazi Khan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the Dera Ghazi Khan Dispensary Report for 1856.	
	No. 37, dated 6th April 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards district reports and returns, showing the operations of the Government charitable dispensaries during 1856.	

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1863—*concld.*	Circular No. 17—766, dated 11th May 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Dispensary Report for 1856.	Communicates the result of the Chief Commissioner's review of the Dispensary Reports of the several Divisions in the Punjab (excepting Peshawar), with suggestions and instructions for future guidance.	Progs. for the week ending 16th May 1857— Nos. 7—49.
1864	No. 1956, dated 30th April 1857 . From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Messrs. Raynor and Christie as Civil Auditor and Accountant, respectively.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 201, dated the 14th March 1857, conveys sanction to Messrs. Christie and Raynor drawing the salaries of the new appointments from the date of their arrival at Agra, and requests that their attention may be drawn to Government orders conveyed in letter No. 6231, dated the 24th December 1856, directing the organization of their establishments on the lowest possible scale compatible with efficiency.	Nos. 61—3.
	Nos. 772 and 773, dated 11th May 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Accountant, Punjab, and the Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for their information.	
1865	No. 1639, dated 4th May 1857 ... From—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Roads in the Murree Cantonment Levy of municipal taxes.	Forwards copies of Government letters on the subject of roads in the Cantonment of Murree, in view to necessary orders being issued for levying of a municipal tax on houses and lands in Cantonments occupied by officers and others who are not attached to the Convalescent Depôt on duty, as directed in Government Resolution, dated the 15th April 1857, in the Financial Department.	Nos. 71—4.
	No. 777, dated 11th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards, for his information and guidance, copies of correspondence regarding roads in the Cantonments of Murree, and requests that he will, in communication with the Officer Commanding, arrange for levy of taxes authorized by Government. States that details should be settled by a Committee on the same principle as those adopted with reference to houses and land in the Civil Station. When taxes are so fixed, the money should be collected by the Executive Engineer, and paid into the Government treasury.	
	No. 778, dated 11th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information.	

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1866	No. 142, dated 29th April 1857 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application for a telegraph office at Amritsar.	With reference to previous correspondence, forwards a copy of letter No. 260, dated the 25th April 1857, from the Commissioner, Lahore Division, with a petition (in original) from the Amritsar *Panch*, praying that an electric telegraph office may be opened at Amritsar. Offers certain suggestions and recommends the measure.	Progs for the week ending 16th May 1857— Nos. 75—7.
	No. 779, dated 11th May 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Failure of Amritsar merchants to utilize a telegraph office when previously opened. Guarantee to be required from leading merchants. *Chungi* funds not to be utilized for support of the office.	Replies that the Chief Commissioner is fully aware of the desirability of having an electric telegraph office at Amritsar, but it must be recollected that the merchants there who are well known to be the most opulent men in the Punjab, with extensive dealings throughout India, in many parts of Central Asia and Europe did not support the telegraph when an office was established for their benefit. These offices cost Government a large sum, but the Chief Commissioner will recommend the establishment of one to Government if ten or twelve of the most wealthy merchants bind themselves to make good any loss which may accrue for a single year from the experiment. Conveys the Chief Commissioner's disapproval of the proposal to make up the deficit from the *Chungi* fund.	
1867	No. 208, dated 5th May 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Government *versus* Mr. Cope, regarding detention of jewels intended for the Paris Exhibition.	Replying to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 295, dated the 19th February 1857, states that an appeal lodged by him in the case of Government *versus* Mr. Cope, the Commissioner of the Lahore Division remanded the case for retrial, the proceedings being, in his opinion, incomplete. Submits a copy of the Commissioner's English orders.	Nos 96-7.
	No. 794, dated 13th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the local court may be moved to commence the retrial as soon as possible, and returns enclosures.	
1868	No. 2035, dated 30th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to dispense with the services of Monsieur Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 277, dated the 7th April 1857, conveys sanction to the proposal for dispensing with the services of M. Marcadieu and directs that M. Marcadieu be informed that his services will be dispensed with after the 1st September 1857 and that a gratuity of three months' salary will be granted to him.	Nos. 122—25
	No. 812, dated 16th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor.	Ditto	Informs M. Marcadieu that his services will not be required after the 1st of September 1857, by which time it is expected that he will complete and submit any reports he may have on hand. Adds that he must pay and discharge all the establishment, making over Government records, etc., to the Deputy Commissioner, Kangra. Intimates grant of a donation of three months' salary, and conveys instructions as to the manner in which it is to be drawn.	

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1868—*concld.*	Nos. 813 and 814, dated 16th May 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab, and the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Proposal to dispense with the services of Monsieur Marcadiea, Geological Surveyor.	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	Progs. for the week ending 16th May 1857— No. 122—25.
1869	No. 4, dated 1st May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Magnetic survey.	Forwards a copy of letter from Mr. A. Schlagintweit, in charge Magnetic Survey of India, detailing his intended operations during the ensuing hot weather, and requests that every assistance may be rendered him. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 154.
1870	No. 97, dated 30th April 1857 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cutting of wood in the Mamdot forests.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 696, dated the 25th April 1857, enclosing a copy of a letter to Mr. Cortes, anent his application for leave to cut wood in Mamdot, the Commissioner furnishes a report on the subject. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 156.
1871	No. *Nil*, dated 10th May 1857 ... From—G. Campbell, Esq., late Officiating Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine Committee.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 548, dated the 7th April 1857, states that he has furnished the President of the Vaccine Committee with a Memo. of the result of his personal investigations into the subject. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 172.
1872	No. 969, dated 27th April 1857 ... From—The Commissioner for Revision of Salaries To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Salary of Chief Commissioner's Secretary.	Requests to be favoured with the Chief Commissioner's views on the papers forwarded with letter No. 597, dated the 21st October 1856, regarding salary of the Chief Commissioner's office.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd May 1857— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 829, dated 18th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner for the Revision of Salaries.	Ditto Appointment of an Engineer Officer as Secretary, P. W. D.	Replies that the Chief Commissioner advocates the maintenance of the present salary of the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, unless additional territory is annexed to the Punjab, but if no addition of territory is contemplated, the Chief Commissioner would prefer an Engineering officer being allowed as Secretary in the D. P. W.	
1873	No. 845-B, dated 22nd May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Assistant-in-charge, Electric Telegraph office, Rawalpindi.	Acknowledgment of services of Rawalpindi Telegraph staff during the Mutiny. Month's pay granted as a bonus.	Conveys the Chief Commissioner's satisfaction at the zeal with which he and his establishment have performed their duties during the disturbances. Intimates the Chief Commissioner's intention of bringing the matter to the prominent notice of Government at the fitting time, and requests that a detailed bill of the whole establishment for one month's pay be submitted to this office, to be sanctioned and disbursed as a donation.	No. 43.

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1874	No. 116, dated 18th May 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Mutiny at Ambala.	Reports his departure for Ambala, in consequence of the mutiny which has occurred at that station. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd May 1857— No. 44.
1875	No. 182, dated 19th May 1857 ... From—Brigadier Commanding, Ferozepore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Gallant conduct of Major Marsden during the mutiny.	Brings to the notice of the Chief Commissioner the gallant conduct of Major Marsden during the night of the mutiny and the following day, and requests that Major Marsden may be allowed to remain at Ferozepore, either in Civil or Military employ.	Progs. for the week ending 30th May 1857— Nos. 8-9.
	No. 850, dated 25th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Brigadier Commanding, Ferozepore.	Ditto	Replies that there is no intention of removing Major Marsden so long as he wishes to remain, and that the Chief Commissioner is happy to receive so handsome an acknowledgment of Major Marsden's services.	
1876	No. 850-B, dated 25th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Assistant-in-charge, Electric Telegraph office, Rawalpindi.	Bonus of a month's pay for services during the mutiny.	Forwards Rs. 221, as a donation to himself and establishment for zealous discharge of duty.	No. 9-C.
1877	No. 177, dated 23rd May 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reward of Rs. 90 made to Mr. Artificer Henderson, Telegraph Department, for good service.	In continuation of letter No. 175, dated the 21st May 1857, forwards, for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner, correspondence relating to a present of Rs. 90 made to Mr. Artificer Henderson of the Electric Telegraph Department, for rendering good service.	Nos. 37–40.
	No. 863, dated 29th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Electric Telegraph in India.	Ditto Acknowledgment of services rendered by Lahore and Rawalpindi Telegraph staffs.	Intimates that the Chief Commissioner has much pleasure in bringing prominently to his notice that the officers in-charge of the Lahore and Rawalpindi Telegraph offices rendered good service during the outbreak in the army, and that the Chief Commissioner has authorized a reward equal to their salary for one month being disbursed to officers and establishments at both stations.	
1878	No 2160, dated 8th May 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Petroleum	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 291, dated the 15th April 1857, suggesting that a quantity of petroleum might be sent to the Hon'ble Court of Directors with a view of ascertaining its value in England, conveys the Governor-General in Council's orders. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 46.
1879	No. 65, dated 23rd May 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Arrest of suspicious characters at ferries.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's Circular dated the 19th May, states that the instructions of the Chief Commissioner will be duly attended to, and that orders have already been issued for the arrest of Fakirs and suspicious characters and for watching the ferries. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 54.

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1880	No. 66, dated 23rd May 1857 .. From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Censorship of newspapers.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's Circular, dated the 19th May 1857, and states that the orders of the Chief Commissioner have been anticipated and that Editors of native papers submit a copy for perusal of the Commissioner before publication. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 30th May 1857— Nos. 55-6.
1881	No. 179, dated 28th May 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Instructions connected with the moveable column.	Referring to docket, dated the 23rd May 1857, forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter addressed to the Commissioners through whose divisions the moveable column is likely to pass. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 62-3.
1882	No. 61, dated 18th May 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Postal communication between Multan and Delhi.	Reports having made arrangements for the establishment of postal communication from Multan to Delhi. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 67.
1883	No. 867, dated 1st June 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Strength and cost of the Punjab Commission.	Asks for the usual statement showing strength and cost of the Punjab Commission as it stood on the 1st June 1857.	Progs. for the week ending 6th June 1857— No. 1.
1884	No. 2127, dated 8th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Agreement to be taken from persons entering the Government normal school as pupils	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Secretary in the Home Department, to the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, on the subject of requiring an engagement from all persons who may enter the Government normal schools as pupils.	Nos. 6—8.
	No. 871, dated 1st June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	
1885	No. 2127, dated 1st May 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Analysis of water, etc., at Mian Mir.	Forwards an extract from a letter from the Inspector of Prisons, Bengal, and requests to be informed if Monsieur Marcadieu is in a position to undertake an analysis of water, etc., at Mian Mir.	Nos. 22—4.
	No. 879, dated 1st June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Ditto	Asks M. Marcadieu to proceed to Mian Mir for the purpose of analysing the water, etc., at that Cantonment, and then to submit a report on the result.	
1886	No. 223, dated 23rd May 1857 ... From—M. Marcadieu, Geological Surveyor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Abolition of Geological Survey.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 812, dated the 16th May 1857, recommends his Assistant, Mr. Williams, to the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner for employment. Adds that the Chief Commissioner's instructions as regards abolition of the Geological Survey will be strictly attended to.	Nos. 38-9

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1886—*concld.*	No 891, dated 1st June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—M. Marcadier, Geological Surveyor, Punjab.	Abolition of Geological Survey.	Replies that the Chief Commissioner has no doubt but that Mr. Williams will easily obtain employment in any of the public offices if he will exert himself	Progs, for the week ending 6th June 1857— Nos 38-9.
1887	No. 2204, dated 12th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Expenditure on education.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No 251, dated the 30th March 1857, requesting authority to sanction establishments for the Educational Department of the Punjab until the close of 1857-58 in excess of those already sanctioned, forwards a copy of resolution of the Governor-General in Council, in the Financial Department, conceding the required authority to the Chief Commissioner.	Nos 44—6.
	No. 895, dated 1st June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Referring to his letter No. 153, dated the 2nd March 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding and enclosures, and requests that the periodical returns prescribed may be furnished, for transmission to Government.	
1888	No. *Nil*, dated 25th May 1857 From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner. Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Furnishes further explanations and prays for early disposal of his case.	Nos. 57—9.
	No. 456—908, dated 3rd June 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and earnestly requests that Lieutenant Raverty's case may be speedily disposed of.	
	No. 904, dated 3rd June 1857 . From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1889	No. 182, dated 28th May 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Anarkali Volunteer Militia.	Forwards, for the perusal of the Chief Commissioner, a report on the Anarkali Volunteer Militia.	Nos. 70-71.
	No. 909, dated 4th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner admires the spirit which prompted the gentlemen of the Militia to enrol themselves, and that he has no doubt that, if opportunity offers, they will give a good account of any insurgents who may attack Anarkali.	
1890	No. 183, dated 28th May 1857 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Condition of affairs in the Cis-Sutlej States.	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's perusal, a letter from the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, reporting on the existing state of affairs in his Division and the measures adopted by him.	Nos. 97½—101
	No. 185, dated 29th May 1857 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 183 of yesterday's date, forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's perusal, a letter received from the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, reporting on the state of affairs in his division.	

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1890—*concld.*	No. 186, dated 29th May 1857 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Condition of affairs in the Cis-Sutlej States.	Forwards, for perusal of the Chief Commissioner, a letter from the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, reporting on his division up to night of the 23rd May 1857, and communicates remarks.	Progs. for the week ending 6th June 1857— Nos. 97½-101.
	No. 187, dated 30th May 1857 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Ditto	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's perusal, letters (in original) received from the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, reporting on the state of his division up to the 27th May 1857.	
	No. 928, dated 6th June 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab	Ditto	Returns the original documents received with the preceding.	
1891	No. 76, dated 28th May 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation to men of the 9th Irregular Cavalry.	Forwards, for the consideration of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from Captain Fenwick, who, under certain circumstances, recommends that the expenses incurred by the 9th Irregular Cavalry in a move recently made by them be defrayed by Government.	Nos. 16—18.
	No. 931, dated 6th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Replies that Captain Fenwick should refer the question of compensation to the men of the 9th Irregular Cavalry through the Quartermaster-General of the Army.	
1892	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd May 1857 .. From—Captain Briggs. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reconciliation of the Gurkha Regiment at Jatog.	Details the measures adopted by him for the reconcilation of the Gurkha regiment at Jatog in the Simla Hills. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 119-119½.
1893	No. 182, dated 1st June 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Condition of affairs in the Cis-Sutlej States.	Forwards, for the perusal of the Chief Commissioner, a letter (in original) from the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, reporting on the state of affairs in his Division.	Progs. for the week ending 13th June 1857.— Nos. 13-14.
	No. 939, dated 8th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns the original enclosures.	
1894	No. 944, dated 8th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Coke, Commanding 1st Punjab Infantry.	Recognition of Jamadar Sadr-ud-din's loyal services.	Forwards a shawl and a sum of Rs. 50 to be presented to Jamadar Sadr-ud-din of the regiment under his command for having seized a traitor who attempted to tamper with his fidelity. Adds that the traitor will undergo condign punishment at Lahore, and requests that a copy of this letter be given to Jamadar Sadr-ud-din.	No. 23.

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1895	No. *Nil*, dated 25th May 1857 ... From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Asistant Commissioner.	In continuation of his letter, dated the 24th May 1857, affords a further explanation in regard to the charges against him, and enquires if certain papers have been submitted to the Government of India.	Progs. for the week ending 13th June 1857— Nos. 25—8.
	No. 946, dated 9th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner, Multan.	Ditto	Returns the papers received with the preceding and states that the Chief Commissioner declines to forward them to the Government of India, who have already been put in possession of all the documents connected with the case. Adds that the Chief Commissioner does not desire to be addressed again in this matter.	
	No. 68, dated 29th May 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Referring to enclosed letter from Lieutenant Raverty, reports his having granted him permission to proceed to Muzaffargarh.	
	No. 947, dated 9th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner has no objection to Lieutenant Raverty's being permitted to proceed to some other station pending decision of his case, but he would prefer his being allowed to go to Gugera as there are some objections to his residing at present at Muzaffargarh.	Nos. 25—8.
1896	No. 63, dated 8th June 1857 ... From—Major Coke, 1st Punjab Infantry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Recognition of Jamadar Sadr-ud-din's loyal services.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 944, dated the 8th June 1857, acknowledges receipt of a shawl and Rs. 50 for presentation to Jamadar Sadr-ud-din of his regiment.	No. 58.
1897	No 959, dated 15th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Condition of affairs in the Cis-Sutlej States. District officers authorized to disarm disaffected villages.	Acknowledges the receipt of Mr. Barne's report No. 184, dated the 6th June 1857, and states that the Chief Commissioner has observed with much gratification the favourable testimony of the Commissioner in regard to Mr. Ricketts which the Chief Commissioner will not fail to bring to the notice of Government. Conveys authority to the district officers of the Cis-Sutlej *States* to disarm the inhabitants of any *village* or place when it may be considered necessary and practicable.	Progs for the week ending 20th June 1857— Nos. 1—3.
	No. 28, dated 6th June 1857 ... From The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports that no news had been received that day, but submits some private letters received from Captain Mc. Andrew, dated the 3rd June 1857, for perusal. Adds that the Patiala Raja's Vakil in Delhi was put in irons owing to the seizure of his messenger with some papers, and that the sepoys from the 45th, 57th and 5th Regiments who have passed through the Cis-Sutlej States having given out that the Raja had heartily espoused the British cause, his servants at Delhi were exposed to great risks.	
	No. 960, dated 15th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Returns original enclosures received with preceding.	

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1898	No. 50, dated 9th June 1857 . From—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Bannu. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Despatch of mounted police to Peshawar.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter dated the 2nd June 1857, furnishes information regarding despatch of his mounted police to Peshawar. Reports on the new levies raised by him and enquires how they are to be paid and officered, and up to what number he may be allowed to enlist footmen.	Progs. for the week ending 20th June 1857— Nos. 10—12.
	No. 964, dated 15th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Bannu.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner is unable to decide at present what number of the levies he may retain, and what should be sent on to Peshawar, but he can arrange the question with Colonel Nicholson. Communicates the Chief Commissioner's orders and instructions on the points mentioned in the preceding.	
1899	No. 2327, dated 22nd May 1857 . From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Manufacture of iron in India.	Forwards eight printed copies of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, regarding the necessity for regulating the consumption of wood for the manufacture of iron in India, and calls for a report.	Nos. 24-5.
	No. 971, dated 17th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, with a printed copy of the despatch, and requests that he will submit a report on the subject, for the consideration of Government.	
1900	No. 202, dated 18th June 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Condition of affairs in the Bhattiana district.	Forwards, for the perusal of the Chief Commissioner, correspondence (in original) from the Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepore, showing the arrangements that have been made for restoring order in the Bhattiana district.	Nos. 42-3.
	No. 980, dated 18th June 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns the original correspondence received with the preceding.	
1901	No. *Nil*, dated 8th June 1857 ... From—J. Taylor, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Kasauli. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Plunder of Kasauli treasury by the Gurkha Guard.	Remonstrates against his transfer from his post, and vindicates his conduct during the mutiny of the Gurkha Guard at Kasauli. Requests that he may be suspended or granted sick leave or any other leave until the matter is cleared up.	Nos. 46-7.
	No. 982, dated 18th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—J. Taylor, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Kasauli.	Ditto Mr. Taylor's action.	Replies that the Chief Commissioner considered his transfer expedient, with reference to circumstances connected with the plunder of the Kasauli treasury. If not in a good state of health, he can obtain leave on medical certificate or the Chief Commissioner will allow him private leave on application. The Commissioner of the Division has been directed to report on the general discharge of his (Mr. Taylor's) duties while in charge of Kasauli and the adjacent cantonments.	

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1902	No. *Nil*, dated 11th June 1857 ... From—Colonel Blair, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Unprotected condition of Simla.	Forwards a duplicate copy of a letter (under the impression that the original has been lost) from the residents of Simla, representing the unprotected state of that station and suggesting measures for the protection of the residents.	Progs. for the week ending 20th June 1857— Nos. 48—50.
	No. 983, dated 18th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Colonel Blair, Simla.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner has already received, and replied to representations from the inhabitants of Simla.	
1903	No. F, dated 6th June 1857 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Jhelum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mr. Stanley of the Telegraph Office rewarded for mutiny services.	Forwards an application from Mr. Stanley of the Telegraph Office at Jhelum, soliciting similar indulgence as that granted to others of the Telegraph Department at Lahore and Rawalpindi.	Nos. 51—4.
	No. 984, dated 18th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Jhelum.	Ditto	In reply, conveys authority to his payment to Mr. Stanley a sum equal to his salary for one month, as a donation for his exertions during the disturbances.	
1904	No. 132, dated 18th June 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Plunder of Kasauli treasury by the Gurkha Guard.	Forwards reports on the plunder of the Kasauli treasury, together with his opinion of Mr. Taylor's conduct in the matter.	Nos. 55—9.
	No. 985, dated 18th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the Chief Commissioner's opinion in the matter.	
	No. 480—986, dated 18th June 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits, for the consideration and orders of the Government of India, copies of correspondence regarding the plunder of the Kasauli treasury.	
1905	No. 988, dated 18th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Appointment of Colonel Nicholson to Moveable Column at Peshawar.	Reports that in consequence of the appointment of Colonel Nicholson to command the Moveable Column, Captain H. R. James has been directed to proceed and take charge of the Peshawar district, and solicits Government sanction to the arrangement.	No. 61.
1906	No. 135, dated 14th June 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Communication between Karnal and the Headquarters of the Army.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from the Assistant Adjutant-General of the Army, regarding arrangements for keeping open the communication between Karnal and the headquarters of the Army.	Nos. 79-80.

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1907	No. 134, dated 14th June 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Troops for Delhi.	Forwards a copy of a telegraph message from the Officiating Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General of the Army, applying for all available European troops from Jullundur or elsewhere to be sent to Delhi, as troops are much wanted, especially artillery. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 20th June 1857— Nos. 81-2.
1908.	No. 121, dated 18th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Raising of troops.	Acknowledges receipt of the Chief Commissioner's telegraph message regarding the raising of 6,000 men and forwards a copy of his reply. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 83.
1909	No. 2285, dated 19th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proclamation repudiating intention of Government to interfere in religious matters.	Forwards, for translation and distribution, three printed copies of a proclamation disavowing all intention on the part of the Government to interfere with the castes or religion of its native subjects. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 84-5.
1910	No. 204, dated 10th June 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Punjab ferries to be carefully watched.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a circular issued to all Commissioners, regarding the future management of and maintenance of control over the Punjab ferries with greater vigilance. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 87-8.
1911	No. 82, dated 13th June 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fighting at Delhi on 8th June 1857.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter dated the 8th June 1857, from the Major General Commanding at Delhi, regarding an engagement fought there on the 8th idem. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 93.
1912	No. 274, dated 16th June 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Simla and Amritsar schools.	Intimates that the Simla and Amritsar schools have heretofore been allowed Rs. 715 per mensem from local funds and it is now proposed that they should be transferred to the Educational Department at a reduced outlay of Rs. 450 per mensem. Recommends the proposal to have effect from the 1st May 1857.	Progs. for the week ending 27th June 1857— Nos. 16—18.
	No. 1005, dated 23rd June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the Chief Commissioner's sanction to the proposal.	
1913	No. 82, dated 16th June 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Commendable conduct of Messrs. Blackall, Berkely and Saint in connection with the mutiny.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Sialkot, with enclosure, and brings to notice the commendable conduct of Mr. Extra Assistant Blackall in having escorted the families of His Majesty's 52nd and the Artillery from Sialkot to Muridki. Adds that Mr. Berkely and Mr. Apothecary Saint brought them in from Lahore.	Nos. 22-3.
	No. 1007, dated 23rd June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the Chief Commissioner's thanks to Messrs. Blackall, Berkely and Saint for their exertions.	

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1914	No. 137, dated 15th June 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Plunder of Kasauli treasury by the Gurkha General.	In continuation of letter No. 132, dated the 8th June 1857, regarding the plunder of Kasauli treasury, reports that Rs. 2,000 have been recovered from one of the Barkandazes put on guard after the departure of Gurkhas, and that Lord Hay has hopes of recovering more. Adds that the death of the Kotwal, who was a hill man, is now ascribed to suicide on account of shame for his participation in and knowledge of the plunder.	Progs. for the week ending 27th June 1857— Nos. 24-5.
	No. 1008, dated 24th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto .	Replies that the Chief Commissioner is glad to hear of the recovery of a portion of the money plundered from the Kasauli treasury and of the hopes entertained of more being recovered.	
1915	No. 223, dated 19th June 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Protection of the Leiah Division.	Forwards, in original, a report from the Commissioner, Leiah Division, detailing the arrangements made for the protection of the districts of his Division.	Nos. 30-31.
	No. 1011, dated 25th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns original report received with the preceding.	
1916	No. *Nil*, dated 19th June 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Condition of affairs in the Multan Division from 1st to 31st May 1857.	Forwards a report from the Commissioner, Multan Division, of the proceedings in his Division from the 1st to the 31st May 1857. Adds that Major Hamilton and all other officers mentioned in the report deserve credit.	Nos. 32-3.
	No. 1012, dated 25th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns original documents and observes that the Chief Commissioner considers the report very satisfactory.	
1917	No. 218, dated 19th June 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Despatch of troops against Sardar Chanda Singh.	Submits, for the orders of the Chief Commissioner, an original letter from the Commissioner, Lahore Division, relative to the despatch of a party of military by Mr. Monckton against Sardar Chanda Singh, who is reported to have been raising levies. States that he entirely concurs in the remarks made by Mr. Roberts on the subject.	Nos. 44-5.
	No. 1016, dated 26th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner agrees in Commissioner's remarks, and states that a Circular has been issued to all recruiting officers which will, it is hoped, prevent the occurrence of similar mistakes in future.	

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1918	No. 222, dated 10th June 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Condition of affairs in the Multan Division during the first week of June 1857	Submits an original report from the Commissioner, Multan Division, showing the proceedings of the district officers of his Division during the first week of the current month (June 1857).	Progs. for the week ending 27th June 1857— Nos. 54-5.
	No. 1025, dated 27th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns original enclosures.	
1919	No. 217, dated 17th June 1857 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Despatch of stores to the Army Headquarters at Delhi.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter addressed to Mr. Haughton, relative to an increase in the number of bullocks employed on the bullock train line, to facilitate the despatch of stores to the Army Headquarters at Delhi. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 56—8.
1920	No. 212, dated 15th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ferries to be carefully watched.	Forwards a copy of his Circular No. 55, dated the 15th June 1857, exculpating Mr. Ricketts from blame in not attending to previous circular regarding ferries, as the circular was not sent to him by the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 59.
1921	No. 2316, dated 16th June 1857 ... From—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Feasting of the Guide Corps at Lahore.	Forwards a copy of a letter to the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, sanctioning Rs. 226-12 0 for feasting the Guide Corps at Lahore. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 67.
1922	No. 74, dated 19th June 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Unfriendly conduct of the Nawab of Bahawalpur.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of correspondence received from Lieutenant Elphinstone, Deputy Commissioner, Gugera, reporting on the unfriendly conduct of the Nawab of Bahawalpur, with his remarks thereon.	Progs. for the week ending 4th July 1857— Nos. 10—12.
	No. 1031, dated 29th June 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner is sorry to hear such unfavourable accounts of the Nawab of Bahawalpur's inattention to requisitions for troops, etc., but observes that it would be impolitic to press him at this juncture. Requests, therefore, that no letters be written to the Nawab for troops. Such letters as may appear necessary will be written by the Chief Commissioner.	
1923	No. 378, dated 16th June 1857 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Rawalpindi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Levies entertained in the Rawalpindi district.	Submits statements of levies entertained in the Rawalpindi district up to the 20th June 1857.	Nos. 18—21.

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1923—*concld.*	No. 1037, dated 29th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Levies entertained in the Rawalpindi district.	Intimates to the Commissioner that from the last returns received from the Deputy Commissioner, Rawalpindi, the Chief Commissioner finds that nearly 100 foot and upwards of 80 horsemen have been raised for that district. He, therefore, requests that these levies may be reduced, as far as it can be done consistently with safety, and the number kept as low as practicable. Adds that Lieutenant Cracroft's statement, dated the 23rd June 1857, shows 114 of the foot levies employed in the Police Battalion. The Chief Commissioner, therefore, does not understand why these men should be borne on the District Officer's returns.	Progs. for the week ending 4th July 1857— Nos. 18—21.
1924	No. 287, dated 22nd June 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims to salary by refugee officials.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, copies of correspondence with the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, regarding payment of salaries to several refugee officials from Delhi, Hansi, Hissar and Sirsa.	Nos. 22-3.
	No. 1038, dated 29th June 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Resumption of duty.	Replies that the Chief Commissioner quite approves of the tenor of his communication to Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, on the subject of claims to salary by refugee officials, and he will be happy to bring to the notice of Government the conduct of all such as exert themselves to resume their posts and restore order. Adds that there is now a large force in the Sirsa district, and the officers from Hansi and Hissar should join it.	
1925	No. 225, dated 22nd June 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mutiny at Jullundur.	Forwards, in original, for the Chief Commissioner's perusal, correspondence containing a report from Major Lake and another from Captain Farrington, regarding the mutiny at Jullundur. Also a letter from the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, on the same subject.	Nos. 35-6.
	No. 1045, dated 30th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns original documents received with the preceding.	
1926	No. 279, dated 18th June 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disposal of articles sent to the Paris Exhibition from Amritsar.	Submits, for orders of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a petition in vernacular from certain merchants of Amritsar, praying that the pashmina cloths and other articles sent by them to the Paris Exhibition may be sold there instead of being returned to them.	Nos. 37-9.
	No. 502—1026, dated 30th June 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits, for the consideration and orders of Government, a copy of the preceding, with a translation of its enclosure.	

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1927	No. 1055, dated 3rd July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Diaries of Deputy Commissioners, Jhang and Multan. Raising of levies in Multan.	Returns the diaries of the Deputy Commissioners of Jhang and Multan from the 8th to the 21st June 1857, and requests that the Deputy Commissioner, Multan, may be directed to raise no more levies without further orders, but if the necessity for more men becomes apparent, it should be at once reported to the Chief Commissioner for instructions.	Progs. for the week ending 4th July 1857— No. 52.
1928	No. 104, dated 27th June 1857 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Khangarh. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Levies raised in the Khangarh district.	Submits abstract of levies entertained in the Khangarh district during the week ending 27th June 1857.	Nos. 55-6.
	No. 1057, dated 3rd July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Khangarh.	Ditto	Referring to a remark in the preceding, enquires what he means by the phrase "concentrating ferries," as it is an unusual expression the meaning of which is not clear.	
1929	No. 228, dated 27th June 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	State of affairs in the Leiah Division.	Submits, in original, a letter from the Commissioner, Leiah Division, reporting the occurrences in his division during week ending the 20th June 1857.	Nos. 60-61
	No. 1060, dated 3rd July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns original letter received with the preceding.	
1930	No. 91, dated 24th June 1857 ... From—The Superintendent, Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Movements of the Jullundur mutineers.	Intimates that, at the request of the civil authorities, he proceeded to Mukhowal-Nandpur to watch and prevent the Jullundur mutineers entering the hills. Trusts that the Chief Commissioner will approve of his acceptance of the duty.	Nos. 62-3.
	No. 1061, dated 4th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Hill States.	Ditto	Conveys the Chief Commissioner's approval.	
1931	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd June 1857 ... From—Colonel Blair, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Unprotected state of Simla.	Forwards a copy of a letter addressed by the residents of Simla to Lord William Hay, regarding the unprotected state of the station.	Nos. 70-71.
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1932	No. 300, dated 1st July 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Salaries of Educational officials.	Submits, for the Chief Commissioner's consideration and orders, copies of correspondence containing a proposal that the Director of Public Instruction be allowed to alter the salaries of officials of each grade above or below the average amount sanctioned without reference to higher authority, so long as the total pay of the officials does not exceed the amount sanctioned by the Supreme Government.	Progs. for the week ending 11th July 1857— Nos. 7—11.
	No. 1066, dated 6th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the required sanction.	

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1933	No. 102, dated 30th June 1857 ... From—The Superintendent of Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Defensive arrangements proposed for Simla.	Suggests collecting all European families at Simla ; to scarp one of the hills and put it in a defensible state, or to remove the families in boats to Karachi.	Progs. for the week ending 11th July 1857— Nos. 12—14.
	No. 1067, dated 6th July 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of Hill States.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner does not consider it expedient to adopt either of the measures proposed.	
1934	No. 231, dated 27th June 1857 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Gratuity of one month's pay for the telegraph establishment at Ambala.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, and solicits the Chief Commissioner's sanction to the grant of a gratuity of one month's pay to the electric telegraph establishment at Ambala.	Nos. 29—32.
	No. 1076, dated 8th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the required sanction.	
1935	No. 237, dated 3rd July 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Punjabi officials required for the Hansi, Hissar and Sirsa districts.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter addressed to the Commissioner, Lahore Division, containing a requisition for Punjabi officials for service in the Hansi, Hissar and Sirsa districts. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 42.
1936	No. 150, dated 27th June 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	News received from Delhi.	Forwards translation of intelligence received from Delhi up to the 24th June 1857. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 43.
1937	No. 151, dated 28th June 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Protection of the road to Meerut.	Submits, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter addressed to the Adjutant-General of the Army, regarding measures to be adopted for securing the road to Meerut. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 44.
1938	No. 2565, dated 23rd June 1857 ... From—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Feast given to Punjab Irregular Regiments at Lahore.	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, a copy of a docket, conveying the Judicial Commissioner's sanction to a disbursement of Rs. 1,537-8-6 by the Deputy Commissioner, Lahore, for feasting certain Punjab Irregular Regiments, &c	No. 55.
1939	No. 1082, dated 13th July 1857 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Meeting of the 14th Native Infantry at Jhelum.	Intimates that a subadar and 12 or 14 men of the 14th Native Infantry escaped after the fight at Jhelum in a boat down that river. Requests the Judicial Commissioner to use every effort to arrest these men as desperate mutineers and to offer a handsome reward for their capture or destruction.	Progs. for the week ending 18th July 1857— No. 1.

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1940	No. 1014, dated 1st July 1857 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Use of Indus Flotilla by Chief Commissioner.	Forwards a copy of his letter to the address of the Superintendent of the Indus Flotilla, instructing Commanders of steamers to attend to all orders from the Chief Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 18th July 1857— Nos. 18-19.
	No. 1097, dated 13th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's thanks for the considerate orders.	
1941	No. 1104, dated 13th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ferries on the Indus.	Forwards, in original, certain correspondence with the Deputy Commissioner of Khangarh. In the Chief Commissioner's opinion it would be an advisable measure to reduce the number of ferries at present on the Indus, but the actual number to be kept open should depend upon local considerations. Requests him to issue the necessary orders on the subject.	No. 84.
1942	No. 1026, dated 1st July 1857 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New postal lines opened to expedite communication with Calcutta.	Intimates that the postal line from Hyderabad to Jodhpur, *vid* Oomerkot Gaddra and Balmean, has been opened, with the object of giving the Punjab and portions of the North-Western Provinces whose direct lines are now cut off a less circuitous route to Calcutta than that *via* Tatta and Bombay. Makes certain suggestions regarding despatch of letters, &c.	Nos. 35-6.
	No. 1105, dated 14th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's thanks for the information, and states that hitherto no letters have been sent to Agra, that route being closed. The Chief Commissioner, therefore, proposes sending originals by the new route, and duplicates by Bhuj and Tatta in future. Adds that the *Sindian* paper announces the opening of a second line from Bahawalpur to Jodhpur, and as this line would save several days for letters from the Punjab, the Chief Commissioner wishes to know whether it has been opened or not.	
1943	No. 242, dated 7th July 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bullock train from Lahore to Multan.	Reports that the bullock train between Lahore and Multan has proved a failure, and forwards an original letter from Major Hamilton, detailing arrangements made by him for the speedy conveyance of troops and ammunition.	Nos. 42-3.
	No. 1110, dated 15th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Steamers lying at Karachi in pieces.	Returns Major Hamilton's letter and observes that the Commissioner of Sind is doing all he can to get steamers for the Indus, four of which have been lying at Karachi for many months just as they arrived from England in pieces.	

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1944	No. 244, dated 8th July 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bullock train from Lahore to Multan.	In continuation of letter No. 243, dated the 7th July 1857, intimates that the Postmaster-General has cancelled his order for the withdrawal of the Bullock train on the Multan road. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 18th July 1857— Nos. 71—8.
	No. 243, dated 7th July 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, a copy of a letter addressed to the Postmaster-General, North-Western Province, suggesting continuance of the Government Bullock train between Lahore and Multan. MEMO.—OFFICE.	
1945	No. 9, dated 18th June 1857 ... From—Brigadier-General Jacob, C.B., Commanding Persian Expeditionary Force. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Steamers for the Indus.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2 A, of the 17th May 1857, forwards copies of correspondence on the subject of steamers for the river Indus. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 86—9.
	No. 1038, dated 4th July 1857 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a letter from Brigadier-General Jacob, C. B., Commanding Persian Expeditionary Force, regarding river steamers for the Indus. MEMO.—OFFICE.	
1946	No. 1128, dated 20th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer-in-charge of Electric Telegraph office, Rawalpindi.	Despatch of messages of public and important nature.	Requests that copies of such messages as are of a public and important nature may be sent to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. Defines the value of the messages to be communicated.	Progs. for the week ending 25th July 1857— Nos. 7-8,
	No. 1129, dated 20th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	
1947	No. 253, dated 18th July 1857 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reward of Rs. 50 to Mr. McGarry of the Telegraph Department.	Forwards, for approval of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter to the Commissioner, Lahore Division, ordering a donation of Rs. 50 to be paid to Mr. McGarry of the Telegraph Department for establishing speedily a telegraph office at Gujranwala.	Nos. 11—8.
	No. 1131, dated 21st July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's approval.	
1948	No. *Nil*, dated 13th July 1857 ... From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	States that from the long period which has elapsed since the Chief Commissioner submitted his letter for consideration of the Governor-General in Council, he is apprehensive that it may have been lost in transit and requests that duplicates may be forwarded, as his case has been pending more than a year.	Nos. 16—18.

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1948—*concld.*	No. 535—1133, dated 21st July 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty Assistant Commissioner.	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	Progs. for the week ending 25th July 1857— Nos. 16—18.
	No. 1134, dated 21st July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant-Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Ditto	Intimates that a copy of his letter has been forwarded to the Supreme Government for orders.	
1949	No. 174, dated 16th July 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to remove the Civ Officers to the Ambala Cantonments.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Ambala, proposing removal of himself with the treasury, &c., to cantonments, and recommends, in modification of the proposal, the location of an Assistant and establishment of a branch treasury in Cantonments.	Nos. 30-31.
	No. 1141, dated 22nd July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner, after considering carefully the proposal made in the preceding, is still of opinion that the Civil Officers should remain where they are in the Civil Lines.	
1950	No. 251, dated 13th July 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grant of passes to travellers.	Forwards, for Chief Commissioner's perusal, a printed copy of a circular No. 64, dated the 9th July 1857, regarding caution to be observed in granting passes to travellers. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 39-40.
1951	No. 786, dated 7th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Opening of a new postal line from Hyderabad to Jodhpur.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner in Sind, reporting completion of arrangements for opening a new postal line from Hyderabad to Jodhpur *viâ* Omarkot, Gaddra and Balmeer. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 49-50.
1952	No. 812, dated 10th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mutiny special powers conferred on the Chief Commissioner.	Forwards by express a copy of a telegraph message from the Government of India to the Chief Commissioner, investing him with certain powers consequent on the mutiny. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 51-2.
1953	No. 79, dated 24th July 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reward for arrest of certain deserters of 14th and 58th Native Infantry.	Forwards a copy of a letter, with a bill from the Deputy Commissioner, Rawalpindi, and requests sanction to the rewards paid to individuals for apprehending and killing certain deserters of the 14th and 58th Native Infantry.	Progs. for the week ending 1st August 1857— Nos. 19—21.
	No. 1159, dated 31st July 1857 ...	...	MEMO.—Ordering countersignature and return of bill.	
1954	No. 1171, dated 22nd July 1857 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	New postal lines opened.	With reference to letter No. 1105, dated the 14th July 1857, intimates that the postal line *viâ* Bahawalpur to Jodhpur is open, and another from Omerkot to Deesa has been completed and is now in full work. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 38.

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1955	No. 2841, dated 3rd July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Allowances granted to Roman Catholic priests.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, to the Commissioner in the Tenasserim and Martaban Provinces, on the subject of the allowances to be granted to Roman Catholic priests when more than one regiment of Europeans is located at a station.	Progs. for the week ending 8th August 1857— Nos. 1—3.
	No. 1164, dated 3rd August 1857	...	MEMO.—Order that a copy of the preceding be sent to the Civil Auditor for his information and guidance.	
1956	No. 2769, dated 30th June 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Casual leave to uncovenanted officers.	Forwards a copy of a Government resolution connected with the Uncovenanted Service Absentee Rules, permitting heads of offices to grant leave of absence for a few days on account of sickness to uncovenanted officers without deduction from salary or period of service, and cancelling rules issued by Bombay Government fixing limit within which this was to be allowed.	Nos. 4—9.
	Circular No. 22—1165, dated 3rd August 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— All Commissioners; (2) Chief Engineer; and (3) Director of Canals.	Ditto	Circulates a copy of the preceding for their information and guidance.	
	Nos. 1166 to 1168, dated 3rd August 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner (2) Financial Commissioner; and (3) Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1957	No. *Nil*, dated 1st August 1857 ... From—Revd. W. J. Parker, Principal and Secretary, Lawrence Asylum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Training class for P. W. D	Applies for two sets of drawing instruments for the use of the lads training for the D. P. W., to be paid for from the balance of Rs. 1,000 granted to Government for purchase of instruments.	Nos. 30—32.
	No. 1180, dated 6th August 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Asks the Chief Engineer to furnish the Principal of the Lawrence Asylum with 12 sets of instruments as above or at least with as many sets as can be supplied for Rs. 177-1-11, being the balance of the Government grant of Rs. 1,000 for this purpose.	
	No. 1181, dated 6th August 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Principal, Lawrence Asylum.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	

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1958	No. 427, dated 6th August 1857 ... From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Employment for certain individuals of late Govindgarh garrison. (Sikh Darbar).	Submits, for consideration and orders of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of correspondence regarding certain muharrirs and weighmen who formerly belonged to the garrison of Govindgarh under the late Darbar and are now attached to the Amritsar district. Adds that the separate pay bills drawn on account of these men will continue to be passed as heretofore until they are brought on the strength of the district establishment.	Progs. for the week ending 15th August 1857— Nos. 8—10.
	No. 1189, dated 11th August 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that by a letter No. 1448, dated the 20th July 1851, the Secretary to the Board of Administration requested his predecessor to arrange for the employment of certain individuals of the late Govindgarh garrison in the various district offices of his division, their pay being drawn in a separate bill by the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar until so provided for. Although more than six years have elapsed, these orders have remained unexecuted and a sum of Rs. 8,000 has been disbursed which might have been saved. The Chief Commissioner has, therefore, directed the Civil Auditor to refuse audit to the bills after the 1st September 1857, and requests that the men may be sent fo to Lahore and immediate arrangements made for their employment on some suitable posts. Communicates remarks and suggestions in the matter.	
	No. 1190, dated 11th August 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Informs the Civil Auditor that he has written to Commissioner of Lahore to provide for the immediate employment of the Munshis of the late Govindgarh garrison in some suitable manner, and directs him to refuse audit to the bills for their salary after the 1st September 1857.	
1959	No 4087, dated 15th August 1857 From—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suttee Company in the Hazara District.	Forwards a copy of his letter to the Commissioner of Peshawar, conveying the Chief Commissioner's sanction to a temporary increase to the Suttee Company in the Hazara District from the 1st June 1857, at a cost of Rs. 299 per mensem. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 50.
1960	No. 575—1211, dated 18th August 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Temporary Gazette published in the Punjab. Permanent publication proposed.	Forwards a copy of the first number of a Gazette which the Chief Commissioner has established temporarily in the Punjab, to be a means of speedily circulating orders of Government until the communications with Calcutta are re-opened and the Government Gazette again in circulation as usual. Trusts that the measure will meet with the approval of Government, and enquires whether there will be any objection to the Gazette being continued under the title of "Acts and Orders of the Punjab Local Administration" when communications are re-opened, as the want of some means of rapidly circulating Acts and Orders has been very generally felt	Progs. for the week ending 22nd August 1857— No. 4.

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1961	No. 2446, dated 15th August 1857 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Training class for P. W. D., in Sanawar Asylum.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1180, dated the 6th August 1857, states that he is unable to supply the Principal of the Lawrence Asylum with 12 sets of drawing instruments as not a single set remains in store. From a reference to the books of his office, it appears that the correct balance of the Rs. 1,000 granted by Government is Rs. 155 4-2.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd August 1857— Nos. 10-11.
	No. 1213, dated 18th August 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay.	Ditto	Asks the Secretary to the Government of Bombay to procure, for the use of boys who are being trained in the Lawrence Asylum, 12 sets of drawing instruments or as many as can be procured for the sum of Rs. 155-4-2, balance of Rs. 1,000 granted by Government, the Chief Engineer of the Punjab being unable to supply them. Offers some suggestions for procuring the articles cheaply.	
1962	No. 5, dated 17th August 1857 ... From—The Inspector of Prisons, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of vaccine procured from England.	Requests that the necessary orders may be issued to enable him to draw the sum of Rs. 80 from the Lahore treasury, being the amount authorized for procuring vaccine matter and instruments from England, the articles having arrived in Calcutta by last mail.	Nos. 27—9.
	No. 1224, dated 20th August 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.	Ditto	Asks the Deputy Commissioner to advance Rs. 80 to Dr. Hathaway, being the amount expended by him in procuring vaccine matter and instruments from England, and points out how the charge is to be adjusted.	
	No. 1225, dated 20th August 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Inspector of Prisons, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	
1963	No. 440, dated 18th August 1857 From—The Principal, Lawrence Asylum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Advance of Rs. 2,000 per mensem made to the Lawrence Asylum.	Reports that the stoppage of dâks and other circumstances have placed the institution in a very embarrassed position. Explains its exigencies and requirements, and solicits an advance of Rs. 2,000 per mensem for the next six months to meet them.	Nos. 52—5.
	No. 1238, dated 22nd August 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that, in consequence of an urgent appeal from the Secretary to the Lawrence Asylum, the Chief Commissioner requests that an advance of Rs. 2,000 per month be made to him, in addition to the sum of Rs. 2,000 already being advanced, for a period of six (6) months, to be adjusted on receipt of a reply to reference made to Government on this subject.	
	No. 1239, dated 22nd August 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Principal, Lawrence Asyuml.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	

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1963—*concld.*	No. 590—1240, dated 22nd August 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Advance of Rs. 2,000 per mensem made to the Lawrence Asylum.	Forwards copies of certain documents concerning the difficulties in which Managers of the Lawrence Asylum are placed by the disturbed state of the country, and states that the Chief Commissioner has directed an advance to the Managers of Rs. 2,000 per month, for six months, to which the sanction of Government is solicited.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd August 1857— Nos. 52-5.
1964	No. 2792, dated 27th June 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Privilege leave for uncovenanted servants.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, ruling that leave on private affairs cannot be taken by uncovenanted servants in continuation of privilege leave but that privilege leave may be allowed to accumulate to three months. MEMO.—Published in the *Punjab Gazette*.	No. 56.
1965	No. 367, dated 18th August 1857 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of female Schools.	In continuation of letter No. 90, dated the 20th February 1857, forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, with enclosures, detailing the result of his efforts towards establishment of female schools and soliciting provisional sanction for an expenditure of Rs. 20 per mensem for each district for this purpose. Recommends that the amount be sanctioned.	Progs. for the week ending 29th August 1857— Nos. 11—15.
	No. 1245, dated 27th August 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner has been much pleased with the success of Mr. Arnold's exertions, and considers that Lieutenant Parke deserves great credit for the zeal he has displayed. Sanctions the expenditure of Rs. 20 per mensem for each district.	
1966	No. 361, dated 17th August 1857... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grant of two lakhs for educational department.	With reference to letter No. 895, dated the 1st June 1857, and enclosure, forwards, with his remarks, a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, with schedule, showing the distribution which he proposes to make of the maximum yearly sum of Rs. 2,00,000 provisionally sanctioned for educational establishments in the Punjab, including grants-in-aid, cost of buildings, &c.	Progs. for the week ending 5th September 1857— Nos. 2—4.
	No. 607—1256, dated 31st August 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Previous to submission of the quarterly statement of charges passed by the Chief Commissioner in the educational department, required by the Resolution of Government in the Financial Department of the 1st May 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding and of its enclosures.	

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1967	No. 371, dated 19th August 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	"Book and Translation Department."	With reference to the schedule of proposed outlay on the Educational Department, submitted with his letter No. 364, dated the 17th August 1857, in which an outlay of Rs. 300 per mensem is entered on account of a "Book and Translation Department," forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, communicating his views in the matter, and proposing that Ajudhya Prasad, head teacher of the Amritsar school, be appointed curator, translator and editor on Rs. 200 per mensem, with an allowance of Rs. 100 for contingencies, and soliciting an advance of Rs. 10,000 to lay in a supply of books. Recommends these measures being sanctioned.	Progs. for the week ending 5th September 1857—Nos. 10—18.
	No. 1260, dated 1st September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Editing of *Punjab Gazette*.	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's sanction to the establishment of a translator, curator and editor and his office, at a cost of Rs. 300 per mensem, and to the appointment being conferred on Ajudhya Prasad, head teacher of the Amritsar school, who also may edit the *Punjab Gazette* during the absence of of Mr. Kirke. Also sanctions the advance of Rs. 10,000 solicited by Mr. Arnold for the purchase of books.	
1968	No. 1266, dated 2nd September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepore.	Proposed steam navigation on Punjab rivers. Navigation of Sutlej.	Intimates that a private company in England are anxious to establish steam boats on the Punjab rivers, especially the Sutlej. The Chief Commissioner, therefore, requests that he will obtain all the information he can from the officers and passengers of the "Nimrod" as to the obstructions they met in coming up and, if in their opinion, the channel is adapted for steam traffic. Also requests him to enquire from the boatmen who may have come up in the steamer and from other boatmen at Ferozepore who know the stream if such a vessel could come up regularly, and, if not, for how many months it could do so.	No. 19
1969	No. 3065, dated 28th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Plunder of the Kasauli treasury. Reduction of W. Taylor, Assistant Commissioner.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No 480, dated the 18th June 1857, reporting on the plunder of the Kasauli treasury, requests that Mr. Taylor, Assistant Commissioner, be reduced to half pay for six months, and states that Captain Dicken's conduct will be investigated in the Military Department.	Nos. 25—7.
	No. 1269, dated 3rd September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto Search for the culprits.	Forwards a copy of the preceding and intimates that the order will take effect from the 1st July to the 31st December 1857. Enquires whether any further trace of the perpetrators of the night attack on the Kasauli treasury or any fresh reason for suspecting Bahadur Singh of Kothai has been discovered, and if not, what hopes are entertained of finding the real culprits.	

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1969—*concld.*	No. 1270, dated 3rd September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Plunder of the Kasauli Treasury.	Forwards, for his information and guidance a copy of Government letter No. 3065, dated the 28th July 1857, and extracts paragraphs 1 and 2 from the above.	Progs. for the week ending 5th September 1857—Nos. 25—7.
1970	No. 3116, dated 31st July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Control of the Postal Department in the Punjab.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a Government notification in the Home Department, regarding the future control of the Postal Department within the Chief Commissioner's jurisdiction.	Nos. 37-8.
	No. 1278, dated 4th September 1857	Ditto	MEMO.—Ordered that the above notification be republished in the *Punjab Gazette*, for information and guidance.	
1971	No. *Nil*, dated 2nd September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Coal fields.	Forwards 12 printed copies of Mr. D. Smith's report of the Sigrowlie and Kurhurbari coal fields.	Nos. 44-5.
	No. 1281, dated 5th September 1857.	Ditto	MEMO.—Orders distribution of the printed papers received with preceding.	
1972	No. 392, dated 29th August 1857 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Educational establishments.	In continuation of letter No. 364, dated the 17th August 1857, forwards a copy of a statement received from the Director of Public Instruction of establishments permanently authorized to be entertained in the Educational department, in addition to those sanctioned by Government orders, dated 16th March 1857 to the 31st July 1857, making a total yearly authorized expenditure of Rs. 1,62,600.	Nos. 46—8.
	No. 617—1232, dated 5th September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 607, dated the 31st August 1857, submits a return of Educational establishments sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner, as directed in Government letter No. 2204, dated the 12th May 1857.	
1973	No. 3020, dated 21st July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pension rules. Service in Medical department not to count towards Civil Pension.	Forwards, for the information and guidance of the Chief Commissioner, an extract from proceedings of Government in the Financial Department, declaring that service in the Medical department cannot count for service as pension in the Civil Department.	Nos. 50-51.
			MEMO.—OFFICE.	
1974	No. 2995, dated 17th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a special Inspector of Dispensaries.	Referring to previous correspondence, forwards an extract from the Hon'ble Court's despatch, conveying their approval to the appointment of a special Inspector of Dispensaries for the Punjab.	Nos. 53-4.
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1975	No. 3052, dated 24th July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Eligibility of Punjab Civil Servants for appointments in the North-Western Provinces.	Referring to Commissioner's letter No. 5344, dated the 21st October 1856, regarding the eligibility of Civil Servants in the Punjab and Oudh to offices in the North-Western Provinces, forwards an extract from the Hon'ble Court's despatch, conveying their approval of the measure. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 5th September 1857— Nos. 55-6.
1976	No. *Nil*, dated 26th August 1857 From—The Principal, Lawrence Asylum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lawrence Asylum.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1258, dated the 22nd August 1857, to the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, conveys thanks of the Board of Guardians for the speedy aid rendered to the Lawrence Asylum. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 60.
1977	No. 312, dated 19th June 1857 ... From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Strength of Punjab Commission.	Forwards the usual statements of the Punjab Commission for the 1st June 1857, as required in letter No. 867, dated the 1st June 1857.	Progs. for the week ending 12th September 1857— Nos. 5-6.
	No. 1286, dated 7th September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Asks the Civil Auditor to submit the comparative tables of the expenditure of the Punjab Commission required for submission to Government on the 1st January and 1st July of every year Adds that, as a return was received from him on the 1st April and submitted to Government, that for July was deemed unnecessary, but as five months have now elapsed, and as the Chief Commissioner is also anxious to ascertain how many more assistants could be appointed, he requests the submission of the tables in the usual form.	
1978	No. 288, dated 30th August 1857... From—The Assistant Geological Surveyor. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Analysis of the water in Mian Mir.	Forwards M. Marcadieu's report on the the analysis of the water in the Mian Mir wells, and a plan, with all wells numbered.	Nos. 14—17.
	No. 337—1294, dated 9th September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, *Public Works Department.*	Ditto Adulteration of *atta*.	Forwards, with reference to letter No. 2127, dated the 1st May 1857, a copy of the preceding and its enclosures, with the Chief Commissioner's remarks thereon. Adds, with reference to M. Marcadieu's detection of gram flour in *atta*, that, though the Chief Commissioner thinks the subject unworthy of any particular examination, yet a good microscope in each station where there is a European regiment might enable the Commissariat officer to detect adulteration which any other examination would fail to bring to light.	

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1979	No. 286, dated 17th August 1857 .. From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proportion of Hindustanis and Punjabis employed in the Punjab.	Submits a memorandum showing the proportions of Hindustanis and Punjabis employed in the Punjab in posts above the rank of Barkandaz sadr *amla* at stations should never exceed in Hindustanis 1/3rd the strength borne on the list. Tahsildars should not exceed 1/4th of the number in each district, and where the Tahsildar is a Hindustani, the Peshkar should invariably be a Punjabi. This should be attended to at once; the Tahsil *amla* should never to exceed 1/6th Hindustanis. Hindustanis Tahsildars should not exceed 1/10th of the number in each district, and where the Thanedar is a Hindustani, the Muharrir should be invariably a Punjabi. This also should be carried out at once. Of the other Thana officers, not more that 1/20th should be Hindustanis, and in future no Hindustanis should be appointed to the ranks. Finally, recommends that all incompetent Hindustani officers be needed out and their places supplied with Punjabis until the present proportion is attained, and that no appointment above the rank of Barkandaz should be hereafter made till a report has been submitted to Commissioner, stating that the nominee is a Punjabi. Adds that the Financial Commissioner concurs in the recommendations made by him (Judicial Commissioner).	Progs. for the week ending 12th September 1857— Nos. 20—24.
	No. 1296, dated 9th September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto. Arrival returns to be submitted	Replies that the Chief Commissioner fully approves, as a general rule, of all the proposals contained in the Memo. submitted with the preceding, but cases will occur where it may be necessary to make exceptions which may be safely left to Commissioners of Divisions. The Chief Commissioner desires a similar return to be forwarded with the annual reports, and it should include Government servants of all classes.	
1980	No. 395, dated 4th September 1857 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Publication of matters of general interest in the *Punjab Gazette*.	Requests that all circulars issued from his office containing his own orders or those of the Chief Commissioner, on matters of general applicability or interest may be published in the *Punjab Gazette*, in the same manner as the circular instructions of the Sadr Board of Revenue, North-Western Provinces, are published in the *Agra Government Gazette*.	Nos. 25—32.
	No. 1297, dated 9th September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner thinks that it would be very advantageous if both his (Financial Commissioner's) and the Judicial Commissioner's circulars were so published, and that circulars of the Civil Auditor, Accountant, Inspector of Prisons and Director of Public Instruction might also be thus published.	

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1980—*concld.*	Nos. 1298 to 1302, dated 9th September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—(1) Judicial Commissioner; (2) Civil Auditor, Punjab; (3) Accountant, Punjab; (4) Inspector of Prisons; (5) Director of Public Instruction.	Publication of matters of general interest in the *Punjab Gazette.*	Forwards copies of the preceding.	Progs. for the week ending 12th September 1857—Nos. 25—32.
	No. 1303, dated 9th September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Enquires whether the Chief Engineer wishes his circular orders to be printed in the *Punjab Gazette.* As they are always printed and circulated by him they might instead be printed at the Gazette Press as a supplement, and separate copies supplied to him for circulation.	
1981	No. 347, dated 31st August 1857... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Simla Municipal Committee.	Forwards a letter from the Chairman of the Local Commissioners, partly addressed to himself and partly to the Chief Commissioner, complaining particularly of delay in furnishing certain documents, and generally of the want of support afforded by him to the Committee. Explains the cause of the delay complained of and recommends the abolition of the sweeper tax for reasons mentioned.	Nos. 49—53.
	No. 1313, dated 10th September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Simla.	Ditto Proposed abolition of sweeper tax.	Replies that the Chief Commissioner can not consider his explanation satisfactory, for, if he was too busy, his Assistant should have taken care that the requisitions of the Committee were complied with. Adds that the Chief Commissioner is averse for certain reasons to the abolition of the sweeper tax before consulting the Commissioner of the Division. Points out that he should submit letters on civil business through the Commissioner.	
	No. 1314, dated 10th September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
1982	Circular No. 24-1319, dated 11th September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Vaccination	Forwards, for circulation, copies of printed instructions concerning vaccination, issued by the National Vaccine Board in London, and requests that they may be distributed among the district officers, native doctors, and dispensaries or in such a way that their contents may be widely known and acted up to. Also suggests that a copy be given to the Government school at each station.	Nos. 61—5.
	Nos. 1320, 1321 and 1323, dated 11th September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—(1) Judicial Commissioner; (2) Financial Commissioner; (3) Inspector of Jails.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, with copies of the printed instructions.	
	No. 1322, dated 11th September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Director of Public Instruction, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding with a request that he will have a translation prepared in his office.	

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1983	No. 311, dated 12th September 1857 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Operations against mutineers of the 26th Native Infantry.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. *Nil*, dated the 21st August 1857, forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's perusal, a letter from the Commissioner, Lahore Division, submitting a list of rewards distributed at Amritsar for services rendered in the attack on and destruction of mutineers of the 26th Native Infantry.	Progs. for the week ending 19th September 1857—Nos. 13-14.
	No. 1342, dated 16th September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns original papers received with preceding.	
984	No. 75, dated 12th September 1857 From—Colonel Blair, C.B, Chairman, Municipal Committee, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Complaint against the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, for imprisoning Municipal officials.	Submits a complaint against the Deputy Commissioner, Simla, for flogging and imprisoning a Jemadar and Chaprasi employed in taking a list of shops, etc., in the Bazar by order of the Municipal Commissioners, and annexes copies of correspondence in the case.	Nos. 15—18.
	No. 76, dated 14th September 1857 From—Colonel Blair, C.B., Chairman, Municipal Committee, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 75, dated the 12th September 1857, forwards a copy of a letter from Lord Hay, and states that the Jemadar and Chaprasi are still in jail.	
	No. 1343, dated 17th September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and requests him to call on Lord Hay to submit an explanation, and to release the prisoners without delay. Desires him to enquire into the case and report on it; and, with reference to Lord Hay's explanation that the men were flogged for great impertinence, the Chief Commissioner requests that he may be called on to state under what rules or authority he inflicted such a punishment for impertinence. Desires that the Municipal Committee may be informed that they should refer all matters to the Commissioner, and not to the Chief Commissioner direct.	
1985	No. 1506, dated 9th September 1857 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Opening of new postal lines.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Director-General of Post Offices in India, relative to the postal lines *viâ* Haiderabad Omerkot to Deesa and Bahawalpur to Jodhpur, and desires to be favoured with the Chief Commissioner's views as to the expediency of maintaining all these lines. Observes that, in his opinion, it is desirable to maintain them until the country is perfectly settled.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd October 1857—Nos. 1—3.
	No. 1377, dated 28th September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for any observations he may have to offer on the subject.	

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1986	No. 218, dated 23rd September 1857 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rewards for the capture of mutineers of the 26th Regiment, Native Infantry.	In continuation of letter No. 311, dated the 12th September 1857, forwards correspondence from the Commissioner, Lahore Division, regarding rewards proposed by the Deputy Commissioner, Gurdaspur, for the capture and destruction of a party of mutineers of the 26th Regiment, Native Infantry, amounting to Rs. 1,950, and recommends sanction.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd October 1857— Nos 8-9.
	No. 1379, dated 29th September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply communicates the Chief Commissioner's sanction to the rewards proposed and returns original enclosures.	
1987	No. 3278, dated 18th August 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Acknowledgment of services of Mr. Colvin, Sir J. Lawrence and Sir H. Lawrence during the mutiny.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Court of Directors, expressing their deep sense of the great qualities of Mr. Colvin, Sir J Lawrence and Sir H. Lawrence, as evinced by them on the occasion of the mutiny of the Bengal army. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 44-5.
1988	No. 376, dated 15th September 1857 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Municipal Committee, Simla.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1313, dated the 10th September 1857, states that the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner was inadvertently addressed direct in the matter of the complaint made by the Chairman of the Municipal Commissioners. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 49.
1989	No. 3266, dated 15th August 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Nominal roll of Sikhs and Punjabies who remained loyal at Benares on the 4th June 1857.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Adjutant-General of the Army, with enclosure, together with original Persian nominal roll of Sikhs and Punjabies who remained faithful on the occasion of the outbreak at Benares on the 4th June 1857, and requests that it may be circulated among the friends of those named, as the knowledge of their having been rewarded cannot fail to have a salutary effect on the recruits who are now being enlisted in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 10th October 1857— Nos. 27—33.
	No. 1410, dated 7th October 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto Measures to be adopted for public acknowledgment of their loyalty. Services of men from Patiala.	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of the nominal roll and desires that the instructions of the Government of India may be carried out carefully and well. A sanad should be given to the nearest relative of each sepoy, and his expenses should be paid to come into the sadr to hear the list publicly read Requests that the rulers of Native States be requested to inform the relatives of the loyal men of the good conduct of their sons and brothers, and that the Maharaja of Patiala be informed of the Chief Commissioner's gratification in learning that so many from his territory have remained faithful.	

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1989—*concld.*	No. 1411, dated 7th October 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Nominal roll of Sikhs and Punjabies who remained loyal at Benares on the 4th June 1857.	Forwards a copy of the preceding with the exception of the part relating to the Raja of Patiala.	Progs. for the week ending 10th October 1857... Nos. 27—33.
	No. 1412, dated 7th October 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding with the exception of the part relating to rulers of Native States and the Maharaja of Patiala	
	No. 1413, dated 7th October 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	As above.	
1990	No. 1131, dated 29th September 1857. From—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Maintenance of new postal lines.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1377, dated the 28th September 1857, with enclosures, and states that, in his opinion, it is desirable for certain reasons to maintain for some time the new line of postal communication between Bahawalpur and Jodhpur, in addition to that between Haiderabad and Jodhpur *vid* Omerkot.	Nos. 44-5.
	No. 1420, dated 8th October 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 1506, dated the 9th September 1857, communicates the opinion expressed by the Postmaster-General in the North-Western Provinces of the preceding, and states that the Chief Commissioner entirely concurs therein.	
1991	No. 3365, dated 19th August 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Investigation of mineral resources of the Himalayas east and west of the Sutlej. Agreement to be taken from Lieutenant Pengree.	With reference to previous correspondence relative to a proposal of Lieutenant Pengree for exploring the Himalaya hills east and west of the Sutlej in search of minerals, forwards a copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors and requests that the necessary arrangements for carrying out the intentions of the Hon'ble Court may be entered into with Lieutenant Pengree and the result reported to the Supreme Government for final orders.	Nos. 46—8.
	No. 1421, dated 8th October 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Pengree, Invalid Establishment.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the despatch received with the preceding, and requests him to state in detail his views and wishes in the matter, taking care that they are as clear and definite as possible.	
1992	No. 316, dated 2nd October 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Recognition of services of certain men of the Irregular Cavalry.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Thanesar, bringing to notice the services of certain men of the Irregular Cavalry who have been on furlough at their homes in his district since May 1857, and, as they behaved very well, he recommends their being employed as orderlies, receiving their pay regularly until they can be absorbed into some cavalry regiment.	Nos. 55—8.

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1992—*concld.*	No. 1425, dated 9th October 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Recognition of services of certain men of the Irregular Cavalry.	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's sanction to the arrangement proposed, pending orders of the Government of India, which have been solicited	Progs. for the week ending 10th October 1857—Nos. 55—8.
	No. 675—1426, dated 9th October 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Reports to the Government of India particulars relative to the good conduct of certain men of the Irregular Cavalry, residents of the Thanesar District, and solicits sanction to the arrangements made for their present employment.	
1993	No. 1427, dated 9th October 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Jhelum.	Capture of Baje Khan, late Duffadar of the 9th Irregular Cavalry.	In reference to his vernacular proceeding of the 5th October 1857, reporting capture of Baje Khan, late Duffadar of the 9th Irregular Cavalry, who mutinied along with certain other men of that regiment and forwarding a copy of his deposition taken by the Assistant Commissioner at Pind Dadan Khan, informs the Deputy Commissioner that the prisoner may be tried under Articles VI and VII and disposed of.	No. 59.
1994	No. 2414, dated 21st September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Training class for Public Works Department at Sanawar.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1213, dated the 18th August 1857, forwards a copy of a report from the Chief Engineer, Bombay, and intimates that he has been instructed to purchase, at a cost of Rs. 144, eight cases of instruments and to forward them to the address of the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner.	Nos. 65—7.
	No. 1430, dated 9th October 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Principal, Lawrence Asylum	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1181, dated the 6th August 1857, informs the Principal that the Chief Engineer, Punjab, having reported his inability to supply the mathematical instruments required application was made to the Bombay Government and their Secretary states, in reply, that the Chief Engineer of Bombay has been directed to purchase eight sets of instruments and forward them to Lahore. On their arrival they will be sent on to Sanawar.	
1995	No. 329, dated 3rd October 1857 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Money spent on obtaining information regarding the Sialkot mutineers.	Forwards, in original, correspondence received from the Military Department and under the circumstances stated therein, recommends that the disbursement of Rs. 1,100 by the Deputy Commissioner, Gurdaspur, in obtaining information, etc., on the occasion of the Sialkot mutineers visiting the neighbourhood of Gurdaspur, be sanctioned.	Nos. 76-7.
	No. 1436, dated 10th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction and returns original correspondence.	

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1996	No. 3362, dated 21st August 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disposal of articles contributed to the Paris Exhibition.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 502, dated the 30th June 1857, forwards a copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, and states that the unsold articles contributed by merchants of Lahore and Amritsar to the Paris Exhibition, have arrived in Calcutta, and requests that the wishes of the owners may be obtained regarding their disposal. Also requests that the equivalent of £15-2-6 be paid to Russuljoo of Lahore, as directed by the Hon'ble Court.	Progs. for the week ending 10th October 1857— Nos. 79—82.
	No. 1439, dated 10th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to letter No. 279, dated the 18th June 1857, forwards copies of the preceding and of its enclosures, and requests him to ascertain and report whether the owners of the goods, which have been returned to Calcutta, wish them to be sold there or sent to Amritsar, and desires that the necessary instructions for the payment of the equivalent of £15-2-6 to Rassuljoo of Lahore may be issued.	
1997	No. 1440, dated 10th October 1857	The establishment of a Steam Flotilla on the Indus."	MEMO.—Ordered that three copies of pamphlet entitled, "The establishment of a Steam Flotilla on the Indus" be distributed as follows :— Judicial Commissioner ... one copy Financial Commissioner ... one copy Office ... .. one copy	Nos. 83-4.
1998	No. 433, dated 3rd October 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed establishment of a Government school in the Hindore State.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 585, dated the 13th April 1857, forwards copies of correspondence regarding a Government school to be established in the Hindore State MEMO.—OFFICE.	No 95
1999	No. *Nil*, dated 4th October 1857 From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner. To The—Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Forwards memorial addressed to the Governor-General in Council, giving particulars of his case and praying for an early decision.	Progs. for the week ending 17th October 1857— Nos. 23—5.
	No. 1461, dated 13th October 1857... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner cannot comply with his request, as he does not think that the facts of the case have been correctly stated in the memorial.	
2000	No. 136, dated 29th September 1857 From—The Assistant Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pogson's cure for diarrhœa and dysentery.	Forwards, for the orders of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Pogson, Invalids, relative to a specific discovered by him for the cure of diarrhœa and dysentery.	Nos. 39-40.
	No. 1168, dated 14th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Assistant Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner can give no order in the matter, but is of opinion that Lieutenant Pogson might, at a fitting opportunity, lay the matter before the Supreme Government.	

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2001	No. 440, dated 7th October 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Progress of education not affected by the mutiny.	Submits, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction. The Chief Commissioner will be gratified at learning that the cause of education in the Punjab has not suffered from the excitement which lately prevailed throughout Hindustan. It will be seen that the number of schools as well as number and value of books sold have actually increased during the last quarter, as compared with the preceding one.	Progs. for the week ending 17th October 1857—Nos. 44—7.
	No. 1469, dated 14th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner considers the fact very satisfactory.	
2002	No. 164, dated 7th October 1857 .. From—The Inspector of Electric Telegraph in the Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Opening of the telegraph line for private messages. Restoration and extension of lines.	Informs the Chief Commissioner that several applications have been received by him from private individuals for transmission of messages, and suggests that the line may now be opened to the public, as the number of Government messages has materially diminished since the fall of Delhi. The line is idle for 6 or 8 hours at a time; adds that part of the wire destroyed by the insurgents has been replaced and that measures for its extension to Meerut are in progress. The Sutlej cable will be attended to as soon as he completes his arrangements at Delhi.	Nos. 51-2.
	No. 1473, dated 15th October 1857	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner sanctions the opening of the Electric Telegraph line for the transmission of private messages.	
2003	No. 1474, dated 15th October 1857	Distribution List of the Punjab Commission.	MEMO.—Orders that a quarterly distribution list of the Punjab Commission on the 1st October 1857 be prepared and sent to the Financial Commissioner 1 copy, Accountant, Punjab, 1 copy, Civil Auditor, Punjab, 1 copy.	No. 53.
2004	No. 3683, dated 28th August 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Payment of salaries of officers unemployed in consequence of the mutiny.	Forwards a copy of a notification laying down rules for payment of salaries of officers and establishments whose employment in the Civil Department has ceased in consequence of the mutinies. MEMO.—Published in the *Punjab Gazette*.	No. 60.
2005	No. 439, dated 7th October 1857 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Circulation in Government schools, etc., of the treatise on vaccination.	Submits, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, copies of letters to and from the Director of Public Instruction, relative to the circulation in Government schools, etc., of the treatise on vaccination which accompanied Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1321, dated the 11th September 1857, and of a vernacular translation of the same. Also of another vernacular pamphlet on the same subject, called the "Got han Sitta" published at Agra, 1854. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 61-3.

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2006	No. 1847, dated 1st October 1857 ... From—The Accountant, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of the Accounts office to Lahore.	Reports that he proposes leaving Agra with his office establishment, *en route* to Lahore, on the 15th October 1857. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 17th October 1857— No 9.
2007	No. 821, dated 13th October 1857... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Arrrest of Municipal servants by the Deputy Commissioner, Simla.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1343, dated the 17th September 1857, reports result of his enquiries into the case of arrest and punishment of servants of Municipal Commissioners by the Deputy Commissioner, Simla, with his observations thereon.	Progs. for the week ending 24th October 1857— Nos. 4—6.
	No. 1481, dated 9th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto Injustice and illegality of Lord William Hay's action.	In reply, reviews case and states that the Chief Commissioner, after duly considering the arguments urged by the Chairman of the Municipal Commissioners, is of opinion that neither the Chairman nor the Commissioners have the power to make out lists and collect information in the Simla Bazar; but the acts of the Deputy Commissioner were utterly oppressive, illegal and unjust, and Chief Commissioner can not perceive any authority in the circular quoted in support of his acts by Lord William Hay, for his conduct, as the men were flogged for a misdemeanour and by the circular flogging is restricted to minor crimes. Points out the course which should have been pursued, and observes that, if the Deputy Commissioner of Simla has been in the habit of flogging people for trifling misdemeanours, the sooner he reverts to the ordinary rules of procedure and law the better. Further, the circumstance of the Municipal Commissioners being at issue with the Deputy Commissioner appears to the Chief Commissioner to increase the misconduct of the latter.	
2008	No. 1194, dated 13th March 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Administration Report for British India, 1855-56.	Forwards three copies of a general report on the Administration of the several Presidencies and Provinces of British India during 1855-56, in two parts.	Nos. 12-13.
	No. 697—1487, dated 20th October 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Intimates that the papers mentioned in the preceding have not yet been received in this office.	
2009	No. 1686, dated 16th April 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Annals of Indian Administration.	Advises the despatch of 70 copies of part II of the Annals of Indian Administration, for the use of the Chief Commissioner's office and for distribution.	Nos. 19-20.
	No. 698—1490, dated 20th October 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commisioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Intimates that the papers mentioned in the preceding have not yet been received in this office.	

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2010	No. *Nil*, dated 15th October 1857 .. From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant Raverty's case. Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1461, dated the 13th October 1857, intimating the refusal of the Chief Commissioner to forward the memorial submitted with his letter of the 3rd idem, Lieutenant Raverty requests that his present communication may be submitted in lieu of the former, and solicits early consideration.	Progs. for the week ending 24th October 1857— Nos. 25—8.
	No. *Nil*, dated 18th October 1857 . From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Intimates that from a letter received by him from Calcutta it appears that the Chief Commissioner's communications of the 13th June and the 21st July 1857 never reached the Secretary to the Government of India, and requests that copies of the documents therewith submitted may be forwarded with his letter of the 15th October 1857.	
	No. 702—1492, dated 21st October 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits, for the information of the Governor-General in Council, a copy of the preceding and intimates that the Chief Commissioner is earnestly desirous that some decision shall be made in Lieutenant Raverty's case as early as possible. Adds that Lieutenant Raverty having reported in a letter of the 18th October 1857, that the letters of the 3rd June and 21st July 1857, from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner to Government have miscarried, duplicates of those documents are now forwarded, in accordance with the request of that officer.	
	No. 1493, dated 21st October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	
2011	No. 108, dated 19th October 1857 .. From—The Assistant in charge, Telegraph Office, Rawalpindi To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Telegraph office at Jhelum.	Enquires whether the telegraph office at Jhelum is still to be kept open, and if so for what period.	Nos. 34-5.
	No. 1497, dated 22nd October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Assistant in charge, Telegraph Office, Rawalpindi.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner desires that the telegraph office at Jhelum should be kept open for the present. The Chief Commissioner's further decision will be communicated after a fortnight.	
2012	No. 3820, dated 18th September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed establishment at Lahore of a School of Medicine.	Forwards extracts from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, and requests that the Supreme Government may be furnished with any observations or suggestions the Chief Commissioner may have to offer as to the best mode of supplying subordinate medical agency for the Punjab.	Nos. 36 - 8.

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2012—*concld.*	No. 1498, dated 22nd October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. Smith, Civil Surgeon, Lahore.	Proposed establishment at Lahore of a School of Medicine.	Forwards, in original, correspondence connected with the proposed establishment at Lahore of a School of Medicine for training native subordinates for the Medical Department in the Punjab, and states that the Chief Commissioner desires him to draw up a scheme for a Medical School to be hereafter, if necessary, incorporated in the general educational arrangements. Adds that the plan should give details of establishment and arrangements for control, and should show approximately the proposed annual expenditure and the number of Medical subordinates receiving training annually, so as to render them fit for public service.	Progs. for the week ending 24th October 1857—Nos. 36—8.
2013	No. 1507, dated 23rd October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Deterioration of vaccine virus.	States that the Chief Commissioner awaits receipt of the report of the Special Committee assembled under instructions conveyed in Captain James' letter No. 397, dated the 13th March 1857, to enquire into the causes of the deterioration of the vaccine virus at Simla.	No. 51.
2014	No. 449, dated 19th October 1857... From—The Financal Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grant of Rs. 50 per mensem in aid of the Sialkot Mission School.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction and, as recommended by him, solicits sanction to a grant-in-aid of Rs. 50 per mensem for the Sialkot Mission School, with effect from the 1st September 1857.	Nos. 56—8.
	No. 1510, dated 24th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the Chief Commissioner's sanction.	
2015	No. 3819, dated 18th September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Municipal arrangements at Simla.	Forwards, for the information and guidance of the Chief Commissioner, extracts from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, regarding certain Municipal arrangements at Simla. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 70-71.
2016	No. 1857, dated 5th September 1857 From—Sir John Login. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Maharaja Dalip Singh's annual birthday donation to Amritsar schools.	Forwards an order for the Maharaja Dalip Singh's annual birthday donation of Rs. 1,000 to the Government and Mission schools at Amritsar for 1857-58, and expresses the gratification afforded to His Highness by letter No. 1087, dated the 16th May 1856, conveying information regarding the application of the grant.	Progs. for the week ending 31st October 1857—Nos. 8—10.
	No. 1522, dated 26th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the order for Rs. 1,000 duly endorsed, and a copy of the preceding.	
	No. 1523, dated 26th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Sir John Login.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the order on the Oriental Bank Corporation, Calcutta.	

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2017	No. 322, dated 15th October 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Arrest of Municipal servants at Simla by order of the Deputy Commissioner.	In continuation of his report on the arbitrary proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner of Simla with regard to servants of the Municipal Commissioners, forwards a letter (in original) from the Chairman of the Municipal Commissioners, advocating the claims of their servants to some pecuniary compensation, and offers his remarks.	Progs. for the week ending 31st October 1857—Nos. 11—13.
	No. 1524, dated 26th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner, having already expressed his opinion on the conduct of Lord William Hay, does not consider it necessary that anything further should be done, nor does he deem it expedient to require Lord Hay to compensate the men whom he improperly flogged, but that officer should be warned that he is bound to attend to the requisitions of the Municipal Commissioners, and if he continues to neglect their communications, it will be necessary that his conduct be formally reported.	
2018	No. 201, dated 19th October 1857... From—The Accountant, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Punjab Accountant's office to Lahore.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Officiating Secretary to the Government, North-Western Provinces, prohibiting departure of the Punjab Accountant's office to Lahore, in consequence of the insecurity of the road and the impossibility of Government supplying carriage and camp equipage for the office, clerks, etc. Requests permission to remove the office and establishment by dâk.	Nos. 18—22.
	No. 154, dated 19th October 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter addressed to the Accountant, Punjab, pointing out the impossibility of his proceeding with his office establishment to Lahore at present.	
	No. 1527, dated 27th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Accountant, Punjab.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner is desirous that he should come to the Punjab as soon as practicable, and consents to the Accountant's travelling up with his staff in the manner proposed, provided that the roads are safe and that the Chief Commissioner at Agra will permit him to leave. Adds that a copy of this letter will be forwarded to the Government, North-Western Provinces, with a view to his being permitted to leave as early as may appear practicable.	
	No. 1528, dated 27th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for the information of the Government of the North-Western Provinces.	

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2019	No. 3982, dated 28th September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Donation of Rs. 12,000 to the Lawrence Asylum.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 590, with its enclosures, and states that the Governor-General in Council approves of the Chief Commissioner's having directed an advance of Rs. 2,000 monthly to be paid to the Guardians of the Lawrence Asylum for a period of six months, and that his Lordship agrees that the sum of Rs. 12,000 should be regarded as a donation to the asylum on the part of Government.	Progs. for the week ending 31st October 1857— Nos. 26—9.
	No. 1531, dated 28th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Principal, Lawrence Asylum.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1239, dated the 22nd August 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	
	No. 1532, dated 28th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1238, dated the 22nd August 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	
	No. 1533, dated 28th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the Government letter, for his information.	
2020	No. 2622, dated 13th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Training class for the Public Works Department at Sanawar Asylum.	With reference to his letter No. 2414, dated the 21st September 1857, intimates having made over eight cases of mathematical instruments to the Commissariat Department for despatch to Lahore, and of having ordered Rs. 144 (the price of the instruments) to be disbursed as an advance to be recovered from the Chief Commissioner of Lahore.	Nos. 42-3.
	No. 1539, dated 29th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Principal, Lawrence Asylum.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1430, dated the 9th October 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding for his information and guidance.	
2021	No. 1426, dated 31st August 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Secret Cipher Code.	Forwards papers regarding a Secret Cipher Code for telegraph messages, compiled by Sir W. O'Shaughnessy, and states that the Bombay Government have been requested to forward a copy of the code to Lahore.	Nos. 56—62.
	No. 1804, dated 22nd October 1857 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards (in original) a letter from the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, and states that a box containing the Secret Cipher Code has been forwarded per steamer "Jhelum" for delivery to the Commissioner at Multan.	
	No. 2038, dated 26th September 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Intimates having despatched to the Commissioner in Sind, for transmission to the Chief Commissioner, a copy of the Secret Cipher Code.	

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2021—*concld.*	No. 1547, dated 31st October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Secret Cipher Code.	Acknowledges receipt of a copy of the Secret Cipher Code compiled by Sir W. O'Shaughnessy.	Progs. for the week ending 31st October 1857— Nos. 56—62.
	No. 1548, dated 31st October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of a copy of the Secret Cipher Code.	
	No. 1549, dated 31st October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No 1804, dated the 22nd October 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2022	No. 1794, dated 20th October 1857 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Relief to the survivors of men who served in mutiny.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, with a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, on the subject of affording relief to the survivors of those who have suffered during the late mutinous outbreak.	Progs. for the week ending 7th November 1857— Nos. 4—6.
	Nos. 1551-1552, dated 2nd November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—(1) The Commissioner of the Delhi Division; (2) Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Forwards copy of the preceding, and requests them to report any cases of the nature referred to that may come to their notice.	
2023	No. 260, dated 13th May 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Certificates granted by the juries of the Paris Exhibition.	In continuation of letter No. 569, dated the 31st July 1856, forwards five certificates received from the Hon'ble Court of Directors which have been awarded by the juries of the Paris Exhibition to the exhibitors named in the letter above mentioned, and three certificates of honourable mention for certain other parties; and requests that, with the permission of the Chief Commissioner, they may be distributed accordingly.	Nos. 15-16½.
	No. 390, dated 1st July 1857 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 260, dated the 30th May 1857, forwards for delivery to Shaikh Rasul, shawl manufacturer in Srinagar, a certificate awarded by the juries of the Paris Exhibition.	
	No. 1558, dated 3rd November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal.	Ditto	Intimates that the certificates alluded to in the preceding letter have not yet been received.	
2024	No. 334, dated 27th October 1857... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Deterioration of vaccine virus.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1507, dated the 23rd October 1857, explains how the Committee appointed to enquire into the cause of the deterioration of vaccine virus was dissolved on the commencement of the mutiny, and expresses a hope that the Chief Commissioner will be able to dispose of the subject from the information already furnished by him and Mr. Campbell. Adds that if Government decide to appoint a Superintendent of Vaccine, with an efficient establishment, he trusts that they will choose the best man available for this important duty.	Nos. 19-20.

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2024—*concld.*	No. 1560, dated 3rd November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Deterioration of vaccine virus.	Asks for a copy of Mr. Campbell's memo. alluded to in the 4th paragraph of the preceding as it has not been received in this office, and also requests the Commissioner will obtain the opinions of the members of the Committee severally or conjointly, should he be able to procure them.	Progs. for the week ending 7th November 1857—Nos. 19-20.
2025	No. 332, dated 26th October 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Plundering of Kasauli treasury.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1269, dated the 3rd September 1857, forwards, with remarks, a further report from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla regarding the plundering of the Kasauli treasury and recommends that the stoppage of Mr Taylor's half salary may be discontinued from the 31st October 1857.	Nos. 22—4.
	No. 731—1562, dated 3rd November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of preceding, and its enclosure, and states that the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that Mr. Taylor behaved very ill and that when officers neglect their duty they should be punished. Yet the Chief Commissioner has no objection, should the Government be inclined, to acquiesce in the Commissioner's proposal.	
2026	No. 2767, dated 30th June 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Certificates granted for Paris Exhibition.	Forwards two certificates awarded by the juries of the Paris Exhibition, one to be forwarded to Maharaja Golab Singh, and the other to Sadik, manufacturer of papier mache ware at Kashmir. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 66.
2027	No. 126, dated 31st October 1857... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Secret Cipher Code.	With reference to a letter No. 1804, dated the 22nd October 1857, from the Commissioner in Sind, to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab, intimates that he has directed the Deputy Commissioner of Multan to receive charge of a box containing the Secret Cipher Code, and dispose of it according to such instructions as he may receive from the Chief Commissioner.	Nos. 72—4.
	No. 1602, dated 19th September 1857. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter dated the 31st August 1857, forwards a copy of a further Resolution of the Government of India regarding the Secret Cipher Code compiled by Sir W. O'Shaughnessy. MEMO.—OFFICE.	
2028	No. 744—1588, dated 9th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Temporary telegraph line from Lahore to Gugera.	Reports, for the information of the Government of India, that the Chief Commissioner has sanctioned the erection of a line of temporary electric telegraph posts between Lahore and Gugera, at a cost of Company's Rs. 2,472-12-0.	Progs. for the week ending 14th November 1857—No. 6.

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2029	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd Octobe 1857 From—Messrs. Remington & Co To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Punjab Relief Fund. Relief afforded to widows and orphans of European soldiers.	Acknowledge the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter of the 1st October 1857, and encloses a draft for Rs. 4,000 being the amount advanced by the Secretary to the Punjab Relief Fund to widows and orphans of European soldiers who lost their lives in the recent disturbances.	Progs. for the week ending 14th November 1857—Nos. 7-8.
	No. 1589, dated 9th November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Remington & Co.	Ditto	Acknowledge receipt of the draft for Rs. 4,000 and subjoins a statement showing the amount of relief afforded in each regiment and the number of widows and orphans relieved, so that if further remittances are made on this account, the amount allotted to each regiment may be in proportion to the number of recipients.	
2030	No. 256, dated 3rd November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant Pogson's cure for diarrhœa and dysentery.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1468, dated the 14th October 1857, and states that the correspondence regarding the specific discovered by Lieutenant Pogson for the cure of diarrhœa and dysentery will be submitted to the Supreme Government, but suggests that, meanwhile a Medi-Committee many be assembled to report on Lieutenant Pogson's specific.	Nos. 16-17.
	No. 1594, dated 11th November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding, and of previous correspondence and enquires whether he could, without detriment to other and more important duties, assemble the Committee suggested by the Agra Government, to examine and report on Lieutenant Pogson's discovery.	
2031	No. 187, dated 3rd November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suggested removal of children from hill schools to a place of safety.	Forwards a copy of correspondence containing an enquiry from the Government of the Central Provinces whether parents having children in schools in hill stations would wish to have them removed to some more secure position.	Nos. 24-5.
	No. 1597, dated 12th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and its annexures and states that the Chief Commissioner does not see the utility of the measure proposed, but enquiries may be made and the result reported.	
2032	No. 1, dated 2nd November 1857 .. From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Relative merits of Hissar and Hansi for a combined civil and military station.	Forwards, with his observations, a copy of a letter from the Collector of Hissar, respecting the necessity for jail accommodation, and recommends that both military and civil stations be united. Compares the advantages and disadvantages of both Hansi and Hissar, and states that he would recommend Hissar as the place best adapted for a civil and military station united.	Nos. 26—8.

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2032—*concld.*	No. 1598, dated 12th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Relative merits of Hissar and Hansi for a combined civil and military station.	Replies that, before deciding on the point, the Chief Commissioner wishes to be informed approximately of the probable cost of making Hissar, on the one hand and Hansi on the other the combined civil and military station. The Chief Commissioner agrees in thinking it objectionable that the Civil offices should b far from the Military. The circumstance of Hissar being the more salubrious is a strong argument in favour of its selection. The Chief Commissi ne ralso wishes to know whether there is any fort or defensible position at Hissar.	Progs. for the week ending 14th November 1857—Nos. 26—8.
2033	No. 299, dated 9th November 1857 From—Mr. Coates, Ferozepore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Manufacture of telegraph wire.	In reply to a demi-official letter from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Mr. Coates states that he cannot make telegraph wire as he has not the machinery, etc., required for its manufacture.	Nos. 41-2.
	No. 1606, dated 12th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of a telegraph message sent on the 10th November 1857, relative to telegraph wire, and a copy of a letter from Mr. Coates, Ferozepore, stating his inability to manufacture telegraph wire.	
2034	No. *Nil*, dated 7th November 1857 From—G. H. M. Ricketts, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Leave application.	Asks for 15 days indulgence leave, from the date on which he is relieved of the charge of the Ludhiana District.	Nos. 60-61.
	No. 1617, dated 14th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—G. H. M. Ricketts, Esq.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner cannot grant the leave applied for as he understands that Mr Ricketts lately left his district and went to Delhi without authority. The Chief Commissioner desires to be informed when he left Ludhiana, when he returned, and why he disobeyed the general orders that no officer should absent himself without leave.	
2035	No. 364, dated 6th November 1857 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Hazara. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Merino sheep	Reports that there is in Hazara a flock of Merino sheep sent by the late Major Holmes, of the Irregular Cavalry, and which he retained as his own property, declining to make them over to Government when asked to do so. These sheep have cost a considerable sum, advances to the extent of Rs. 144 13-2 for their feed having been made from the Government treasury, and though the sheep thrive in Hazara, yet, as there is much difficulty in disposing of their wool, he proposes, in anticipation of the wishes of the agents of the late Major Holmes, that the sheep be bought by Government for whatever they may fetch at auction, and made over to the Maharaja of Kashmir and that the cost of their feed, etc., above mentioned be charged to Government.	Nos. 66-7.

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2035—*concld.*	No. 1619, dated 14th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Hazara.	Merino sheep	Replies that the Chief Commissioner consents to the Government paying expenses that have been incurred in the keep of the sheep and further sanctions the purchase of the sheep for Government; but he is desirous that the sheep be kept in Hazara, with a view to improving the breed in that country and directs that the wool should be carefully collected and sent to Bombay for a year or two and the result reported.	Progs. for the week ending 14th November 1857—Nos. 66-7.
2036	No. 1521, dated 5th November 1857 From—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Official communications addressed to Calcutta.	Forwards a copy of his letter to the Post-Master of Agra, containing instructions how to forward a Calcutta official communication from the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 81.
2037	No. 4143, dated 9th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Masonry bridge built across the Banganga river, Kangra.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors regarding the masonry bridge built across the Banganga river at Kangra, conveying their disapproval of the incorrect manner in which the cost of the work was estimated.	Progs. for the week ending 21st November 1857—Nos. 21—3.
	No. 1633, dated 18th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and its enclosures, for information, in continuation of letter No. 1616, dated the 20th July 1854.	
2038	No. 346, dated 14th November 1857 From—The Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant Pogson's cure for dysentery and diarrhœa.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1594, dated the 11th November, requests that Lieutenant Pogson may be desired to send to him a supply of the medicine and prescription for preparation of his specific for diarrhœa and dysentery when a trial will be made of it. Without it, no committee can be called to report on the medicine.	Nos. 28-9.
	No. 1637, dated 19th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to previous correspondence, forwards a copy of the preceding and requests that Lieutenant Pogson may be called on to furnish a supply of his specific for diarhœa and dysentery with the prescription for its preparation in order that it may have a fair trial.	
2039	No. 251, dated 16th November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of the Accounts office to Lahore.	Forwards a copy of his letter to the Accountant, Punjab, permitting him to proceed to Lahore with his office establishment.	Nos. 71-2.
	No. 2132, dated 17th November 1857. From—The Accountant, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports that he will leave Agra on the 20th November 1857, and arrive at Lahore on the 26th idem (November 1857), and that he expects the whole of his office hands, etc., to reach by the 1st December 1857. MEMO.—OFFICE.	

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2040	Circular No. 28—1659, dated 23rd November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Leave Regulations.	Cases having occurred in which Civil officers have absented themselves from their districts sometimes with, and sometimes without, the sanction of the Commissioner of the Division, the Chief Commissioner desires that all Civil officers should be warned against this practice. Refers to the orders of the Government of India in the matter and states that Commissioners are not authorized to grant leave except in cases of sudden illness and in anticipation of formal sanction, but the Chief Commissioner has no objection to Commissioners, in particular cases, granting leave for a period not exceeding four days. Adds that the Supreme Government have lately intimated that no leave except under medical certificate should be granted.	Progs. for the week ending 28th November 1857—Nos. 10 –12.
	No. 1659-A—1659-B, dated 23rd November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— (1) Judicial Commissioner. (2) Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for their information.	
2041	No. 1660, dated 23rd November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Telegraph line below Multan.	With reference to a demi-official letter dated the 18th November 1857, and its accompaniments (a letter from the Executive Engineer, Multan) enquiring which line should be adopted for the electric telegraph below Multan, states that, in the opinion of the Chief Commissioner, the best line for the telegraph would be across the Indus near Dera Ghazi Khan, and from thence down the right bank of that river to Kotri, as this will not involve the necessity of crossing the Indus twice.	No. 13.
2042	No. 482, dated 17th November 1857 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Instruction in land measurement and the revenue system in Lahore Normal School.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, and recommends sanction to the entertainment of an additional teacher on a salary of Rs. 20 per mensem in the Lahore Normal School, to instruct the students in land measurement and the rudiments of the revenue system.	Nos. 47—50.
	No. 1673, dated 25th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the required sanction.	
	No. 1674, dated 25th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information.	

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2043	No. 18, dated 18th November 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to make Hissar a combined civil and military station.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter, No. 1598, dated the 12th November 1857 reports on the relative merits of Hansi and Hissar as best fitted for the combined civil and military station of the district, and states what buildings will be required, to be constructed, rebuilt or repaired at either place. Repeats his recommendation in favour of Hissar as the most eligible site for the combined stations.	Progs. for The week ending 28th November 1857—Nos. 51—3.
	No. 1675, dated 25th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner will recommend to Government that Hissar should be made the combined civil and military station, and requests him to arrange for the repairs of such buildings as will be required. Sanctions his executing on his own authority work estimated to cost less than Rs. 500, but where the expenditure is likely to exceed that amount, an approximate estimate must be submitted for the Chief Commissioner's sanction.	
	No. 789—1676, dated 25th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of correspondence relative to a proposal to combine the civil and military station in the Hansi district and discussing the relative merits of Hissar and Hansi for the purpose. States that the Chief Commissioner, after a careful consideration of the several points in favour of each station, is of opinion that Hissar is the most desirable locality and he accordingly recommends that it be made the combined civil and military station of the district.	
2044	No. 1733, dated 23rd October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Committee to afford relief to sufferers by the late mutiny.	Forwards a copy of correspondence with the Lord Mayor of London, and conveys orders for the formation of a committee at Lahore for affording relief to the sufferers by the late mutinies who are residents in the Punjab and in the Delhi, Meerut and Rohilkhand Divisions of the new province including hill stations. Conveys authority to the Chief Commissioner to place Rs. 25,000 for present purposes out of the funds subscribed in Great Britain at the disposal of the committee and requests that the committee should furnish a brief report monthly of their proceedings, and an account of money received and expended.	Nos. 71—3.
	No. 1687, dated 26th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Special Relief Fund.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information, and suggests that, in their first report, the Lahore Committee might give an outline of the measures which they have already adopted for affording relief to sufferers in the Punjab and the North-Western Provinces. Adds that the sum of Rs. 25,000 will be available whenever it is needed.	

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2045	No. 4252, dated 20th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Remuneration to Medical Officers for attendance on families of public servants.	In continuation of letter No. 490, dated the 25th January 1856, draws attention to the notification issued in the *Calcutta Gazette* dated the 17th October 1857, on the subject of remuneration to Medical Officers for professional attendance on the families of public servants. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 28th November 1857—No. 109.
2046	No. 1331, dated 26th October 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Causes of the mutiny of the 51st Native Infantry.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 53, dated the 12th September 1857, and its enclosure, showing that the mutiny of the 51st Native Infantry was consequent on their lines being searched for arms and ammunition, and not because the men were ordered into camp. States that a copy of the report has been sent to the Military Department for information. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 112.
2047	No. 360, dated 20th November 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Visit of Mr. Ricketts to Delhi.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1617-A., dated the 14th November 1857, states that Mr. Ricketts, Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiana, visited Delhi with his (Commissioner's) permission which was given in recognition of the valuable services rendered by Mr. Ricketts during the disturbances. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 116.
2048	No. 523, dated 18th November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Administration of the Delhi Division.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Government of India, confirming the temporary arrangements made for the administration of the Delhi Division. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 23.
2049	No. *Nil*, dated 28th November 1857 From—Messrs. Peake, Allen & Co. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of quinine.	Propose a scheme for the conveyance of a small supply of quinine for immediate use in the Punjab by the regular mail from Calcutta.	Progs. for the week ending 5th December 1875—Nos. 29—31.
	No. 1722, dated 2nd December 1857 To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Postmaster-General.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for opinion as to whether the scheme is practicable.	
	No. 1723, dated 2nd December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Peake, Allen & Co.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner, having no power to act in this matter has forwarded a copy of their letter to the Postmaster-General, but is of opinion that the difficulty in procuring quinine in the manner proposed will be much greater than Messrs. Peake, Allen seem to suppose.	

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2050	No. *Nil*, dated 30th November 1857 From—The Editor of the *Punjabee*. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application to peruse official papers.	With reference to the Government order allowing editors of newspapers free access to the official records of Government, asks for permission to be allowed to visit the Chief Commissioner's office and to peruse official papers, with the view of noticing such as may be of interest to the public.	Progs. for the week ending 5th December 1857—Nos. 47-8.
	No. 1735, dated 2nd December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Editor of the *Punjabee*.	Ditto Opening of an Editors' room.	Replies that he appears to have mistaken the tenor of the Government order when he applied for free access to the records of the Chief Commissioner's office, as it rests with the Chief Commissioner to decide what papers may be made known to the public. Intimates that from the 7th December 1857 he will be allowed access to official documents under the restriction specified in the Government resolution. The documents which may be placed at his disposal will be arranged in one of the rooms of the office to which he will have free access every day of the week, Sundays excepted, between 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.	
2051	No. 1738, dated 3rd December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Central Committee of Examination.	Measures for improvement of handwriting.	Comments on the inconvenience and trouble to which the Chief Commissioner is subject by having to peruse demi-official letters and other public correspondence so carelessly written as to be in many instances illegible and states that the Chief Commissioner proposes that, in future examinations, English penmanship should form one of the tests of qualification, and a certain number of marks should be allotted to each candidate according to the cleanness with which his English papers have been written. Suggests measures Commissioners of Divisions might adopt for removing the evil.	Nos 51-2.
	Circular No. 30—1739, dated 3rd December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for their information and guidance.	
2052	No. *Nil*, dated 29th November 1857 From—G. H. M. Ricketts, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mr. Ricketts' absence from Ludhiana.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1617, dated the 14th November 1857, explains that he was absent from the Ludhiana district with the consent of the Commissioner of the Division for 7 or 8 days, commencing from the 3rd or 4th October 1857, and that he cannot now give the exact dates of his departure and return.	Nos. 72-3.
	No. 1750, dated 5th December 1857 *From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.* *To—G. H. M. Ricketts, Esq.*	Ditto	In reply, requests him to ascertain and report the date on which he left Ludhiana and that on which he returned. Reminds him that this is not a matter of option, but one of duty and, further, that the Commissioner has no legal authority to sanction his absence.	

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2053	No. 638, dated 1st December 1857... From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Repulse of mutineers who attacked Hissar.	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of the orders of Government passed on the report of the repulse of a large body of Ranghurs and mutineers who attacked Hissar on the 19th August 1857, commending conduct of the officers engaged on the occasion. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 5th December 1857—No. 82.
2054	No. 369, dated 28th November 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed increase of the allowances of Telegraph signallers. Superior attractions of enlistment in cavalry.	Reports that signallers are leaving the Telegraph Department for enlistment in the cavalry corps at Meerut, being induced to do so by the higher rate of pay offered there. Recommends that the allowances of signallers be increased, and that they be bound to serve a certain time.	Progs. for the week ending 12th December 1857—Nos. 22—7.
	No. 18, dated 3rd December 1857 From—The Deputy Superintendent of Telegraphs, Punjab and Sind Lines. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Proposed prohibition of admission into the cavalry.	With reference to the above (a copy of which was sent to him), the Deputy Superintendent states that he concurs in the propositions made by the Commissioner, Cis-Sutlej States, and solicits the Chief Commissioner's authority to increase the pay of such of the assistants and signallers as may be considered deserving of it, also suggests that the officer raising the cavalry corps should be directed to act up to the order of Government prohibiting the employment in any other department of employees of the Telegraph Department, unless they left with the consent of their superiors. Adds that he will bring to the notice of the Superintendent the proposition to bind down signallers to serve a given time.	
	No. 1765, dated 8th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Murray, Deputy Superintendent, E. T.	Ditto	Requests that he will submit definite proposals for raising the salaries of signallers and formal sanction will be given subject to the approval of Government. States that the officer raising the Volunteer Cavalry Corps will be written to as desired and the Deputy Commissioner, Lahore, will be authorized to grant advances for payment of the salaries of such of his subordinates as he may consider it inexpedient to keep in arrears.	
	No. 1766, dated 8th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.	Ditto	Requests that he will make such advances to the Deputy Superintendent of the Telegraph Department as he may require.	
	No. 1767, dated 8th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Volunteer Cavalry Corps at Meerut.	Ditto Volunteer cavalry at Meerut.	Forwards, for his information, a copy of the letter from the Deputy Superintendent of Telegraphs, and requests him not to enlist in the Volunteer Cavalry subordinates of the Telegraph Department who have left their appointments without permission.	

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2054—*concld.*	No. 1768, dated 8th October 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Proposed increase of the allowances of telegraph signallers.	In reply to his letter No. 369, dated the 28th November 1857, states that measures have been taken to prevent signallers leaving their appointments for better paid ones elsewhere.	Progs. for the week ending 12th December 1857—Nos. 22—7.
2055	No. 4372, dated 3rd November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	List of Europeans killed or wounded by the rebels.	Calls for a return of all Europeans killed or wounded by the rebels. As the preparation of the return may take some time, the Chief Commissioner is desired to furnish whatever information he may have in the matter by return of post.	Nos. 28—35.
	No. 3, dated 9th November 1857 ... From—General Van Cortlandt. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to letter No. 1552, dated the 2nd August 1857, submits a list of officers and others killed during the late rebellion.	
	No. 816—1769, dated 8th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply to letter above, forwards a copy of the list received from General Van Cortlandt, and states that instructions have been issued for the collection of the required information and a complete return will be submitted as soon as possible.	
	No. 1770, dated 8th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a duplicate of the preceding letter from the Government of India and expresses a hope that the return called for in letter No 1552, dated the 2nd idem (December 1857) is nearly ready. As the matter is urgent, he is requested to furnish the requisite information as soon as possible in the form prescribed.	
	No. 1771—1773, dated 8th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioners, Sialkot, Jullundur and Ferozepore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Government of India, No. 4372, dated the 3rd November 1857, and requests to be furnished as quickly as possible with a complete return in the prescribed form of all Europeans who have been killed or wounded by the rebels within his jurisdiction.	
2056	No. 365, dated 25th November 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Causes of the deterioration of vaccine virus.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1560, dated the 3rd November 1857, reports fully on the causes of the deterioration of the Simla vaccine virus.	Nos. 36-7.
	No. 817—1774, dated 8th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits, for the consideration of the Government of India, copies of correspondence relative to the alleged deterioration of vaccine virus in the Simla district. Annexes a brief abstract of the case and conveys the opinions of the Chief Commissioner on the subject.	

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2057	No. 375, dated 3rd December 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to remove children from hill schools to some place of safety.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1597, dated the 12th November 1857, regarding removal of children from schools in hill stations to places of greater security, states that it would be difficult to find other places of greater security than the hills, and annexes copies of letters from the Principal of the Lawrence Asylum and from Mr. Clarke, a school master at Simla, expressing the same opinion.	Progs. for the week ending 12th December 1857—Nos. 45-6.
	No. 1780, dated 9th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	With reference his letter No. 187, dated the 3rd October 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding, for information.	
2058	No. 221, dated 3rd December 1857 From—The General Commanding at Peshawar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	*Atees* a substitute for quinine.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Superintending Surgeon, Peshawar, requesting to be supplied with three maunds of a newly discovered medicine called *Atees* which appears to answer as well as, if not better than, quinine.	Nos. 48—51.
	No. 1782, dated 9th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests him to send the quantity of *Atees* required by Dr. Bransford to Rawalpindi and Peshawar. Adds that a maund of the article should be sent to Dr. Smith, the Civil Surgeon at Lahore, for trial.	
	Nos. 1783-1784, dated 9th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintending Surgeon, Peshawar, and the Civil Surgeon, Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for their information.	
2059	No. *Nil*, dated 5th December 1857 From—Mr. L. V. Fraser, Assistant in charge Telegraph Office, Rawalpindi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mr. Fraser's services during the mutiny.	As he is about to apply to his official superior for promotion, begs that the Chief Commissioner will send his application under cover of a letter, to that officer. Encloses a copy of a letter dated the 23rd May 1857, from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, expressing Sir. John Lawrence's satisfaction with his (Mr. Fraser's) conduct.	Nos. 59-60.
	No. 1788, dated 10th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Superintendent, Telegraph Department, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and of its enclosure and states that the Chief Commissioner was much satisfied with Mr. Fraser's behaviour during the crisis of the insurrection.	
	No. 1789, dated 10th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. L. V. Fraser.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	

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2060	No. 1797, dated 11th December 1857	Punjab Commission Distribution List.	MEMO.—Ordered that Distribution lists of the Punjab Commission be prepared and distributed as follows .— 1 Copy, Secretary to the Government of India. 1 Copy, Judicial Commissioner. 1 „ Chief Commissioner's Office.	Progs. for the week ending 12th December 1857—No. 77.
2061	No. 27, dated 10th December 1857 From—The Deputy Superintendent of Telegraphs. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to increase the pay of telegraph signallers.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1765, dated the 8th December 1857, and states that he does not consider himself authorized, without consulting his official superiors, to recommend an increase of pay to signallers, and therefore proposes that certain deserving individuals in the department may be promoted.	Progs. for the week ending 19th December 1857—Nos. 3—5.
	No. 1806, dated 15th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Superintendent of Telegraphs.	Ditto Deserving signallers promoted.	Replies that the Chief Commissioner has been pleased to make the promotions recommended by him.	
	No. 1807, dated 15th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Difficulty in retaining services of signallers.	Submits, for the information of the Government of India, copies of correspondence relative to the difficulty experienced in retaining efficient signallers and other subordinate officers of the Electric Telegraph Department, and to the measures proposed to remedy the evil complained of and communicates the promotions made by the Chief Commissioner in the Electric Telegraph Department on the recommendation of Lieutenant Murray.	
2062	No. 4503, dated 10th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Expenditure on education in the Punjab.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No 607, dated the 31st August 1857, submitting a schedule of the proposed expenditure for 1857-8 set apart for educational purposes in the Punjab, and, in, reply, states that the Governor-General in Council approves of the Chief Commissioner's proceedings.	Nos. 29-30.
	No. 1821, dated 17th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of Mr. Brandreth's letter No. 607-1256, dated the 31st August 1857, and of the preceding, for his information, with reference to his letter No. 364, dated the 17th August 1857.	
2063	No. *Nil*, dated 9th December 1857 From—The Secretary, Punjab Relief Fund. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proceedings of the Punjab Relief Fund Committee.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1687, dated the 26th November 1857, reports the proceedings of the Committee in affording relief to the sufferers by the late mutinies up to date.	Nos. 38—40.

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2063—*concld.*	No. 1826, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	Proceedings of the Punjab Relief Fund Committee. Advance of £6,000 authorised for Punjab by Lord Mayor of London.	With reference to his letter No. 1733, dated the 23rd October 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding, and intimates that the Chief ommissioner received authority from the Lord Mayor of London to draw for funds to the extent of £6,000. He availed himself of this authority and made the money over to the Committee of the Punjab Special Fund.	Progs. for the week ending 19th December 1857—Nos. 38-40.
2064	No. 1945, dated 13th December 1857. From—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of quinine.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1722, dated the 2nd December 1857, states that it is impossible to obtain a supply of quinine from Calcutta by the mail and suggests that it may be obtained *vid* Bombay and Karachi.	Nos. 41-2.
	No. 1827, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Peake and Allen.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1723, dated the 2nd December 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2065	No. 2027, dated 12th December 1857. From—The Deputy Commissioner, Jullundur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	List of mutiny victims.	Forwards the return called for in Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1773, dated the 8th December 1857, and explains that it is submitted blank as he understood that the Chief Commissioner's intructions only bore reference to persons not in military cantonments. If a return is required of the persons who suffered in cantonments it can be furnished.	Nos. 44—6.
	No. 1829, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Jullundur.	Ditto	Replies that the Chief Commissioner is desirous of obtaining a complete return of all who suffered in these territories during the insurrection, and therefore desires him to furnish a return of those officers who have been killed or wounded either in military cantonments or in any other part of his district.	
2066	No. *Nil*, dated 7th December 1857 From—Messrs. Remington & Co. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Punjab Relief Fund.	Forward a draft for Rs. 5,000, with a list of the Officers Commanding the depôts of certain regiments, and requests that the sums placed against their names may be remitted to them for the relief of the families of European soldiers who may have fallen on the field.	Nos. 47—57
	No. 1830, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards the draft received with the preceding, and requests to be furnished with six drafts on certain other treasuries and the balance in cash.	

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2066—*contd.*	No. 1831, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt His Majesty's 6th Carabineers.	Punjab Relief Fund.	Forwards a draft for Company's Rs. 800 remitted by the Committee of the Calcutta Special Fund for the relief of the widows and orphans of soldiers of his regiment who have been killed or have died in the field. Annexes a copy of a circular letter of the Committee and desires that the restrictions laid down therein may be attended to and that a return may by furnished, showing the number of widows and orphans to whom relief has been afforded.	Progs. for the week ending 19th December 1857. Nos. 47—57.
	No. 1832, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt H. M.'s 8th Foot.	Ditto	Same as above, with a draft for the same amount.	
	No. 1833, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt H. M.'s 24th Foot.	Punjab Relief Fund.	Same as above, with a draft for Rs. 200.	
	No. 1834, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt H. M.'s 52nd Foot.	Ditto	Same as above, with a draft for Rs. 800.	
	No. 1835, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt H. M.'s 60th Rifles.	Ditto	Same as above, with a draft for Rs. 800.	
	No. 1836, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt H. M.'s 9th Lancers.	Ditto	Same as above, with a draft for Rs. 800.	
	No. 1837, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Hon'ble East India Company's Artillery.	Ditto	Same as above, with a draft for Rs. 800.	
	No. 1838, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Remington & Co.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of their letter dated the 7th December 1857 enclosing a draft for Rs. 5,000 being a further remittance by the Calcutta Special Fund Committee for the relief of the widows and orphans of soldiers of certain regiments who have fallen or died in the field, and states that the money will be distributed in the manner indicated.	

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2066 *concld.*	No. 1839, dated 19th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary, Famine Relief Fund, Punjab.	Punjab Relief Fund.	Forwards a copy of the letter from Messrs. Remington & Co, for information.	Progs. for the week ending 19th December 1857— Nos. 47—52.
2067	No. 845—1840, dated 1st December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Spoliation of private property in the city of Delhi.	Reports that the Chief Commissioner addressed General Penny, C.B., Commanding at Delhi, urging the expediency of issuing an order prohibiting the further spoliation of private property in the city of Delhi. The General has complied with the Chief Commissioner's request. Submits a copy of the order issued by General Penny and states that the Chief Commissioner trusts that the Supreme Government will approve of his conduct in this matter, as it was necessary for the preservation of discipline to issue the above order.	Progs. for the week ending 26th December 1857— No. 1.
2068	No. 2, dated 27th November 1857... From—The Civil Surgeon, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed establishment of a school of medicine and surgery at Lahore.	As requested in Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1498, dated the 22nd October 1857, submits, for the consideration of the Chief Commissioner, a scheme for the establishment of a school of medicine and surgery at Lahore.	Nos. 3—6
	No. 847—1842, dated 22nd December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 3820, dated the 18th September 1857, forwards copies of correspondence connected with the proposed establishment of a school of medicine and surgery at Lahore.	
2069	No. 2293, dated 23rd December 1857. From—The Extra Assistant, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Donation for the Lawrence Asylum from London Committee.	With reference to letter No. 1846, dated the 22nd December 1857, forwards a draft on the Simla treasury for Rs 9,911-12-3.	Nos. 28-9.
	No. 1851, dated 24th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Revd. Parker, Principal, Lawrence Asylum.	Ditto	Forwards the draft received with preceding, being the equivalent of £1,000 sent out by the London Committee, through the Right Hon'ble the Lord Mayor of London, for the benefit of the Lawrence Asylum.	

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2070	No. 4879, dated 7th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disposal of property found in Delhi.	Conveys further instructions regarding the property found in Delhi, and states what should be seized and what released.	Progs. for th week ending 2nd January 1858— Nos. 8—10.
	No. 1861, dated 28th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The General Commanding at Delhi.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and requests that the instructions therein conveyed may be strictly adhered to.	
	No. 1862, dated 28th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2071	No 233, dated 22nd December 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sepoys of the Ludhiana Regiment who remained faithful during mutiny at Benares.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1411, dated the 7th October 1857, submits a copy of a vernacular paper in which it is requested that the original list of sepoys belonging to the Ludhiana Regiment, who remained faithful during the Benares mutiny, may be sent for his inspection, in order that he may trace the residences of Hira Singh and Prem Singh, who cannot be found by the local authorities.	Nos. 11-12.
	No. 1863, dated 30th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards the list asked for in the above.	
2072	No. 1, dated 2nd January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Governor of Delhi.	Disposal of property found in Delhi.	Forwards for his information and guidance copies of correspondence relative to disposal of property found within the walls of Delhi and requests that the orders of the Supreme Government may be strictly enforced.	No. 24.
2073	No. 395, dated 21st December 1857 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Unsatisfactory result of vaccine operations in Simla.	Submits, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from the Superintendent of Vaccine Establishments in Simla, reporting further unsatisfactory results of vaccine operations during the past month.	Progs. for the week ending 9th January 1858— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 3, dated 4th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Transfer of establishment to Kangra proposed.	In continuation of letter No. 817, dated the 8th December 1857, forwards a copy of the foregoing with the Chief Commissioner's observations and a suggestion that the vaccine establishment be transferred to the Kangra District.	
2074	No. 4640, dated 19th November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Premature communication to the Press of official documents.	Acknowledges the receipt of the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 300, dated the 28th August 1857, and, in reply, observes that no public document ought to be placed in the hands of the Press until it has reached the Government to whom it is addressed.	Nos. 31—3.
	Nos. 16-17, dated 6th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, and Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above for information.	

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2075	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd December 1857 From—Messrs. Remington & Co To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Relief of families of European soldiers.	Having been applied to by the Patriotic Fund of Calcutta to make a further remittance of Rs. 2,000 for the relief of families of European soldiers who may have fallen on the field Messrs. Remington & Co. enclose a Bank of Bombay accepted Post Bill for Rs. 2,000 and request that it may be distributed according to the memorandum annexed.	Progs. for the week ending 9th January 1858— Nos. 38—41.
	No. 20, dated 6th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Remington & Co.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of the preceding and its enclosure and states that the money will be distributed in the manner indicated. Adds that the Post Bill has been made payable to the Secretary to the Punjab Relief Fund who has advanced the amount thereof.	
	No. 21, dated 6th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards Rs. 1,800 and requests to be furnished with six drafts on different treasuries in lieu thereof.	
	No. 22, dated 6th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Punjab Relief Fund.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the letter from Messrs. Remington.	
2076	No. 24, dated 7th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt His Majesty's 6th Carabineers.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1831, dated the 19th December 1857, forwards a draft for Rs. 200 remitted by the Committee of the Calcutta Special Fund for the relief of widows and orphans of soldiers of his regiment who were killed or died in the field and requests that he will acknowledge receipt thereof.	Nos. 43—50.
	No. 25, dated 7th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt 9th Lancers.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1836, dated the 19th December 1857, forwards a draft for Rs. 200.	
	No. 26, dated 7th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt 8th Foot.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1832, dated the 19th December 1857, forwards a draft for Rs. 200.	
	No. 27, dated 7th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt 24th Foot.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1833, dated the 19th December 1857, forwards a draft for Rs. 400.	
	No. 28, dated 7th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt 52nd Foot.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1834, dated the 19th December 1857, forwards a draft for Rs. 200.	
	No. 29, dated 7th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt 60th Rifles.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1835, dated the 19th December, forwards a draft for Rs. 200.	

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2076—*concld.*	No. 30, dated 7th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt 61st Foot.	Relief of families of European soldiers.	In continuation of letter of 10th October 1857, forwards a draft for Rs. 400.	Progs. for the week ending 9th January 1858— Nos. 43—50.
	No. 31, dated 7th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt H. E. I. C.'s Artillery.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1837, dated the 19th December 1857, forwards a draft for Rs. 200.	
2077	No. *Nil*, dated 19th December 1857 From—G. H. M. Ricketts, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mr. G. H. M. Ricketts' absence without leave.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1750, dated the 4th December 1857, reports that he left Ludhiana on the 2nd and returned on the 13th October 1857.	Nos. 51-2.
	No. 32, dated 7th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—G. H. M. Ricketts, Esq.	Ditto	In reply states that the Chief Commissioner is displeased with Mr. Ricketts for having left his post without authority, but will not take any further notice of the matter in consideration of his having behaved so well during the crisis. He is requested to be careful in future not to infringe the rules of the service.	
2078	No. 4666, dated 20th November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rising of the Khurruls and other tribes in the Gugera District.	Acknowledges the receipt of letter No. 58, dated the 18th September 1857, reporting the rising of the Khurruls and other similar tribes in the Gugera District and expresses a hope that the return of a European regiment from Delhi to the Punjab will help to restore quiet. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 69.
2079	No. *Nil*, dated 9th December 1857 From—Messrs. Peake, Allen & Co. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Procuring of quinine by mail cart from Calcutta.	Acknowledge receipt of Chief Commissioner's letters of 2nd and 29th December 1857, and state that they are now sensible of the impracticability of procuring quinine by mail cart from Calcutta at present. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 78.
2080	No. 42, dated 2nd January 1858 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner, Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cattle Farm, Hissar.	Submits a memoranda showing the number of cattle received, remaining to be received, and the number attached to the Government Cattle Farm at Hissar on the 1st January 1858.	Progs. for the week ending 16th January 1858— Nos. 8—12.
	No. 48, dated 11th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Comissioner considers the returns very satisfactory.	
2081	No. 360, dated 1st January 1858 ... From—The Officer Commanding Depôt H. M.'s 9th Lancers. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Relief for widows and orphans of soldiers killed or died in the field.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1836, dated the 19th December 1857, enclosing a treasury order for Rs. 800, and annexes a return showing the number of widows and orphans to whom relief has been afforded.	Nos. 13—35.

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2081—*contd.*	No. 49, dated 11th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt H. M.'s 9th Lancers.	Relief for widows and orphans of soldiers killed or died in the field.	With reference to remarks entered in the return forwarded with the preceding, states that the Chief Commissioner sanctions his paying Mrs. Lindsay's arrears for three months from 1st October last (1857). Communicates instructions for affording aid to those who may have lost their husbands and fathers in the late operations at Lucknow and Cawnpore.	Progs. for the week ending 16th January 1858—Nos. 13—28.
	No. *Nil*, dated 26th December 1857 From—The Officer Commanding Depôt 60th Rifles. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1835, dated the 19th December 1857, with the enclosed draft for Rs. 800, and states that the amount will be disbursed as directed.	
	No. 49-A., dated 11th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To The Officer Commanding Depôt 60th Rifles.	Ditto	In reply, calls attention to the concluding paragraph of No. 1835, dated the 19th December 1857, requesting submission of a return showing the number of widows and orphans in the regiment.	
	No. 346, dated 26th December 1857 From—The Officer Commanding 6th Carabineers. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1831, dated the 19th December 1857, enclosing a draft for Rs. 800, and a copy of the Circular of the Calcutta Special Fund Committee and annexes a list of the widows to whom relief has been afforded.	
	No. 823, dated 28th December 1857 From—The Commandant of Artillery. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1837, dated the 19th November 1857, with annexure and a draft for Rs. 800, and states that in the distribution of the sum he will be guided as far as possible by the wishes of the Committee as mentioned in their Circular, but is of opinion that it will be some time before he will be able to carry out their wishes, the regiment being scattered all over the country. Adds that the amount placed at his disposal is likely to prove inadequate for the purpose for which it is intended, the number of casualties in the artillery being very great.	
	No. 1, dated 24th December 1857 .. From—The Officer Commanding Depôt H. M.'s 24th Regiment. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1833, dated the 19th December 1857, with annexure, and a draft for Rs. 200, and submits a return showing the number of widows and orphans in his regiment and the proportion in which relief has been distributed among them.	
	No. *Nil*, dated 29th December 1857 From—The Officer Commanding Depôt H. M.'s 8th Foot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. *Nil*, dated the 19th December 1857, with annexure, and a remittance of Rs. 800, and submits a statement of sums paid to widows and orphans.	
	No. *Nil*, dated 25th December 1857 From—The Officer Commanding H. M.'s 52nd Regiment. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1834, dated the 19th December 1857, together with a draft for Company's Rs. 3 0, and annexes a statement showing the amount distributed.	

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2081—*concld.*	No. 50, dated 11th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Remington & Co.	Relief for widows and orphans of soldiers killed or died in the field.	Forwards for their perusal and transmission to the Secretary of the Special Fund, returns showing the distribution that has been made of the sums received from that fund with their letter of the 7th December 1857, for relief of widows and orphans of soldiers who have been killed or died in the field. Reviews the contents of the preceding letters and communicates Chief Commissioner's observations.	Progs. for the week ending 16th January 1858 — Nos. 13—28.
2082	No 493, dated 10th September 1857 From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Comparative tables showing actual cost of Punjab Commission on the 10th September.	In compliance with Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1286, dated the 7th September 1857, forwards three comparative tables showing actual cost of Punjab Commission on the 10th idem	Nos. 38 42.
	No. 1, dated 1st January 1858 ... From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	As requested in Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1852, dated the 23rd December 1857, submits the usual comparative statements of the cost of the Punjab Commission.	
	No. 18—58, dated 13th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits copies of the statements received with the preceding letters and communicates Chief Commissioner's remarks and recommendations for the promotion of certain officers	—
2083	No. 24—66, dated 15th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Disposal of certain property sent by native merchants to the Paris Exhibition.	Adverting to previous correspondence relative to the disposal of certain property which was sent by native merchants of the Punjab to the Paris Exhibition and which was returned by the Hon'ble Court of Directors in consequence of its not being saleable to advantage, intimates that Chamba Mall of Lahore, owner of Pashminas to the value of Rs 5 or 6,000, desires that they may be sold at Calcutta instead of being returned to Lahore. The Chief Commissioner, therefore, recommends that the Pashmina be sold to the best advantage and the account realized forwarded to Lahore.	No. 53.
2084	No. 5, dated 5th January 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims to compensations on account of losses occasioned by the mutinies.	Reports that claims for compensation on account of losses occasioned by the mutinies are coming in and as he has received no official Gazette containing the orders of the Governor General in Council, nor any authority from the Punjab Government to act upon its tenor (as published in all the newspapers), Commissioner solicits instructions, and annexes abstracts of two cases already put forward, one by Captain Smith, for loss of his pay for April which was lodged (he being on leave at the time) in the regimental Treasure Chest of the 45th Native Infantry and plundered by the mutineers of the Regiment on the night of 14th May, and another by Mr. Sub-Assistant Surgeon O'Brien, at Thanesar, for property destroyed by fire supposed to have been the work of the sepoys. Communicates his opinion on these claims and thinks them inadmissible.	Nos. 54-5.

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2084—*concld.*	No. 67, dated 15th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis Sutlej States	Claims to compensations on account of losses occasioned by the mutinies	In reply, calls for further information in the case of Captain Smith.	Progs. for the week ending 16th January 1858—Nos. 54-5.
2085	No 4777, dated 27th November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, for information and guidance, a copy of an extract from the Proceedings of Government in the Financial Department, relative to grant of assistance to sufferers in consequence of the mutinies. MEMO.—Published in *Punjab Gazette.*	Nos. 62-3.
2086	No. 49, dated 6th January 1858 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Feeling against Punjabees employed in the Hissar District.	Submits, for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from the Officiating Collector of Hissar, proposing that all Punjabees beneath the rank of Chanadar in his District be allowed their pay regularly, as, being hated by the people, they cannot get assistance from any one, and thus find living without means a great hardship.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd January 1858—Nos. 1-2.
	No. 73, dated 18th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto Difficulty of regular disbursements of pay.	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner cannot make exceptions in favour of any class and that it is still a question whether it will be possible to continue paying even in the present way.	
2087	No. 4826, dated 2nd December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cultivation of cotton. Alleged injurious effects of artificial irrigation.	Forwards an extract, paragraph 13, from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, in the Revenue Department, together with copy of letter from the Collector of Broach therein referred to, and requests the Chief Commissioner to obtain and furnish the views of such persons in the Punjab as are most conversant with the culture of the cotton plant, as to the injurious effects of artificial irrigation on cotton	Nos. 15—17.
	No. 82, dated 18th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests him to inform the Chief Commissioner of his own views and to obtain the opinions of Messrs. Thornton and Barnes and of any other officers who are likely to be authorities on the subject.	
2088	No. 387, dated 10th December 1857 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	List of Europeans killed or wounded by the mutineers in July 1857.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1771, dated the 8th December 1857, submits a return, in the prescribed form, shewing the names of all Europeans who were killed or wounded by the insurgent troops on the 9th July 1857.	Nos. 21—30.
	No. 2161, dated 31st December 1857 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Jullundur To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1830, dated the 19th December 1857, submits a return of Europeans who were killed or wounded by the rebels during the insurrection.	

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2088 – *concld.*	No. 386, dated 23rd December 1857 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	List of Europeans killed or wounded by the mutineers in July 1857.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 177, dated the 8th December 1857, submits a return of all Europeans killed or wounded by the rebels at Ferozepore.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd January 1858—Nos. 21—30.
	No. 7, dated 8th January 1857 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1770, dated the 8th December 1857, submits a return containing all the particulars he has been able to ascertain regarding Europeans killed in the Delhi Division.	
	No. 29—85, dated 19th January 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply to letter No. 4372, dated the 3rd November 1857, submits, for transmission to the Court of Directors, a return of Europeans who have been killed and wounded in the Punjab territories by the rebels during the late insurrection, including lists of casualties in the Delhi and Hissar Districts.	
2089	No. 2071, dated 29th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Statements of covenanted Civil Servants in the Punjab.	Requests submission of the statements of covenanted Civil Servants in the Punjab.	Nos. 47—50.
	No. 94, dated 20th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards the statement called for in the preceding.	
2090	No 17, dated 4th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conduct of Mr. Taylor, Assistant Commissioner, in connection with the plundering of the Kasauli treasury.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 731, dated the 3rd November 1857, regarding the plunder of Kasauli treasury, and states that the Governor-General in Council, taking into consideration the special recommendation of the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, has been pleased to remit the remaining portion of deduction of salary and to authorize Mr. Taylor's drawing his full pay from 1st October 1857.	Nos. 56—8.
	No. 98, dated 20th Jaunary 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, with reference to letter No. 332, dated the 26th October 1857.	
	No. 99, dated 20th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information and guidance.	
2091	No. *Nil*, dated 10th January 1858... From—Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Begs that some arrangement may be made for the settlement of his case, as he is anxious to rejoin his corps.	Nos. 59-60.
	No. 34—100, dated 21st January 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information and orders, in continuation of letter No. 702, dated the 21st October 1857.	

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2092	No. 81, dated 4th December 1857... From—The Superintending Surgeon, Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Meteorological reports, 1853-57.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 744, dated the 19th October 1857, states that owing to the destruction of records at Sialkot, he is unable to furnish the meteorological report called for, but forwards a rough table of the range of the thermometer, etc., from the 1st April 1853 to 31st March 1857.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd January 1858—Nos. 66—73.
	No. 86, dated 8th December 1857 From—The Superintending Surgeon, Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Abstracts of Meteorological Registers at Gujrat, Gurdaspur and Shahpur.	With reference to letter No. 85, dated the 8th December 1857, states that he omitted to mention the stations of Gujrat, Gurdaspur and Shahpur as stations at which Meteorological Registers have been kept up and that abstracts of those registers will be transmitted as soon as possible.	
	No. 107, dated 31st December 1857 From—The Superintending Surgeon, Sialkot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits an extract from the Meteorological Registers kept at Govindgurh, Gurdaspur, Gujrat and Shahpur from April 1853 to 31st March 1857.	
	No. 415, dated 12th January 1858 From—The Superintending Surgeon, Sirhind Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 744-C., dated the 19th October 1857, submits a register of meteorological observations since July 1856 to end of December 1857 and states that no observations have been taken since departure of Dr. Tritton.	
	No. 282, dated 31st December 1857 From—The Superintending Surgeon, Peshawar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 744 B., dated the 19th October 1857, and states that no Meteorological Register has been kept up at Peshawar since departure of Dr. Baddeley in 1854, and that the registers kept by him were forwarded to the Medical Board. Explains the causes which have prevented the registers being kept up regularly.	
	No 150, dated 19th December 1857 From—The Superintending Surgeon, Mian Mir. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 744, dated the 19th October 1857, submits a letter from Dr. Paton, giving some information regarding the meteorological instruments sent by the Hon'ble Court of Directors.	
	No. 38—103, dated 21st January 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, with Chief Commissioner's observations and remarks with reference to letter No. 336, dated the 21st August 1857.	
2093	No. 5136, dated 4th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Formation of a separate and general Account Department for all India.	Forwards a copy of a resolution passed by the Governor-General in Council, in the Financial Department, of forming a separate and general Account Department for all India.	Nos. 93-4.
	No. 113, dated 23rd January 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Appointment of covenanted officers as Accountant and Civil Auditor.	As it appears from the preceding that the appointments of Accountant and Civil Auditor in the Punjab will, from 1st May, be held by covenanted officers, the Chief Commissioner desires that early orders may be issued regarding disposal of the uncovenanted officers at present holding these appointments.	

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2094	No. 2076, dated 29th December 1857 From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Lieutenant Pogson's cure for diarrhœa and dysentery.	Forwards a copy of a letter to the Medical Board, directing that steps may be taken for testing a specific discovered by Lieutenant Pogson for the cure of diarrhœa and dysentery. MEMO. OFFICE	Progs. for the week ending 23rd January 1858— No. 95.
2095	No. 11, dated 12th January 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sepoys of the Ludhiana Regiment who remained faithful during the mutiny at Benares.	Returns the original list of sepoys of the Ludhiana Regiment who remained faithful, received with Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1863, dated the 30th December 1857. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 101.
2096½	No. 314, dated 10th December 1857 From— he Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Telegraph line from Bombay to Karachi and thence to Lahore	Forwards, for information, a copy of a letter to the Officiating Superintendent of Telegraphs in India, containing details of the final arrangements for constructing the telegraph line from Bombay to Karachi and thence to Lahore	Progs. for the week ending 30th January 1858— Nos. 1-2
	No. 114, dated 25th January 1858... From The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy for his information and guidance.	
2097	No. 76, dated 14th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Loan taken from the Raja of Patiala.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, authorizing grant to Raja of Patiala of interest at the rate of 5 per cent. on his loan to the Government of India of 30 lakhs of rupees.	Nos. 7—9.
	No. 919, dated 26th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of its enclosure, for information, with reference to letter No. 38, dated the 20th February 1858.	
2098	No. 4822 dated 2nd December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of the ministerial establishments in the Punjab.	With reference to previous correspondence, regarding a revision of the ministerial establishments in the Punjab, forwards, for any remarks the Chief Commissioner may desire to offer, a copy of a letter from Mr. Ricketts, together with the statement therein referred to in original.	Nos. 10—14.
	No. 120, dated 26th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, for information, a copy of the preceding, with the original correspondence therein referred to, and requests him, conjointly with the Judicial Commissioner, carefully to examine and revise all establishments of the description referred to, and to submit a report on them at the earliest date possible. Indicates the points demanding consideration and revision.	
	No. 121, dated 26th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for information and guidance.	

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2099	No. 121, dated 16th November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Allowance of Rs. 2 per month for the sacramental elements for the church in Multan.	Forwards, for communication to the offices of audit and account, an extract from a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, to the Archdeacon of Calcutta, sanctioning an allowance of Rs. 2 per month for the sacramental elements, for the church in Multan, from March 1857.	Progs. for the week ending 30th January 1858— Nos. 19-20.
	No. 124, dated 26th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for information.	
2100	No. *Nil*, dated 18th January 1858... From—The Secretary, Punjab Special Fund To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rupees 25,000 remitted by the English Relief Fund.	With advertence to letter No. 1687, dated the 26th November 1857, solicits payment of Rs. 25,300 forwarded to the Chief Commissioner by the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General from the amount remitted to his Lordship by the Committee of the English Relief Fund.	Nos. 33—5.
	No. 131, dated 26th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.	Ditto	Requests that he will pay to the Secretary, Punjab Relief Fund, the sum of Rs 25,0 0 and explains how the item is to be adjusted.	
	No. 132, dated 26th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Punjab Relief Fund	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
	No. 133, dated 26th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to letter No. 1733, dated the 23rd October 1857, reports that the Chief Commissioner has issued orders for the payment of Company's Rs 25,000 to the Secretary of the Punjab Special Fund, being the quota allotted by the Governor-General out of the amount remitted by the English Committee of Relief, for assistance to sufferers in the Punjab.	
2101	No. 1, dated 11th January 1858 ... From—Major-General Commanding Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed transfer of the Murree Bazar from civil to military jurisdiction.	Submits a representation from Captain Brougham, Commanding the troop at Murree, relative to the two bazars at that place, together with its annexure from Captain Graham, on the same subject, *i.e.*, the transfer of the Murree Bazar from civil to military jurisdiction.	Nos. 41—4.
	No. 136, dated 26th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major-General Commanding the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	In reply, explains why the Chief Commissioner cannot advocate the proposed arrangement.	
	No. 137, dated 26th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for information and guidance.	

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2102	No. *Nil*, dated 1st December 1857. From—The Archdeacon of Calcutta. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Distribution of chaplains in the Punjab. Requisition from the Archdeacon of Calcutta for a list of stations for European troops in the Punjab.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter, dated the 31st October 1857, to the address of the Lord Bishop of Calcutta, and states that the Reverend E. Godfrey has been directed to proceed to Delhi. Gives the distribution of chaplains in the several stations in the Punjab, and requests to be supplied with a corrected list of the location of European regiments.	Progs. for the week ending 30th January 1858—Nos. 52—4.
	No. 113, dated 27th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Archdeacon of Calcutta.	Ditto	Forwards a list of stations for European troops in the Punjab, and intimates that any changes which may hereafter take place will be duly notified, but adds that no changes are anticipated.	
2103	No. *Nil*, dated 20th January 1858... From The Officer Commanding 60th Rifles. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Return showing number of widows and orphans of the 1st Battalion 60th Rifles.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 49-A., dated the 11th January 1858, encloses a return of widows and orphans of the 1st Battalion 60th Rifles.	Nos. 136—38.
	No. 189, dated 29th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Remington & Co.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 50, dated the 11th January 1858, communicates the number of widows and orphans in His Majesty's 60th Rifles Adds that the grades of the deceased husbands are not given in the return furnished by the Officer Commanding 60th Rifles.	
2104	No. 10, dated 19th January 1858 ... From Major Chamberlain, Commanding 1st Irregular Cavalry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Mir Barkat Ali, Wardie-Major, 1st Irregular Cavalry, to a share of the estate of the late Mir Bisharat Ali, shot by order of Lieutenant Hodson.	Submits, for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner, a petition from Mir Barkat Ali, Wardie-Major, 1st Irregular Cavalry, praying for his share of the estate of the late Mir Bisharat Ali, Rissaldar, shot in August 1857, being entitled to the same by law as brother-in-law of the said individual. Recounts the eminent services performed by Mir Barkat Ali during the recent disturbances and prays that the whole of the petitioner's family property may be restored to him, as a reward for his marked fidelity.	Nos. 139—43.
	No. 190, dated 29th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests him to ascertain and report, for the information of Chief Commissioner, whether any grounds exist for refusing the request of Rissaldar Barkat Ali in respect to the release to him of the family property. Explains the course to be pursued towards Mirs Iradut Ali and Akbar Ali relatives of Mir Barkat Ali.	

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2104—*concld.*	No. 191, dated 29th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—General VanCortlandt.	Claim of Mir Barkat Ali, Wardie-Major, 1st Irregular Cavalry, to a share of the estate of the late Mir Bisharat Ali, shot by order of Lieutenant Hodson.	Requests General VanCortlandt to furnish such particulars as it may be in his power to supply regarding the conduct of Qumed Ali, late Naib-Rissaldar of the 14th Irregular Cavalry, now under confinement by his (General Cortlandt's) orders for misconduct during the late mutiny.	Progs. for the week ending 30th January 1858— Nos. 139—43.
2105	No. 5054, dated 14th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Medical attendance for patients not able to attend at a dispensary.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 509, dated the 12th July 1855, respecting attendance of Superintendents of dispensaries on patients not able to attend at the dispensary, forwards a resolution of the Hon'ble Court of Directors and letters from Doctors Monat and McKinnon on the subject. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 171-72
2106	No. 164, dated 16th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Prominent mutineers holding Government securities.	Forwards a copy of a telegraph message requesting that a report may be furnished from time to time of any parties concerned notoriously in the mutiny who may be holders of Government security. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 173.
2107	No. 4662, dated November 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Salaries of officers and establishments whose employment in the Civil Department has ceased in consequence of the mutiny.	Forwards an extract from proceedings of the Governor-General in Council on the subject of payment of salaries of officers and establishments whose employment in the Civil Department has ceased in consequence of the mutinies. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 174.
2108	No. 26, dated 20th January 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Translation of all orders of general interest previous to their issue from the Sudder Office.	Forwards a copy of a letter No. 272, dated the 5th December 1857, from the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, recommending the translation of all orders of general interest previous to their issue from the Sudder Office, for communication to native officials.	Progs. for the week ending 6th February 1858.— Nos. 11—84.
	No. 210, dated 1st February 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the proposal of Major Lake and suggests such arrangements as will ensure the simultaneous issue of all orders both in English and Vernacular, to obviate the discrepancies pointed out by the Commissioner.	
	No. 211, dated 1st February 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	A letter similar to the above.	

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2109	No. 5058, dated 14th December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Arrangements for the administration of Hissar and Sirsa. Extra allowances for certain officers.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 66, dated the 7th October 1857, and approves of the arrangements made for the administration of Hissar and Sirsa and sanctions extra allowances to the undermentioned officers— Rs. 500 to General Van Cortlandt. „ 300 „ Major Marsden. „ 100 „ Lieutenant Pearse. „ 100 „ Lieutenant Lewin.	Progs. for the week ending 6th February 1858— Nos. 15—21.
	No. 212, dated 1st February 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—General Van Cortlandt, Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Informs General Van Cortlandt that, in consideration of his services, civil and military, the Government have sanctioned his drawing an extra allowance of Rs. 500 per month	
	No. 213, dated 1st February 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major Marsden, Officiating Commissioner of the Sirsa Division	Ditto	A letter similar to the above, sanctioning an extra allowance of Rs. 300 per month.	
	No. 214, dated 1st February 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Pearse, Assistant Commissioner, Hissar.	Ditto	A letter similar to the above intimating sanction for Rs. 100 to cease on the date from which he may draw Rs. 300 as Commandant of 3rd Sikh Cavalry.	
	No. 215, dated 1st February 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Lewin, Assistant to Collector, Hissar.	Ditto	Informs Lieutenant Lewin that the Government have sanctioned his drawing an extra allowance of Rs. 100 from date of his appointment as Assistant to Collector Hissar.	
	Nos. 216-17, dated 1st February 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab, and the Civil Accountant, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of Government letter No. 5058, dated the 14th December 1857, for their information.	
2110	No. 293, dated 7th December 1857. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reports of officers in charge of Sudder Bazars	Forwards a copy of a letter to the Superintendent, Cantonment Police, North-Western Provinces, approving of the instructions issued by him that all reports of officers in charge of Sudder Bazars and extra Police establishments should be made to the Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, and, in like manner that those of the Cantonment of Agra should be made to the Commissioner of that Division.	Nos. 30-31.
	No. 66—222, dated 2nd February 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department.	Ditto Lieutenant-Colonel Macpherson's services during the mutiny	With reference to the extra amount of labour entailed on the Military Secretary by the forgoing arrangement, details the services rendered by Lieutenant-Colonel Macpherson during the late insurrection and recommends an increase of Rs. 500 per month to his salary.	

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2111	No. 844, dated 20th January 1858 From—The Revd. W. J. Parker, Principal and Secretary, Lawrence Asylum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Training class for students for Public Works Department.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 72, dated the 16th January 1858, advising despatch of mathematical instruments presented by the Bombay Government to the Lawrence Asylum, and returns his thanks for the gift.	Progs. for the week ending 6th February 1858— Nos. 32-3.
	No. 223, dated 2nd February 1858.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Revd. W. J. Parker, Principal and Secretary, Lawrence Asylum.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of the foregoing and referring to previous correspondence, explains that the instruments are not a gift, but were purchased from a grant of Rs. 1,000 given by Government for supplying the Public Works class with these articles, of which amount Rs. 11-4-2 still remains unexpended.	
2112	No. 9, dated 23rd January 1858 .. From—The Inspector of Prisons and Dispensaries, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations.	Forwards a copy of a circular to Commissioners of Divisions and also a form of a register devised so as to prevent false return being made of the number of persons vaccinated. Conveys intimation of the arrival of a freshsupply of vaccine, etc., from England and offers suggestions for its distribution.	Nos. 73—6.
	Circular No. 5 – 247, dated 5th February 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto	Circulates copies of the preceding for distribution among their district officers and draws attention to the importance of all old crusts being destroyed, to ensure a simultaneous issue of pure vaccine.	
2113	No. 1927, dated 1st December 1857 From—The Secretary to the Govern- of India. Home Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conveyance to Multan and Karachi of women and children proceeding to England.	Forwards a copy of a letter No. 1926, dated the 1st December 1857, to the Officiating Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, and requests that arrangements may be made for facilitating the transfer to Multan and Karachi of women and children proceeding from the North-Western Provinces and Punjab to England.	Nos. 81—7
	No. 250, dated 6th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.	Ditto	In reply, states that measures will be taken to facilitate the transport of the women and children in question.	
	Nos. 251—[illegible], dated 6th February 1858 From – The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Dehra Dun; Commissioner, Kumaon; Magistrate of Saharanpur; and Secretary, Relief Fund, Lahore.	Ditto	Intimates that the Chief Commissioner is ready to render all the assistance in his power to facilitate the transit of the women and children after they reach Ambala. Suggests various arrangements for the parties in transit in accordance with their station and means.	
2114	No. 138, dated 20th January 1858 From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	List of officers in the Punjab eligible for promotion in the North-Western Provinces.	Asks for a list of officers in the Punjab who are eligible for promotion as Magistrates and Collectors in the North-Western Provinces.	Nos. 889.
	No. 257, dated 6th February 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply, forwards a list of officers who are eligible for promotion.	

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2115	No. 336, dated 26th January 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of the tea prepared at the Government Factory at Holta to the Commissariat Department.	*Forwards, for information, a copy of correspondence relative to making over at a fair valuation to the Commissariat Department all the tea prepared this season* at the Government Factory at Holta.	*Progs. for the week ending 6th February 1858—* *Nos. 92—4.*
	No. 260, dated 6th February 1858.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	
2116	No. *Nil*, dated 15th January 1858 .. From—Lieutenant-Colonel, H. P. Burn, *ex*-Military Governor of Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Adjustment of prize property at Delhi.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1, dated the 2nd January 1858, and reports the proceedings of the Committee of Adjustment of prize property at Delhi, of which he was President.	Nos. 95—8.
	No. 261, dated 6th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department	Ditto	Submits, with Chief Commissioner's remarks, a copy of the above letter from Colonel Burn, regarding the property confiscated at Delhi.	
	No. 262, dated 6th February 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for his information.	
2117	No. 265, dated 20th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Order prohibiting the spoilation of private property at Delhi.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 815, dated the 21st December 1857, states that the order preventing the spoilation of private property at Delhi issued by the Chief Commissioner meets with the concurrence of Government. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No 102.
2118	No. 17, dated 20th January 1858 From—Major Chamberlain, Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Seditious letter addressed to a Native officer.	Forwards vernacular copy of a seditious letter addressed to Wordie-Major Mir Barkat Ali which was received by him through the Post Office. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 113.
2119	No. 17, dated 1st February 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Murree Bazar	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 137, dated the 26th January 1858, covering copy of No. 136 of same date to Major-General Cotton on the subject of the Murree Bazar, and requests to be supplied with copy of the Major-General's letter No. 1 of the 11th January 1858, in which unfavourable reflections are made on the civil administration of Murree during the past season.	Progs. for the week ending 13th February 1858— Nos. 6-7.
	No. 265, dated 8th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner and Superintendent of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, forwards a copy of General Cotton's letter.	

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2120	No. 53—380, dated 1st February 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vernacular translation of the treatise on Vaccination.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 131 of the 11th September 1857, reports that 500 copies of the vernacular translation of the treatise on Vaccination have been printed and are available for distribution.	Progs for the week ending 13th February 1858—Nos. 16-17.
	No. 271, dated 9th February 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, furnishes list of persons to whom copies are to be supplied.	
2121	No. 353, dated 28th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed removal of the head-quarters of the Jhelum Division from Jhelum to Rawalpindi.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 179, dated the 6th March 1857, on the subject of the removal of the head-quarters of the Jhelum Division to Rawalpindi, and states no sufficient reason has been given for overruling the present arrangement. Points out the inconvenience which would result and rejects the proposal.	Nos. 15-19.
	No. 272 dated 9th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, with reference to his letter No. 21, dated the 28th February 1857.	
2122	No. 1856, dated 18th November 1857. From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The relief fund	Informs the Chief Commissioner that of the sum in the Agra Bank to the credit of Lord Canning, the sum of Rs. 25,000 is to be held to the credit of the Lahore Treasury, to meet disbursements on account of the relief fund.	Nos. 23—6.
	No. 235, dated 30th January 1858 From—The Deputy Commissioner, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Payment of Rs. 25,000 to local Secretary.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 131, dated the 26th January 1854, reports having paid the sum of Company's Rs. 25,000 to the Secretary, Relief Fund, and encloses bill in duplicate for the same.	
	No. 275, dated 9th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.	Ditto	In reply, reports that the amount in question has been advanced to the Committee from the Lahore Civil Treasury and requests that a draft on the General Treasury may be remitted in liquidation.	
2123	Circular No. 6—276, dated 9th February 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— All Deputy Commissioners. Commissioners of Divisions. Financial Commissioner. Judicial Commissioner. Director of Canals. Chief Engineer. Civil Auditor. Accountant. Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner. Director of Public Instruction, and Inspector-General of Prisons.	Payment of one month's arrears to establishment	Circulates a copy of notification published in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 6th February 1858, directing payment of one month's arrears to establishments.	No. 26½.

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2124	No. 267, dated 28th January 1858 From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conveyance to Multan and Karachi of women and children proceeding to England.	Forwards a copy of a letter No. 132, dated the 13th January 1858, from the Secretary to Government, Bombay, and requests instructions as to how he can coöperate in facilitating the journey of families from the North-Western Provinces homewards.	Progs. for the week ending 13th February 1858—Nos. 31-2.
	No. 279, dated 9th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto Table expenses of free passengers.	In reply, states that for the portion of the journey through the Punjab the Chief Commissioner will undertake the arrangements, but will be glad of any assistance which can be rendered to them down the Indus and from Karachi to Bombay. Requests that such as have suffered from the mutinies and to whom free passage from Multan has been granted may have their table expenses paid by the Sind Special Fund.	
2125	No. 80—280, dated 10th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India	Alleged murder in Yarkand of Mr. A. Schlaginthweet, Meteorological Surveyor.	Submits translation of a petition from the Minister of the Maharaja of Kashmir, in reply to enquiries regarding Mr. A. Schlaginthweet, stating that he is supposed to have been killed at Yarkand.	No. 33.
2126	No. 24, dated 25th January 1858... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Result of vaccine operations.	Forwards returns showing the result of vaccine operations in December 1857. Memo.—Office.	Nos. 86—8.
2127	No. 355, dated 28th January 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The mutiny at Sialkot.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 27, dated the 14th July 1857, approves of the measures taken by the Chief Commissioner on receiving news of the mutiny at Sialkot, and observes that the services of the troops of the late Maharaja Golab Singh have been suitably acknowledged in General Orders after the capture of Delhi. Memo.—Office.	No. 90.
2128	No. 191, dated 27th October 1858 From—Lieutenant Lambert, Commanding Depôt 1st Bengal Fusiliers. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Payments from the Relief Fund to widows and orphans of European soldiers.	Acknowledges receipt of a draft of Rs. 1,000 from the Calcutta Relief Fund, and states that the number of widows in his regiment is nine and the monthly outlay for relief Rs 170-'4-4. Memo.—Office.	Nos. 95—106.
	No. Nil, dated 19th October 1857 From—Lieutenant L. J. Trotter, Commanding Depôt H. C. 2nd European Regiment. To—the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of a draft for Rs. 1,000 for the relief of the families of soldiers belonging to his regiment and encloses statement of the widows in the corps. Memo.—Office.	
	No. 266, dated 24th October 1857 From—Major H. E. S. Abbott, Commanding 2nd Bengal Fusiliers. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter of the 10th October 1857, acknowledges receipt of a draft for Rs. 1,000 and encloses nominal roll of widows, etc. Memo.—Office.	

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2128—*concld*	No. 599, dated 15th October 1857 From—Captain Blackall, Commanding Depôt H. M.'s 75th Regiment. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Payments from the Relief Fund to widows and orphans of European soldiers.	Acknowledges receipt of a draft for Rs. 1,000 for distribution to the widows and orphans of H. M's 75th Regiment and states that there are at present 16 widows in the corps. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 13th February 1858—Nos. 95—106.
	No. 693, dated 19th December 1857 From—Captain Blackall, Commanding Depôt H. M.'s 75th Foot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Reports that the sum of Rs. 1,000 forwarded on the 18th October 1857 for relief of the widows, etc., of his regiment will be expended by the 15th January 1858, and solicits a further advance. Encloses statement showing relief afforded. MEMO.—OFFICE.	
	No. *Nil*, dated 15th October 1857... From—Captain R. Greig, Commanding Depôt 61st Foot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of Rs. 600 remitted for families of soldiers killed or died in service. Forwards return of widows and orphans of his regiment. MEMO.—OFFICE.	
	No. 979, dated 17th October 1857... From—Colonel Brown, Commanding 24th Queens. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of a draft for Rs. 400 for the relief of families of European soldiers in India. States that he has disbursed Rs. 89-5-8 and that he will require Rs. 157-14-9 monthly. Encloses a statement of the number of widows in the regiment. MEMO.—OFFICE.	
2129	No. 9, dated 9th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Delhi Division from the North-Western Provinces to the Punjab.	Forwards, for the Chief Commissioner's information, a copy of a Resolution recorded in the Home Department, regarding the separation of the Delhi Division from the North-Western Provinces and the transfer of its administration to the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 20th February 1858—Nos. 5—8.
	No. 313—15, dated 15th February 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Financial Commissioner, and Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the foregoing for their information and guidance.	
2130	No. 22, dated 6th February 1858 From—Major General Commanding Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed transfer of the Bazar at Murree from Civil to Military control.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's No. 136, dated the 26th January 1858, on the subject of transferring the Bazar at Murree from Civil to Military control, and respectfully requests the Chief Commissioner to reconsider the suggestion contained in the last paragraph of the letter under acknowledgment. Communicates further suggestions in regard to a few policemen being placed under the direct control of the Officer Commanding the Depôt at Murree and that offences committed within cantonments should, in the first instance, be examined into by him.	Nos. 9-10.
	No. 316, dated 15th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and enquires whether the arrangement proposed is feasible. If it is so, he should have it carried into effect.	

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2131	No. 122, dated 5th February 1858 From—The Superintendent, P.T. Agency. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation on account of property destroyed by the mutineers at Sialkot.	Submits, for favourable consideration, a claim for compensation on account of property destroyed by the mutineers at Sialkot on the 9th July 1857, amounting to Company's Rs. 200.	Progs. for the week ending 20th February 858—Nos. 18-19.
	No. 320, dated 16th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, P. T. Agency.	Ditto	In reply informs the Superintendent that the claims of Baboo Ram Chunder for compensation should be laid before the civil authorities who will either register it or refer it to the higher authority.	
2132	No. 52, dated 1st February 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disposal of unsold goods returned from the Paris Exhibition.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letters No. 1439, dated the 10th October 1857, and No. 104, dated the 21st January 1858, communicates wishes of the Multan and Ludhiana merchants regarding disposal of their unsold goods returned from the Paris Exhibition.	Nos. 21—4
	No. 77, dated 11th February 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 52, dated the 1st February 1858, forwards a copy of letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar, communicating the wish of Chamba Mall and other merchants that the shawls returned from the Paris Exhibition may be sold in Calcutta.	
	No. 97—323, dated 16th February 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to previous correspondence submits an extract from letter No. 52, dated the 1st February 1858, from the Financial Commissioner, and requests that the wishes of the several merchants regarding the sale of their goods may be complied with.	
2133	No. *Nil*, dated 7th February 1858 From—Captain Hutton, Mussoorie. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Silk cultivation	Submits, for the consideration of the Chief Commissioner, copies of correspondence between the late Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces, and himself on the subject of silk cultivation, from which it will be seen that had not the mutiny occurred in May 1857, a mulberry plantation would have been commenced for the purpose of cultivating the wild Himalayan silk-worm. Under the supposition that the Mussoorie Hills have been transferred to the Punjab jurisdiction, solicits the Chief Commissioner's sanction to his carrying out the wishes of Government as expressed in the documents submitted.	Nos. 36—8.
	No. 331, dated 18th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Hutton, Mussoorie.	Ditto	In reply states that the Mussoorie Hills have not been placed under the jurisdiction of the Chief Commissioner, nor is there at present, any reason to believe that they will be attached to the Punjab.	

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2134	No. 71, dated 5th February 1858 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Services rendered at Multan by Captain Spencer, Assistant Commissary of Ordnance.	Submits, for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Multan Division, with enclosure, relative to services rendered by Captain Spencer, Assistant Commissary of Ordnance, at Multan.	Progs. for the week ending 20th February 1858—Nos. 48—52.
	No. 1-334, dated 18th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and states that the Chief Commissioner has great pleasure in bearing testimony to Captain Spencer's merits. He is an old and meritorious soldier and has done extremely well during a trying period.	
2135	No. 42, dated 6th February 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Election of Mr. C. H. Barnett as Municipal Commissioner of Simla.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Chairman of the Simla Municipal Committee, reporting, for the information and sanction of Government, the election of Mr. C. H. Barnett as a Municipal Commissioner of Simla, to fill a vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. F. Graham.	Nos. 53-4.
	No. 335, dated 18th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, points out that no report of the gentlemen elected as Municipal Commissioners for the current year 1857-8 has been made to the Chief Commissioner's office, in view to the approval of Government being obtained and their appointment being notified in the Gazette. Therefore requests that the report may be furnished speedily, when it will be forwarded to Government and at the same time, Mr. Barnett's nomination in succession to Mr. Graham will be duly reported.	
2136	No. 69, dated 9th February 1858 From—The Commissioner of Bhuttee. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation for losses sustained at Ranneea during the late disturbances.	Submits, for sanction, compensation bills for losses sustained at Ranneea during the late disturbances by Captain Robertson and other Government officials of Bhutteana territory, aggregating Rs. 5,374.	Nos. 55-6.
	No. 336, dated 18th February 1858	Ditto	Memo.—Ordered that bills received with the preceding be countersigned in full and sent on to the Civil Auditor for audit.	
2137	No. 44, dated 11th February 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed reward of Rs. 1,300 for certain persons who befriended Mrs. Oldwell during the disturbances.	Submits a copy of a letter from Mr. Egerton, suggesting that a reward of Rs. 1,300 be granted to certain persons who befriended Mrs. Oldwell during the recent disturbances, and recommends that it be sanctioned.	Nos. 64-5.
	No. 341, dated 19th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	In reply communicates sanction to payment of the above reward.	

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2138	No. *Nil*, dated 17th December 1857 From—The Honorary Secretary, London Relief Committee. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Remittances made to India and relief granted in individual cases by London Relief Committee.	Forwards a tabular statement, giving information in detail of remittances made to India and of relief granted in individual cases, and requests that a similar statement may be supplied to the London Committee for the sake of material information regarding the general application of the funds, as well as to prevent their misapplication.	Progs. for the week ending 20th February 1858—Nos. 82-8.
	No. 347, dated 19th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Punjab Relief Fund.	Ditto Interchange of return between different Committees.	Forwards a copy of the preceding and its enclosure (in original) and requests that the tabular returns prescribed therein may be prepared and furnished periodically, for transmission to the London Committee. Suggests that similar returns be interchanged between the Lahore and other Relief Committees in India.	
2139	No. 356, dated 22nd February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Measures for restoration of tranquillity and prosperity in the Punjab and Delhi.	Reports the tranquillity and prosperity of the Punjab and Delhi territory, the arrival of the Chief Commissioner at Ludhiana on the 4th and the hanging of 21 Sikh mutineers of the 12th B. N. I. at that place on the 5th February. States that 3½ regiments of Punjab Infantry have passed on for service in Rohilkund, the 5th Punjab Infantry is presumed to be now at Meerut and the 17th, 22nd and 1st Sikhs at Ambala are destined for Roorkee, with Captain Cureton's Cavalry accompanying them. All the Infantry and Cavalry promised by the Chief Commissioner have now been supplied, excepting a wing of the 1st Sikhs awaiting the two Beloch Battalions from Sind. Another regiment is now being raised, composed of Punjabees, Sikhs and Rajputs. The Chief Commissioner arrived at Karnal on the 18th and expects to reach Delhi on the 21st. A wing of the 7th Fusiliers arrived at Lahore and relieved a wing of H. M.'s 84th Regiment which marched for Peshawar. A detachment of the 98th Foot is expected daily at Multan, but bad steamboats rendered the passage very tardy.	Progs. for the week ending 27th February 1858—No. 6.
2140	No. 46, dated 11th February 1858.. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Captain Smith, Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Ferozepore, for compensation for loss sustained during the mutinies.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 67, dated the 15th January 1858, submits, for information, a copy of a letter from Captain Smith, Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Ferozepore, explanatory of his claim for compensation for loss sustained during the mutinies.	Nos. 7-8.
	No. 357, dated 22nd February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, requests that Captain Smith may be directed to submit his bills to the Military Auditor-General.	

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2141	No. 69, dated 17th February 1858... From—Captain Blackall, 75th Foot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application for a further advance from the Patriotic Fund for widows and orphans.	Calls attention to his letter No. 693, dated the 19th December 1857, soliciting a further advance from the Patriotic Fund for widows and orphans of H. M.'s 75th Regiment.	Progs. for the week ending 27th February 1858—Nos. 15-16.
	No. 363, dated 23rd February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—Captain Blackall, 75th Foot.	Ditto	In reply, informs Captain Blackall that on receipt of additional funds which have been applied for from the Relief Fund, further aid will, if possible, be afforded to the widows and orphans of H. M.'s 75th Regiment.	
2142	No. 59, dated 22nd February 1858... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Election of Municipal Commissioners of Simla.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 335, dated the 18th February 1858, states that the names of the gentlemen elected as Municipal Commissioners of Simla for the current year were reported in No. 146, dated the 23th June 1857.	Nos. 43-4.
	No 378, dated 26th February 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the letter alluded to in the above has not been received and calls for a duplicate.	
2143	No. 42, dated 10th February 1858... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Crown jewels of the *ex*-King of Delhi.	With reference to G. O. No. 181, dated the 29th January 1858, requests instructions as to the disposal of the Crown jewels of the *ex*-King of Delhi which are at present in the custody of the Collector of Delhi..	Nos. 51—53½.
	No. 51, dated 19th February 1858 .. From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the above, forwards a list of the Crown jewels of the *ex*-King of Delhi, with remarks on their valuation.	
	No. 6—382, dated 27th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits copies of the preceding and solicits the orders of the Governor-General as to whether the Crown jewels are to be considered prize property or not, and if they are, enquires whether they are to be made over to the Prize Agents.	
2144	No. 685, dated 10th February 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposal to make Hissar the combined civil and military station of the District.	In reply to Chief Commisioner's letter No. 789, dated the 25th November 1857, states that the Hon'ble the President in Council entirely approves of the Chief Commissioner's proposal to make Hissar the combined civil and military station of the district	Nos. 54-5.
	No. 383, dated 27th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information and requests him to arrange without delay for repairs of such buildings as are absolutely required for public purposes. Conveys further instructions regarding collection of materials and limitation of expenditure.	

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2145	No. 45, dated 13th February 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Loyal and honourable conduct of Sardar Bahadur Risaldar Mir Hidaut Ali.	Forwards copies of letters relative to the loyal and honourable conduct of Sardar Bahadur Risaldar Mir Hidaut Ali, of the 4th Irregular Cavalry and requests the Chief Commissioner to indicate, in communication with the Collector of the district in which the Risaldar's village is, where a grant of land may be conveniently given. Adds that the enquiry should be made at once, but should there be any unavoidable delay in giving the land, the Government will be prepared to confer a pension on the Risaldar until suitable land can be found.	Progs. for the weeh ending 27th February 1858—Nos. 60—62.
	No. 9—385, dated 27th Febuary 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner has already recommended in the Revenue Department, at the instance of the Officiating Commissioner of the Delhi Division, that a handsome jagir should be assigned to this Native officer.	
2146	No. 688, dated 10th February 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sericulture in Lahore.	Forwards, for information, an extract paragraph from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors relative to the silk operations at Lahore, enquiring how far the expectations of success have been realized and what portion of the advances has been recovered.	Nos. 63—5.
	No. 386, dated 27th February 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and desires him to supply the information required by Government.	
2147	No. 696 dated 10th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea cultivation in the Kangra Valley.	Forwards, for information and communication to Dr. Jamieson, an extract from a despatch of the Hon'ble Court of Directors, regarding tea cultivation in the Kangra Valley.	Nos. 69—72.
	Nos. 389-90, dated 27th February 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—(1) The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. (2) Dr. Jamieson.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above.	
2148	No. 77, dated 16th February 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Increase of salary of Lieutenant-Colonel Macpherson, Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, for additional duties.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 66, dated the 2nd February 1858, communicates sanction to an increase of Rs. 500 per month to the salary of Lieutenant-Colonel Macpherson for performing that portion of Colonel Steel's duties as Superintendent, Cantonment Police, which pertains to the Punjab.	Nos. 73—5.
	No. 391, dated 27th February 1858 From The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—(1) The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner. (2) The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above for their information	

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2148½	No. 90, dated 19th February 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of Delhi from the North-Western Provinces to the Punjab.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 314, dated the 15th February 1858, enclosing copy of Government Resolution transferring the administration of the entire Delhi Division from the North-Western Provinces to the Punjab, reports that he has instructed the Commissioner of Delhi to submit all Revenue and Financial returns, reports, etc., of his Division to his (Financial Commissioner's) office and that Mr. Arnold has been directed to report the arrangements he would recommend as regards the Educational Department; but in regard to the Customs Department in the Delhi Division, states that he thinks it would be advisable to allow it to remain under the Commissioner of Customs, North-Western Provinces, though the receipts and disbursements connected with it would neces arily be entered in the accounts of the Punjab, and the Commissioner in reference to that portion of his charge should be required to report to the Punjab Government.	Progs., for the week ending 6th March 1858— Nos. 5-6.
		Proposal that Customs Department should remain under North-Western Provinces Government.		
	No. 10—396, dated 1st March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and solicits orders of the supreme Government in regard to that portion of it which relates to the control of the Customs line within the Delhi Division.	
2149	No. 689, dated 10th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mineral resources of the Pungah Valley.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors relative to the mineral resources of the Pungah Valley, and requests submission of the required report.	Nos. 8--10.
	No. 398, dated 1st March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards, for report, a copy of the above.	
2150	No. 121, dated 19th February 1858 From—The Officer Commanding, Artillery Division, Meerut. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Calcutta Relief Fund	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letters Nos. 1837, and 31, dated the 19th December 1857 and 7th January 1858, forwarding remittances from the Calcutta Special Fund, for the relief of widows and orphans of the regiment of artillery, enquires whether the remittances are intended for the regiment of artillery at large or only for the Meerut Division.	Nos. 25-6.
	No. 407, dated 2nd March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding, Artillery Division, Meerut.	Ditto	In reply, explains that the remittances in question are to be distributed amongst the whole of the Bengal Artillery.	

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2151	No. 4, dated 14th January 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Services rendered by Gouri Shankar during the siege of Delhi.	Brings to the notice of the Chief Commissioner the services rendered by a Hindustani named Gouri Shankar during the siege of Delhi, and recommends that he be rewarded.	Progs. for the week ending 6th March 1858— Nos. 46-7.
	No. 414-E., dated 4th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and a translation of certain papers relative to services alleged to have been rendered during the siege of Delhi by Munshi Gouri Shankar, and requests him to submit his opinion on that individual's services, and to propose such reward for him as he may consider appropriate.	
2152	No. 55, dated 20th February 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Mr. Thornton's claim to compensation for loss of property while in transit from Calcutta.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiana, submitting Mr. Thornton's claim to compensation for loss of his property while in transit from Calcutta by bullock train, and recommends that it be allowed.	Nos. 53-5.
	No. 127—418, dated 5th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to the proceedings of the Government of India in the Financial Department, submits a copy of preceding, with enclosures in original, and states that, as Mr. Thornton's claim is somewhat doubtful, the Chief Commissioner would be glad to receive the decision of the supreme Government in the case.	
2153	No. *Nil*, dated 14th December 1858 From—The Quartermaster-General of the Army. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed compensation for injuries done to the lands of Nawal Ram, near Delhi.	Forwards a certificate given to Nawal Ram, Lumbardar of the village of Wazirabad, near Delhi, by him (Colonel Becher, Quartermaster-General) recommending him (Nawal Ram) to the favourable consideration of Commissioner for compensation for injuries done to his lands by a portion of the Delhi Field Force having been encamped thereon from June to September 1857.	Nos. 60-61.
	No. 420-A., dated 5th March 1858 From—the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, from which it appears that Nawal Ram did good service to our troops and that his lands suffered injury from camp followers and cattle. The Chief Commissioner, therefore, requests that some reward may be proposed for or given to Nawal Ram, if he has not already received any.	
2154	No. 1932, dated 24th February 1858 From—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. So—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Punjab.	Arms, etc., for Amir of Kabul.	Submits a copy of a letter to the Commissioner of the Peshawar Division, directing that the arms, etc, still remaining in store at Rawalpindi may be sent either to Kohat or Peshawar, for future transmission to Amir Dost Muhammad Khan. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 79.

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2155	No. 9, dated 26th January 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lord Bishop's visitation report.	Advises despatch by Dak Banghy of five copies of the Lord Bishop's visitation report, and the Government resolution thereon.	Progs. for the week ending 6th March 1858— Nos. 82-3.
2156	No. *Nil*, dated 5th March 1858 ... From—C. T Lebas, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Investigation of losses during the mutiny. Claims by two ladies.	Intimates that he has been appointed to act as Commissioner for registry and scrutiny of claims for succour on account of losses incurred by certain classes of persons during the late mutinies, and submits, for the Chief Commissioner's opinion, claims by two ladies for compensation.	Nos. 85-6.
	No. 427-A., dated 6th March 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—C. T. Lebas, Esq.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the Chief Commissioner's opinion in both cases, and states that, in future, a statement of all the relevant circumstances will be desirable.	
2157	No. 49, dated 16th February 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Ressaldar Barkat Ali, to property of late Mir Bisharat Ali, Ressaldar, shot by order of Lieutenant Hodson.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 190, dated the 29th January 1858, relative to the claim of Ressaldar Barkat Ali, to the property of the late Mir Bisharat Ali Ressaldar, who was shot by order of Captain Hodson, and, in reply, annexes copies of correspondence on the subject with Mr. J. S. Campbell, Joint Magistrate of Rohtak, and recommends that, in consideration of the peculiar circumstances of the case and excellent services rendered by the petitioner, the lands and other effects of the deceased be exempted from confiscation and conferred on Ressaldar Barkat Ali and upon his brother-in-law, Umar Ali, son of the deceased.	Progs. for the week ending 13th March 1858— Nos 1—3.
	No 132—418, dated 8th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Question of Chief Commissioner's powers with regard to exemption from confiscation.	Forwards a copy of the preceding and communicates particulars of the claim preferred by Barkat Ali and the eminent services rendered by him. Recommends that the property of late Bisharat Ali, or portion of it, be granted to Mir Barkat Ali and Umer Ali, to be divided according to family custom or Muhammadan law. Enquires whether the Chief Commissioner has the permission of Government to dispose, in future, on his own authority of cases relating to exemption of property from confiscation.	
2158	No *Nil*, dated 25th February 1858 From—Brigadier-General Chamberlain. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Services rendered by Mr. T. J. Brown, Inspector, Telegraph Department, and Mr. Brookes, during the siege of Delhi.	Forwards, for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from Mr. T. J. Brown, Inspector, Telegraph Department, describing the services rendered by himself and Mr. Brookes during the siege of Delhi and begging to be allowed to share in the Delhi prize money. Recommends that some substantial mark of consideration be bestowed on these officers.	Nos. 3 *a—b*.
	No 428-A., dated 8th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—T. J. Brown, Esq.	Ditto	With reference to the preceding, enquires from Mr. Brown what salaries are now drawn by himself and Mr. Brookes, and how long they have served Government.	

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2159	No. 692, dated 10th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conduct of Mr. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner of Multan.	Forwards, for information, extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors relative to the conduct of Mr. Henderson, Deputy Commissioner of Multan, and requests submission of the report therein required.	Progs. for the week ending 13th March 1858 – Nos. 4—6.
	No. 132-A—428, dated 8th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, states that Mr. Henderson did not succeed in bringing up his arrears of work in the Multan District within the two months originally applied for and conceded to him by Government for that purpose. He was obliged to obtain additional leave for one month to enable him to do so and even then the Chief Commissioner had to find fault with the manner in which some of the work was performed. After Mr Henderson had brought up his arrears at Multan, he was transferred to another district where the business is considerably lighter and since then the Chief Commissioner has not had occasion to find fault with him.	
2160	No. 30, dated 2nd February 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Lieutenant Nightingale Executive Engineer, for compensation for a house built by him at Dalhousie.	Submits for consideration and decision of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Nightingale, Executive Engineer, claiming compensation for a house built by him at a cost of Rs. 7,000 at Dalhousie, under the impression that the proposed sanitarium would be established. Adds that whatever may be the decision of the Chief Commissioner on this point, Commissioner is of opinion that the Raja of Chamba is fairly entitled to recover the value of timber cut in his forests according to stipulation.	Nos. 25—7
	No. 441, dated 9th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that according to engagements entered into with the Raja, the sum claimed must be paid by Captain Nightingale. The Chief Commissioner regrets that Captain Nightingale should have sustained loss personally from the abandonment of the Dalhousie Sanitarium, but this abandonment arose from unforeseen circumstances. Further observes that Captain Nightingale was not bound to spend so large a sum on his house and the Chief Commissioner is not aware that any compensation can be claimed on this account.	
2161	No. *Nil*, dated 26th February 1858 From—Mr. McBarnett, Simla To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Offer to purchase the Government bullock train plying on the Hindustan and Tibet road.	Submits, for consideration of the Chief Commissioner, propositions for purchaeing the Government bullock train now plying on the Hindustan and Tibet road.	Nos. 28-9.
	No. 442, dated 10th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. McBarnett, Simla.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. McBarnett that his application should be made to Captain Briggs, the Superintendent, who, if he thinks proper, will submit it to the Chief Commissioner. Adds, however, that, to enable the Chief Commissioner to judge of the matter, he should prove to Captain Briggs that he is equal to the task he undertakes.	

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2162	No. 71, dated 5th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation preferred by Madho Pershad, Extra Assistant, for property destroyed by the mutineers.	Submits claim to compensation preferred by Madho Pershad, Extra Assistant at Ludhiana, for loss of property destroyed by the mutineers, valued at Rs. 514-11-3 and strongly recommends its being favourably considered.	Progs. for the week ending 13th March 1858— Nos. 32-3.
	No. 444-A., dated 10th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner cannot grant the compensation as Madho Pershad's claim does not come under the rules nor is he entitled to succour, not being in distress; but the Chief Commissioner hopes that other opportunities may occur when the services and conduct of Madho Pershad during the past year may be suitably acknowledged.	
2163	No. 62, dated 27th February 1858... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Captain Smith's claim for compensation.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 357, dated the 22nd February 1858, disposing of Captain Smith's claim for compensation, the Commissioner points out that no orders have been received by him on the claim of Dr. O' Brien, submitted with No. 5 of the 5th January 1858.	Nos. 34-5.
	No. 445, dated 11th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner concurs with him in thinking that Dr. O'Brien's claim, as explained in letter No. 5, dated the 5th January 1858, is inadmissible under the rules. Adds that Captain Smith's claim has been disposed of otherwise.	
2164	No. 62, dated 5th March 1858 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Recognition of mutiny services of two Lambardars.	Submits copy of a letter received from the Magistrate of Delhi, with copies of certificates given by Colonel Becher, Quartermaster-General of the Army, to two Lambardars, for services rendered during the siege of Delhi, and solicits sanction to disburse Rs 500 to them as a reward.	Nos. 36-7.
	No. 446, dated 11th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Officiating Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the disbursement of Rs. 500 in rewarding the Lambardars.	
2165	No. 270, dated 12th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Temporary telegraph line, Lahore and Gugera.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 744, dated the 9th November 1857, sanctions Rs. 2,472-12-0 for erection of a temporary line of Electric Telegraph posts between Lahore and Gugera.	Nos. 40—42
	No 448, dated 11th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and enquires what arrangements have been made for supplying the wire for this line of telegraph.	

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2166	No. 28, dated 8th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Offer of an appointment in the Educational Department to Mr. H. E. Parkins.	Reports that Mr. H. E. Parkins, Assistant Commissioner, Lahore, having been offered an appointment in the Educational Department, will shortly leave for the North-Western Provinces, and that he has, in anticipation of sanction, ordered Mr. Aitchison from Amritsar in room of Mr. Parkins.	Progs. for the week ending 13th March 1858— Nos. 52—4.
	No. 455, dated 12th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the transfer of Mr. Aitchison from Amritsar to Lahore as Assistant Commissioner, in room of Mr. Parkins, who will probably leave after the ensuing examination.	
	No. 456, dated 12th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for his information.	
2167	No. 65, dated 13th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Municipal Commissioners elected at Simla.	Submits copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, containing a list of the names of the gentlemen recently elected as Municipal Commissioners of Simla for the season 1857-8.	Nos. 56-7.
	No. 143—458, dated 13th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits, for the information of Government, copies of documents relative to the election of Municipal Commissioners for Simla during the season of 1857-58. Explains cause of delay and requests that, if approved by Government, the names of the Commissioners may be notified in the *Calcutta Gazette*.	
2168	No. 18, dated 24th February 1858... From—The Director of Public Instruction. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vernacular translation of an English treatise on vaccination.	Submits two copies of a vernacular translation of an English treatise on vaccination. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 77.
2169	No. *Nil*, dated 9th March 1858 ... From—T. J. Brown, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mutiny services of Mr. T. J. Brown and Mr. Brookes, Telegraph Department.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 428-A., dated the 8th March 1858, states the salaries drawn by himself and Mr. Brookes and the periods they have served Government, respectively. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 80.
2170	No. 15A.—469A., dated 15th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Formation of two Commissionerships, one at Delhi and another at Hissar.	Submits proposals and recommendations in detail for the introduction of the Punjab system of administration into the Delhi territory, the formation of two Commissionerships, one at Delhi and another at Hissar, the officers to be appointed to the Divisions and Districts, and the salaries to be given them.	Progs. for the week ending 20th March 1858— No. 11.

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2171	No. 148—470, dated 15th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Mutiny services rendered by Mr. T. J. Brown of the Electric Telegraph Department and his assistant, Mr. Brookes.	Submits a copy of a letter addressed by Mr. T. J. Brown, of the Electric Telegraph Department to Brigadier-General Chamberlain, C.B., describing services rendered by himself and his assistant, Mr. Brookes, during the late rebellion, and begging to be allowed a share in the prize money obtained from the capture of property at Delhi. States that as it appears that the officers of the Electric Telegraph Department are not entitled to share in the Prize money, the Chief Commissioner recommends that the acknowledgments of Government be shewn by raising the present salaries of these officers, *viz.*, that of Mr. Brown from Rs. 250 to Rs. 300, and that of Mr. Brookes from Rs. 100 to Rs. 125 per month.	Progs. for the week ending 20th March 1858— No. 12.
2172	No. 444, dated 4th March 1858 ... From—Lieutenant Lambert, Commanding Depôt 1st E. B. Fusiliers To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Distribution of Relief Fund to widows of European soldiers.	Forwards an acquittance roll of payments made to widows of his regiment for February 1858 States that he has now only a balance of Rs. 140-12-9 remaining and requests to be informed to whom he should apply for more funds.	Nos. 34—6.
	No. 483, dated 16th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Remington & Co., Bombay.	Ditto	Forwards, for information and communication, if necessary, to the Calcutta Special Fund, a copy of the preceding, and states that the Chief Commissioner would be glad if further relief could be afforded by the Calcutta Fund to the 1st European regiment.	
	No. 484, dated 16th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant E. Lambert.	Ditto	In reply, states that a copy of his letter has been forwarded to Messrs. Remington & Co. of Bombay, for communication to the Calcutta Special Fund, with a request that, if possible, further relief may be afforded to the widows and orphans in his regiment.	
2173	No. 991, dated 26th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disposal of the services of Messrs. Christie and Raynor.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 113, dated the 23rd January 1858, soliciting orders as to the disposal of Messrs. Christie and Raynor, and states that they are to continue to hold their respective appointments of Accountant and Civil Auditor until further orders.	Nos. 41—3.
	No. 487, dated 16th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—J. A. Christie, Esq., Accountant, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above in continuation of letter No. 410, dated the 2nd March 1858.	
	No. 488, dated 16th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—W. J. Raynor, Esq., Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of Government Resolution, in the Financial Department, No. 5126, dated the 4th December 1857, with a copy of the preceding for his information.	
2174	No. 16-A—488-A., dated 17th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Annual administration reports for the two years 1856-7 and 1857-8.	Suggests that one annual administration report be accepted for the two years 1856-7 and 1857-8.	No. 43½.

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2175	No. 17-A —494-A., dated 17th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Civil arrangements for the Delhi Division. Special salary for General Van Cortlandt.	In reference to letter No. 469-A.—15-A., dated the 15th March 1858, regarding civil arrangements for the Delhi Division, submits a report on the allowances to be drawn by General Van Cortlandt, and suggests in consideration of certain circumstances, that as an act of grace, General Van Cortlandt may be granted a salary of Rs. 2,500 per month as Deputy Commissioner of Hissar and Commandant of the Military Police Force.	Progs. for the week ending 20th March 1858— No. 55.
2176	No. 45, dated 18th March 1858 ... From—C. Le Bas, Esq., C.S. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a special Commission for the trial of rebels.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's order appointing him a member of the special Commission for the trial of rebels, Mr. Le Bas expresses his dislike to the duty and a wish to be relieved from it at some specified time. Also states that he considers himself aggrieved by the Commissionership of Hissar not having been afforded to him.	Nos. 56—8.
	No. 494-B., dated 18th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—C. Le Bas, Esq., C.S.	Ditto	In reply explains the Chief Commissioner's reasons for not nominating him to the Commissionership of Hissar, and states that the Chief Commissioner could not consent to his proceeding on private affairs, until the work of the Commission is finished. His letter and this reply will be sent to Government, and in the meantime he (Mr. L.) is bound by the instructions he has already received.	
	No. 18—494-C, dated 18th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits copies of the preceding letters and states that the Chief Commissioner's recommendations in regard to Mr. Le Bas were communicated in letter regarding the general arrangements for the Delhi territory and the constitution of the special Commission at Delhi. Mr. Le Bas has been instructed to sit as a member of the Commission till further orders or until he may be required in the North-Western Provinces, but if Mr. Le Bas is required elsewhere, the Chief Commissioner hopes that another officer of competent standing and experience to sit on the Commission will be placed at his disposal, as in the Chief Commissioner's opinion the due performance of the work of the Commission is of primary importance at Delhi.	
2177	No. *Nil*, dated 13th March 1858 ... From—Lieutenant H. G. Raverty, Assistant Commissioner. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieutentant H. G. Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Reiterates his wish for a speedy decision of his case.	Nos. 59-60.
	No. 19—494-D., dated 18th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.		Submits a copy of the preceding with the earnest solicitation of the Chief Commissioner that Lieutenant Raverty's case may speedily be decided.	

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2178	No. 494-E., dated 18th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Marble pedestal affixed to floor of the Dewan Khas in the Palace of Delhi and crystal slabs.	Requests that the large marble pedestal affixed to the floor of the Diwan Khas in the Palace of Delhi, and also the crystal slabs in the same vicinity may be carefully taken up and removed. Also requests submission of a specification of the slabs with a memorandum of their past history and of the associations connected with them.	Progs. for the week ending 20th March 1858— No 61.
2179	No. 68, dated 3rd March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Plan for recording circulars of importance.	Suggests that the plan adopted by the Judicial and Financial Commissioners for recording circulars of importance be applied to General, Political and Military circulars of the nature referred to.	Nos. 81—3.
	No. 504, dated 20th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto Rules for Police Battalions.	In reply, informs the Commissioner that, in future, he will be furnished with a spare copy of all circulars of importance issued from the Chief Commissioner's office, and that his suggestions regarding rules for Police Battalion will be recommended to the Military Department.	
	No. 505, dated 20th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing, for his information and guidance.	
2180	No. 4458, dated 6th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Punjab Administration Report for 1856-7.	As requested in Chief Commissioner's letter No. 670, dated the 6th October 1857, forwards a duplicate of circular No. 2279, dated the 15th May 1857, with all its enclosures, relative to the submission of the Punjab Administration Report for 1856-7. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 84-5.
2181	No. 21—518-A., dated 23rd March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Proposed appointment of five Additional Assistants to the Punjab Commission.	Submits an application for five Additional Assistants to be appointed as soon as possible to the Punjab Commission, irrespective of the Delhi Territory, and explains the grounds of the application.	Progs. for the week ending 27th March 1858— No. 37.
2182	No. 6532-A., dated 15th March 1858 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Temporary telegraph line from Lahore to Gugera.	Acknowledges the receipt of letter No. 448, dated the 11th March 1858, enquiring what measures have been taken for supplying wire for the Electric Telegraph line between Lahore and Gugera, and states that the Department has nothing to do with supplying wire.	Nos. 38-9.
	No. 519, dated 23rd March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Superintendent, Electric Telegraph Department.	Ditto	As the line of temporary posts for the Electric Telegraph between Lahore and Gugera is now in course of erection, enquires whether any arrangements have been made for procuring wire, and expresses a hope that a supply will soon be available.	

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2183	No. 21, dated 13th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed construction of a tea factory at Dharmsala.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Kangra, enclosing a plan and estimate, and recommends an outlay of Rs. 950 in the construction of a tea factory at Dharmsala, to be paid from the Ferry Funds of the District.	Progs. for the week ending 27th March 1858— Nos. 50—3.
	No. 526-A., dated 24th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, points out that as the proposed cost of the factory is to be defrayed from the Local Funds the matter should have been referred to the Judicial Commissioner, and therefore the original enclosures of the preceding will be forwarded to him; but observes that the Chief Commissioner thinks the construction of a factory premature, and does not perceive any valid necessity for its being constructed at present.	
	No. 526, dated 24th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding with the estimate and plan, for his information.	
2184	No. 38, dated 10th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Certain claims to compensation for loss of property during the the mutiny.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum submitting certain claims to compensation for property destroyed or stolen during the mutiny of the 14th N. I. with an expression of his own views on the subject.	Nos. 58-9.
	No. 527-B., dated 24th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that as the officers whose claims to compensation for losses sustained during the mutiny at Jhelum are mentioned in the preceding, were all in Military employ at the time, they should forward their applications to their Commanding Officers or to the Head of their Department, as laid down in paragraph 5 of the Governor-General's proceedings in the Financial Department, No. 4812-A. of 13th November 1857.	
2185	No. 79, dated 12th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a Superintendent of Abkari and Bazar Officer.	In continuation of letters Nos. 73 and 74 of the preceding day (11th March 1858) submits, for the consideration and orders of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from the Magistrate of Delhi, together with one to his address from Brigadier Longfield, relative to the appointment of Captain E. L. Dennyss as Superintendent of Abkari and Bazar Officer, and recommends that in consideration of the Sadar Bazar being within the city of Delhi, the appointments of Bazar Officer and Superintendent of Abkari be united in one officer.	Nos. 64-5.
	No. 170—531, dated 25th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, and states that the Chief Commissioner approves of the proposed arrangement and recommends it for sanction.	

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2186	No 1082, dated 10th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cantonment considered preferable to Civil Lines as a site for Commissioner's kutcherry at Ambala.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 684, dated the 20th September 1856, on the subject of a kutcherry for the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States at Ambala, states that in the opinion of the President in Council, the advantages of having the kutcherry within the cantonments preponderate over those advanced by Chief Commissioner for placing it in the Civil Lines.	Progs. for the week ending 27th March 1858— Nos. 66—8.
	No. 86, dated 16th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Purchase of a house proposed.	Requests sanction to his charging Rs. 50 per month in his contingent bill on account of rent of a house for his kutcherry from October 1857, and annexes a memo. prepared by his Head Clerk pointing out the economy of purchasing a suitable house. There are two or three suitable houses in the market and a good house could be secured for Rs. 5,000.	
	No. 531-A., dated 25th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	With reference to previous correspondence and to letter No. 86, dated the 16th March 1858, forwards a copy of the preceding letter from Government and requests him to select a house in cantonments, but not a bungalow. In the meantime, he is authorized to charge rent at Rs. 50 per month.	
2187	No. 519, dated 19th March 1858 ... From—The Deputy Secretary of the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Relief proposed for widows whose husbands were killed in the mutiny.	Submits for disposal a copy of a letter from the Judge of Delhi, regarding claims for succour preferred by the widows of Mr. Todd, late of the Telegraph Department, and Chimman Lal, late Sub-Assistant Surgeon of Delhi, and annexes a copy of another addressed to the Government of India, proposing to make in certain cases special eleemosynary grants to widows who lost their husbands in the late disturbances, in addition to any pensions they may be entitled to.	Nos. 73-A-73-B.
	No. 534-A., dated 26th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—C. Lebas, Esq.	Ditto	Informs Mr. Lebas that his letter of the 23rd February, to the address of Government, North-Western Provinces, regarding the widows of Mr. Todd and Chimman Lal, Sub-Assistant Surgeon, having been sent to Chief Commissioner for disposal forwards a copy of a letter issued by order of the Governor-General and requests that he will adjudicate these two cases in accordance with the instructions contained therein.	
2188	No. 36, dated 8th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Antimony mine in the Shijree mountain.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 398, dated the 1st March 1858, draws attention to his letter No. 185, dated the 15th December 1856, with enclosure from Major Hay, in which additional information was supplied regarding the antimony mine in the Shijree mountain and intimates that there is no prospect of the Shijree antimony being sold at a remunerative price.	Nos. 74-5.
	No. 174—535, dated 26th March 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above with reference to letter No. 689, dated the 10th February 1858.	

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2189	No. 581, dated 16th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conveyance of families of European troops to England.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Lieutenant MacDonald, intimating that all cases of distress coming under his notice have received assistance from the Sind Fund, and requesting that the Freight Agent at Multan may be ordered to furnish him with a nominal return of parties receiving a free passage and requiring their table money paid them.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd April 1858— Nos. 7-8.
	No. 542, dated 29th March 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests him to have Lieutenant MacDonald supplied with a nominal return in the form prescribed in the preceding.	
2190	No. 136, dated 24th March 1858 ... From—The Officer Commanding Artillery Division, Meerut. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Relief for the widows and orphans of soldiers killed in action.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letters Nos. 1457 and 31, dated the 19th December 1857 and 7th January 1858, respectively, reports having granted relief to the widows and orphans of soldiers killed in action to the extent of Rs. 1,307-11-0, being Rs. 307-11-0 in excess of the sum received from the Calcutta Special Fund, and requests a remittance for this amount and more money to meet future demands.	Nos. 9-10.
	No. 543, dated 29th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Relief Fund Committee, Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and points out that the sums distributed exceed the amount received from the Calcutta Committee by Rs. 307-11-0 and that Colonel Kinslide should be reimbursed in this amount and, if possible, supplied with funds to meet any future demands which may arise.	
2191	No. 93, dated 19th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Losses sustained by Sir Theo Metcalfe and other European residents of Delhi. Proposed recovery of compensation from rebel villages.	Submits, for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commisioner and of Government a copy of letter from Sir Theo Metcalfe, Bart., Joint Magistrate of Delhi, bringing to notice the very severe losses which have been entailed upon himself and family (estimated at £12,000 sterling) by the destruction of his house and the valuable property contained in it and suggesting that the amount of loss in property sustained by the European community of Delhi in general should be imposed upon the rebellious villages of the district.	Nos. 11-12.
	No. 26—544, dated 29th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India with Governor-General.	Ditto Proposed fund for awarding compensation.	Forwards copy of the foregoing and suggests that a fund might be formed to reimburse European and Christian sufferers by the Delhi disturbances from certain sources.	

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2192	No. 1040, dated 9th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Adjustment of General Van Cortlandt's salary.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter dated the 26th October 1857, and communicates confirmation of order of Chief Commissioner directing General Van Cortlandt's salary to be charged against the Bhuttiana Field Force (which should be dealt with as a civil charge of the North-Western Provinces) from the date of his transfer to the North-Western Provinces and the treatment of the analogous cases of Lieutenants Lewin and Pearse in a similar manner. Also conveys sanction to a deputation allowance of Rs. 500 per month being granted to General Van Cortlandt while performing the duties of a Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd April 1858— Nos. 24-5.
	No. 550, dated 30th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above in continuation of letter No. 1324, dated the 11th September 1857.	
2193	No. 88, dated 18th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Loan taken from Maharaja of Nabha in 1848-49.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 119, dated the 26th January 1854, suggests that the interest on the loan taken from the Maharaja of Nabha in 1848-49, may be paid off at the rate of 5 per cent. instead of 4 and recommends that such loans should not be covered by promissory notes but should be considered special debts and the accounts left, as at present, with the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Nos. 38-9.
	No. 558, dated 30th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Special treatment of such loans proposed.	Submits a copy of the preceding and states that the Chief Commissioner concurs in the recommendations of the Commissioner and solicits sanction of Government accordingly.	
2194	No 48, dated 22nd March 1858 ... From—C. T. Lebas, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Applications for relief.	With reference to Government notification No. 936, dated the 29th December 1857, forwards a list of ten applicants whom he considers entitled to succour under the above order, as well as certificates showing the amount which he would award to each person.	Nos. 40—45.
	No. 559, dated 30th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—C. T. Lebas, Esq.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Lebas that the certificates have been countersigned for the amounts allowed by the Chief Commissioner and forwarded to the Civil Auditor, and appends a memo. of the cases where the amount passed differs from that recommended.	
	No. 560, dated 30th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the list of awards.	

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2195	No. *Nil*, dated 16th March 1858 ... From—Ven'ble Archdeacon Pratt. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application of Revd. J. Cave Brown for compensation for losses sustained by him during the mutiny at Sialkot.	Forwards, for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner, an application from the Revd. J. Cave Brown for compensation for losses sustained by him during the mutiny at Sialkot.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd April 1858— Nos. 46—9.
	No. 561, dated 30th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Revd. J. Cave Brown.	Ditto	With reference to his claim mentioned in the preceding, informs the applicant that the Chief Commissioner is pleased to authorize the payment of the amount claimed, *viz.*, Rs. 450.	
	No. 562, dated 30th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
2196	No. 44, dated 19th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application by Mr. Horst, Assistant G. T. S., for compensation for property plundered by the insurgents at Murree.	Submits copies of correspondence relative to an application by Mr. Horst, Assistant G. T. S., for compensation for property plundered from him on the night of the 1st September 1857 by the insurgents at Murree.	Nos. 58—60.
	No. 567, dated 31st March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto Money to be recovered from rebel villages	In reply conveys the Chief Commissioner's authority for payment of Rs. 500 to Mr. Horst from the Government Treasury as compensation, and directs that this money may be realized from the villages which joined in the attack on that station and that, when realized, it should be credited to Government in liquidation of the above mentioned disbursement.	
2197	No. 91, dated 22nd March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tree cutting on private estates in Simla.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 502, dated the 30th March 1858, forwards a copy of a resolution passed by a general meeting of house proprietors held at Simla on the 8th January 1858, placing the right of felling or trimming trees on private estates in the hands of the Deputy Commissioner. Reviews the proceedings of the meeting and proposes that, before assenting to the new rule, selections from the correspondence should be published in the *Simla Advertiser*, and that another meeting should be held at a more favourable season of the year, to confirm the recent proceedings.	Nos. 75—7.
	No. 203—576, dated 3rd April 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Proposed amendment of clause 7, Rule 21, Act 26 of 1850.	Submits copies of the preceding and of its enclosures, and states that the Commissioner's proposal has been sanctioned, but he has been directed in the meantime to have the new rule, as passed at the meeting, acted upon. Solicits sanction of Government to clause 7 of rule 21, Act 26 of 1850, being rescinded and the new rule now passed substituted, to form an additional rule 23, pending result of the meeting which will be assembled hereafter.	

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2197—*concld.*	No. 577, dated 3rd April 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Tree cutting on private estates in Simla.	In reply to Commissioner's letter No. 91, dated the 22nd March 1858, states that, under the circumstances explained, the Chief Commissioner sanctions the proposal made therein, but, in the meantime, the new rule, passed at the late meeting, should be acted upon, and a report to that effect has been made to Government.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd April 1858— Nos. 75—7.
2198	No. 311, dated 26th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Extension and improvement of Vaccine establishments in the Hills.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letters Nos. 817 and 1 of the 8th December 1857 and 4th January 1858, respectively, states that a scheme for the extension and improvement of Vaccine establishments in the Hills has long been under consideration and that orders for the organization of the requisite establishment will be shortly issued, the sanction of the Hon'ble Court of Directors having just been received. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 80.
2199	No. 692, dated 19th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Launch at Karachi of new river steamer "Sir H. Lawrence."	Forwards, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of letter to the Government of Bombay, intimating successful launch at Karachi of the new river steamer "Sir H. Lawrence" and her intended departure for Kotri with No. 1 flat in tow. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 83.
2200	No. 186, dated 20th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Crown jewels of the *ex*-King of Delhi.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 6-382, dated the 27th February 1858, intimates that the crown jewels of the *ex*-King of Delhi are to be considered as a prize, and as such should be made over to the prize agents to await Her Majesty's decision on the subject of prizes.	Progs. for the week ending 10th April 1858— Nos. 7-8.
	No. 581, dated 5th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for information.	
2201	No. 376, dated 24th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a Medical College at Lahore.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 847, dated the 22nd December 1857, regarding the establishment of a Medical College at Lahore, forwards a copy of a letter from the Director-General of the Medical Department and requests a reconsideration of the proposed scheme, with special reference to the objections advanced by that officer.	Nos. 17—19.
	No. 588, dated 5th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr. C. Smith, Civil Surgeon, Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests his opinion upon those portions of the report which relate to the proposals submitted from the Chief Commissioner's office. Also requests him to consider if any revision in the proposed scale of establishment is feasible.	

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2202	No. 1043, dated 9th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rules defining functions of Assistant Commissioners and Extra Assistants.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Resident at Hyderabad and requests that if any rules have been issued in the Punjab defining the functions of Assistant Commissioners and Extra Assistants, a copy of them may be furnished.	Progs. for the week ending 10th April 1858— Nos 46—8.
	No. 208—599, dated 7th April 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, states that many rules have been issued at different times, but as they are scattered over many portions of the records, a *resume* embodying the various points which have been settled in respect to the functions of Assistant and Extra Assistant Commissioners, is submitted.	
2203	No. 102, dated 29th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Libraries for district offices	Forwards a copy of letter from the Collector and Magistrate of Gurgaon, applying for a library for his office, similar to those allowed for Deputy Commissioners' offices in the Punjab, and with reference thereto, requests instructions on the subject with a view to a sufficient number of copies of each book available being supplied to his office to enable him to issue one to each of the five districts in the Delhi Division and retain one for the use of his own office.	Nos. 64-5.
	No. 607, dated 8th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	In reply states that the books in question cannot be supplied from Lahore as there are none available but the Chief Commissioner authorises him to purchase such of them as may be really useful, from Agra or elsewhere.	
2204	No. 664-A., dated 24th March 1858 From—The Deputy Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Captain C. W. Nightingale, Executive Engineer, for compensation for losses sustained by his wife at Delhi.	Transfers, for disposal by Chief Commissioner, a letter from Captain C. W. Nightingale, Executive Engineer, Jullundur, submitting a claim for compensation for losses sustained by his wife at Delhi on the 11th May 1857.	Nos. 71-2.
	No. 611, dated 9th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain C. W. Nightingale, Jullundur.	Ditto	Explains to Captain Nightingale that, in the Chief Commissioner's opinion, there is no rule under which the claim can be admitted.	
2205	No. *Nil*, dated 30th March 1858 ... From—Monsieur Dubignon. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims for compensation preferred by Mrs. Ventura, Mr. Joseph, and Monsieur Dubignon. Defamatory remarks about Mrs. Ventura.	Submits a copy of letter from the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States to the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiana, regarding claims for compensation preferred by Mrs Ventura, Mr. Joseph and himself, and solicits redress in regard to certain remarks therein made prejudicial to the character of the above mentioned lady.	Nos. 75-6.
	No. 613, dated 9th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and states that unless he can prove Mrs. Ventura's character to be such as described by him, it will be necessary for him to withdraw the objectionable expressions and make an *amende*.	

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2206	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd February 1858 From—The Honorary Secretary to the London Relief Fund. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cases relieved by the London Committee.	In continuation of my letter of the 14th January 1858, forwards, for information, a further tabular statement of cases which have been relieved by the London Committee	Progs. for the week ending 10th April 1858— Nos. 78-9.
	No. 615, dated 9th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Punjab Relief Fund.	Ditto Monthly statements prescribed.	Forwards, for his information, the statement received with the preceding and requests that a similar statement of the proceedings of the Lahore Committee may be furnished monthly, for submission to the supreme Government and the London Committee.	
2207	No. 56, dated 2nd April 1858 ... From—C. T. Lebas, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	List of persons entitled to relief.	Submits a second batch of certificates and a second list of names (11 to 26 inclusive) of persons whom he considers entitled to succour under the Government notification.	Nos 98—107.
	No. 624, dated 10th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—C. T. Lebas, Esq.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Lebas that the certificates granting succour to parties whose claims have been admitted by the Chief Commissioner have been forwarded, after countersignature, to the Civil Auditor. Encloses a statement showing cases wherein the amounts proposed have not been sanctioned in whole or in part.	
	No. 624-A., dated 10th April 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the compensation certificates countersigned to the extent sanctioned by Chief Commissioner.	
2208	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd March 1858 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	A vernacular translation of the *Punjab Gazette* for the agricultural population.	Submits Circular No. 33, on the subject of issuing a vernacular translation of the *Punjab Gazette* in so cheap a form as to bring it within the reach of the agricultural population. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 120.
2209	No. 145, dated 23rd March 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Publication of a monthly vernacular Gazette.	Submits, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a Circular No. 34, dated the 23rd March 1858, regarding publication of a monthly vernacular Gazette, with an extract from a letter from the Director of Public Instruction. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 121-22.
2210	No. *Nil*, dated 12th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Payment of percentage on confiscated property recovered.	Submits, for information and guidance, a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, relative to the payment of 5 per cent. remuneration to parties unconnected with the Civil Administration of the country who may be instrumental in the recovery of confiscated property. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 123-29.

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2211	No 170, dated 1st April 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed establishment of a Tahsil School at Ooch in the Jhang District.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, with enclosures, and solicits sanction to the establishment of a Tahsil School at Ooch, in the Jhang District, at a cost of Rs. 35 per mensem.	Progs. for the week ending 17th April 1858— Nos. 1—5.
	No. 629, dated 12th April 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto ...	In reply, conveys sanction.	
	No. 630, dated 12th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto ...	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2212	No. 108, dated 1st April 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reward for Muhammad Ibrahim for good services rendered by him during the mutiny.	Submits, for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of letter from Sir T. Metcalfe, Bart., recommending the grant of a reward of Rs. 200 to Muhammad Ibrahim for good services rendered by him during the late campaign. Commissioner gives particulars and supports Sir T. Metcalfe's recommendation.	Nos. 9—11.
	No. 633, dated 12th April 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto ...	In reply to the Chief Commissioner, conveys sanction to the proposed reward.	
	No. 634, dated 12th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto ...	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2213	No. 53, dated 31st March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim preferred by Mr. Joseph, an American merchant, for the loss of a house burnt by the Jullundur mutineers.	Submits, for consideration, a copy of letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jullundur, with original enclosures, regarding a claim for compensation amounting to Rs. 2,000 preferred by Mr. Joseph, an American merchant, for the loss of a house burnt by the Jullundur mutineers.	Nos. 12—14.
	No. 635, dated 12th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner considers himself precluded under the Government rules regarding "succour" and not compensation from admitting or recommending Mr. Joseph's claim.	
2214	No. 57, dated 3rd April 1858 ... From—The C. Le Bas, Esq. ... To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation claimed for losses sustained by proprietors of the *Delhi Gazette* Press.	Submits copy of a letter from Mr. Longden, special officer for registering claims for succour at Agra, enclosing an estimate for losses sustained by the proprietors of the *Delhi Gazette* Press, and states that, in his opinion, the Government Notification No. 936 of December 29th, 1857, is not applicable to a proprietary body. Adds that Mr. Place's own losses form a separate case, and he proposes to admit that claim, whatever may be the decision of Government regarding the claim of the proprietary body.	Nos. 21-2.

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2214 *concld.*	No. 639, dated 12th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—C. LeBas, Esq.	Compensation claimed for losses sustained by proprietors of the *Delhi Gazette* Press.	In reply, intimates that the Chief Commissioner does not desire to decide whether the proprietors, as a body, are entitled to receive any sum from Government, unless the case is specifically laid before him with all the papers relating to it, but, in a general point of view, the Chief Commissioner concurs in thinking that the rules regarding succour would not, except in very peculiar cases, apply to proprietary bodies. Adds that Mr. Place's individual claims can, of course, be entertained separately.	Progs. for the week ending 17th April 858— Nos. 21-2.
2215	No. 55, dated 1st April 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application of Captain Nightingale for compensation for the house built by him at alhousie. Abandonment of Dalhousie.	Submits, for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner and of Government, a copy of a letter from Captain Nightingale, soliciting compensation for the house built by him at Dalhousie at a cost of Rs. 6,800 and now rendered unsaleable by that station having been abandoned.	Nos. 23—5.
	No. 640, dated 12th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, refers Commissioner to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 441, dated the 10th March, in which Captain Nightingale's claim was definitely rejected, and states that the Chief Commissioner is still of opinion, under the circumstances already once considered, that Captain Nightingale has no valid claim for compensation in this case. Observes that it is not apparent how the present reference pertains to the affairs of the Trans-Sutlej States.	
2216	No. 1323, dated 26th March 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disposal of goods belonging to certain merchants received back from the Paris Exhibition.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letters Nos. 24 and 97, dated the 15th January and 16th February 1858, respectively, intimates that the goods belonging to the Ludhiana merchants and Chamba Mall have been made over to Messrs. McKenzie, Lyall and Co. for sale, and states that the goods of the Multan merchants will be despatched to the Chief Commissioner's address by Bullock Train as soon as practicable	Nos. 50—52.
	No. 135, dated 16th March 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 52, dated the 1st February 1858, submits copies of correspondence regarding disposal of goods sent by Ludhiana contributors to the Paris Exhibition.	
	No. 656, dated 13th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding Government letter with reference to his letters Nos. 52 and 135. dated 1st February and 16th March 1858.	

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2217	No. *Nil*, dated 9th April 1858 ... From—Lieutenant Raverty, 3rd B. N. I., Multan. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	With reference to his letters, dated the 13th January and 13th March 1858, respectively, solicits leave of absence for four months to proceed to Karachi (and Bombay if necessary) in the event of there being any probability of longer delay in the disposal of his case by the Governor-General in Council.	Progs. for the week ending 17th April 1858— Nos 75-6.
	No. 35-672, dated 15th April 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India with Governor-General.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above and states that, as the original proposal was that Lieutenant Raverty be remanded to his Regiment, the Chief Commissioner would now recommend that his application be granted.	
2218	No. 180, dated 8th April 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Statement showing number of scholars attending Government Tahsil Schools.	With reference to letter No. 440, dated the 7th October 1857, submits a statement showing the average daily attendance of scholars at all Government Tahsil Schools in the Punjab for the quarter ending 31st October 1857, with a copy of Mr. Arnold's letter. Adds that the number of scholars may be considered very satisfactory.	Nos. 80—83.
	No. 675, dated 15th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner considers the undiminished attendance of scholars during the critical and anxious period for which the statement is submitted as highly satisfactory and indicative of the steady disposition of the public mind. Adds that it is hoped the Director will be able to submit expeditiously the returns for subsequent quarters.	
2219	No. *Nil*, dated 10th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary, Punjab Special Relief Fund. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Statement of cases relieved by the Relief Fund.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 615, dated the 9th April 1858, submits, for information and transmission to the supreme Government and to the London Committee, a tabular statement of cases relieved by the Fund from the date of its formation up to the 31st March 1858.	Nos. 84-5
	No. 676, dated 15th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Honorary Secretary to Relief Fund, London.	Ditto	In reference to his letter No. 347, dated the 17th December 1857, and subsequent communications, forwards the tabular statement received with the preceding, and states that a similar return will be submitted regularly on the 1st of each succeeding month.	
2220	No. 101, dated 6th April 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation paid to Mr. Philips, head clerk, for loss of property during the mutiny.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore, forwarding a claim from Mr. Philips, head clerk of his office, for loss of property during the mutiny of the 10th Cavalry. States that he has awarded Mr. Philips Rs. 500 as compensation and requests sanction to its payment.	Nos. 96—8.
	No. 682, dated 16th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the above.	

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2221	No. 767, dated 30th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conveyance of mails between India and England.	Forwards copies of two despatches addressed to the Hon'ble Court of Directors, stating the inconvenience likely to be occasioned to the public throughout Bombay, Sind, the Punjab, the North-Western Provinces and Central India by the alteration sanctioned by H. M.'s Government in the mode of conveying the mails between England and India, unless followed out by further measures, and recommending the establishment of a weekly packet communication between Aden and Bombay.	Progs. for the week ending 17th April 1858— Nos. 99-100.
	No. 683, dated 16th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of Bombay.	Ditto Weekly service between Bombay and Aden proposed.	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner cordially concurs in the object of the communications made to the Board of Directors and tenders his acknowledgments for the copies forwarded. Observes that while the residents of the Lower Provinces may send and write letters every week by Calcutta, those in North-West India cannot write more than once a fortnight by the direct route of Bombay.	
2222	No. 49, dated 3rd April 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prevention of sale of spirituous liquors to European soldiers at Murree.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 316, dated the 15th February 1858, forwards a copy of a letter from Assistant Commissioner at Murree detailing arrangements made to prevent sale of spirituous liquors to European soldiers at the Sanitarium. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 146-47.
2223	No. 92, dated 8th April 1858 ... From—Lieutenant Murray, Deputy Superintendent, Electric Telegraph, Punjab and North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Construction of telegraph line from Lahore to Multan, etc.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 519, dated the 23rd March 1858, states that the supplies of wire necessary for the construction of the Sutlej and Chenab cables and for the line from Lahore to Multan, as also for the line from Multan to Kasur, are now on their way up from Karachi and intimates that the line of posts from Gugera to Mithankot will be erected within the next six months. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 156.
2224	No. *Nil*, dated 14th April 1858 ... From—The Civil Surgeon, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Establishment of a Medical College at Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 588, dated the 5th April 1858, submits his opinions on the objections advanced by the Director-General, Medical Department, to the establishment of a Medical College at Lahore.	Progs. for the week ending 24th April 1858— Nos. 18-19.
	No. 40—710, dated 19th April 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India with the Governor-General.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 376, dated the 24th March 1858, forwards a copy of the preceding, with the Chief Commissioner's observation and an expression of his concurrence generally in the views expressed by Dr. Smith.	

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2225	Circular No. 11- 712, dated 19th April 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Standard plan for defensible Treasury buildings.	Circulates a sketch and memo. prepared in reference to the Ludhiana Treasury and states that it appears to the Chief Commissioner that further precautions should be taken to prevent the defensible treasuries constructed after the Punjab standard plan from being commanded from the top of the kutchery building. Adds that the plan will be generally, though not universally, applicable and, in some cases, something must be left to the discretion of the District Officer. Communicates further instructions.	Progs. for the week ending 24th April 1858— Nos. 22-3.
2226	No. 66, dated 12th April 1858 ... From—The Special Officer at Delhi To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Persons entitled to relief. Case of Ram Saran Das' widow.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 624, dated the 10th April 1858, states that he does not see why a separate report should be necessary in the case of Ram Saran Das' widow.	Nos. 34-5.
	No. 718, dated 20th April 1858 . From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Special Officer at Delhi.	Ditto	In reply, explains why a special report for submission to Government is necessary.	
2227	No. 79, dated 10th February 1858... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Elimination of all unchristian principles from the Government of British India.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Peshawar Division, wit original enclosures, regarding the elimination of all unchristian principles from the Government of British India.	Nos. 46—52.
	No. 99, dated 26th February 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to Colonel Edwardes' memorandum on the subject of eliminating everything immoral or unchristian in principle from the legislation and practice of the Government of British India, the Financial Commissioner communicates at length his own views on the subject.	
	No. 41—720, dated 20th April 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, with the Governor-General.	Ditto	Submits copies of the memorandum by Colonel Edwardes and of Mr. McLeod's letter, and communicates Chief Commissioner's remarks on the subject.	
	Nos. 721-2, dated 20th April 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab, and Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Dto	Forwards copies of the above.	
2228	No. 199, dated 16th April 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Average daily attendance at Government tahsili schools.	In continuation of letter No. 180, dated the 8th April 1858, forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, with a statement shewing the average daily attendance of scholars at the several Government tahsili schools throughout the Punjab during the quarter ending 31st January 1858, and exhibiting a satisfactory increase as compared with the previous quarter.	Nos. 53—5.
	No. 723, dated 21st April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that, considering that the number of scholars remained satisfactorily steady during the eventful period of the preceding quarter, the Chief Commissioner derives further satisfaction from the increase shown in the succeeding quarter.	

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2229	No. 1727, dated 26th March 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Formation of General Department of Account.	Forwards a further resolution relative to the formation of a General Department of Account, including the offices of audit, pay and account in the several Presidencies as well as in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 24th April 1858— Nos. 57—9.
	No. 1734, dated 26th March 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards an extract from a resolution of the President in Council, in the Financial Department, containing further instructions in regard to certain points connected with the General Department of Accounts.	
	No. 724, dated 21st April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department	Ditto Chief Commissioner's objection to the scheme.	Acknowledges the receipt of the preceding Government letters, and communicates the Chief Commissioner's objections to the extension to the Punjab of the scheme for the organization of a General Department of Account and Audit.	
2230	No. 121, dated 8th April 1858 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed confiscation and sale of house property owned by the Muhammadan inhabitants of Delhi.	Submits, with his recommendation and remarks, copy of a letter from the Magistrate of Delhi, requesting instructions relative to house property of Muhammadan inhabitants of Delhi and proposing the confiscation and sale thereof for the purpose of repaying sufferers by the mutiny in Delhi.	Nos. 64—8.
	No. 122, dated 8th April 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Proposed fine on agricultural population to provide compensation for Europeans.	In continuation of the preceding, submits copy of a further communication from the Magistrate of Delhi, proposing the partial compensation of the European sufferers of Delhi for losses sustained by them during the late insurrection by levying a heavy fine by way of cess upon the agricultural population of the district who, for the most part, participated in the plunder of their effects and in committing atrocities.	
	No. 42—727, dated 21st April 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India with Governor-General.	Ditto	With reference to letter No. 26, dated the 29th March 1858, submitting proposals for compensating Europeans and other sufferers, forwards copies of the two preceding letters with the Chief Commissioner's observations and recommendations on the propositions made therein.	
	No. 728, dated 21st April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 121, dated the 8th April 1858, informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner is not prepared to advocate the measures proposed by Mr. Egerton in respect to the people of the city, but the whole matter has been submitted in detail, together with the Chief Commissioner's observations and suggestions, to the Governor-General. On receipt of a reply, the requisite instructions will be issued, but, in the meantime, no steps beyond those already authorized are to be taken. With reference to Commissioner's letter No. 122, states that the principle of imposing penal fines on offending villages may now be carried out under Act X of 1858, but in respect to the execution of the law the Chief Commissioner is not prepared to concur in many of the views expressed by the Magistrate and, therefore, conveys certain instructions.	

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2231— *concld.*	No. 729, dated 21st April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Proposed confiscation and sale of house property owned by the Muhammadan inhabitants of Delhi. Villages to be fined under Act X of 1858.	Draws attention to Act X of 1858 in regard to the fining of offending villages, and forwards, for his information and guidance, extract (paragraphs 3 to 7 inclusive) from the preceding letter to the Commissioner of the Delhi Division. Adds that after he has decided with the Deputy Commissioner what fines should be imposed for any one district, he should submit a schedule specifying *name of village, rerenue, fine, remarks,*—and when the Chief Commissioner has passed orders on it, Commissioner can proceed to levy the fines for the other districts of his Division. Adds that villages from which value of plundered property has been already recovered will be exempted from further fine.	Progs. for the week ending 24th April 1858— Nos. 64—8.
2232.	No. 130, dated 12th April 1858 ... From—The Officiating Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rewards for mutiny services.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, to Government, North-Western Provinces, relative to rewarding certain parties therein named, and brings to the notice of Chief Commissioner the loyal and meritorious conduct of Kamdar Khan, the Kotwal of Sarsohi, with a view to a substantial recognition of his loyalty and services during the past eventful year being conferred on him.	Nos. 76—8.
	No. 45—734, dated 22nd April 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India with Governor-General.	Ditto Life pension proposed for Kamdar Khan, Kotwal of Sarsohi.	Submits copies of preceding and its enclosures and recommends that a life pension of Rs. 1,000 per annum be conferred on Kamdar Khan, to commence from the 1st January 1858, irrespective of emoluments he may derive from any situation he may from time to time hold.	
2232	No. 65, dated 12th April 1858 ... From—The Special Officer, Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	List of persons entitled to succour.	Submits a third batch of certificates and a third list of names of persons whom he considers entitled to succour under the Government notification on the subject.	Nos. 82—7.
	No. 735, dated 23rd April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Special Officer, Delhi.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Special Officer that the certificates have been countersigned and sent to the Civil Auditor, Punjab, and annexes a statement showing cases in which the sums sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner differ from those recommended by him.	
	No. 736, dated 23rd April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards certificates, countersigned for amounts sanctioned by Chief Commissioner.	

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2233	No. 279, dated 5th April 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Sirsa Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rewards proposed by Mr. Oliver for good services during the mutiny.	Submits, in original, a statement of rewards proposed by Mr. Oliver for persons who remained faithful and did good service during the late disturbances.	Progs. for the week ending 24th April 1858— Nos. 93—6.
	No. 740, dated 23rd April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	With reference to the statement received with the preceding, conveys the Chief Commissioner's observations and orders in each case.	
	No. 741, dated 23rd April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Customs, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto Services rendered by Nizam-ud-din, Assistant Patrol.	Forwards an extract from a statement received from the Officiating Superintendent of Bhutteeana, regarding services rendered by Nizam-ud-din, Assistant Patrol. States that the Chief Commissioner considers this man to have behaved well and will be glad to receive the Commissioner's recommendation for promoting Nizam-ud-din immediately, if it can be done.	
2234	No. 13, dated 26th March 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Formation of a General Department of Account.	Forwards three printed copies of an extract from the resolution passed by the Governor-General in Council, No. 5126, dated the 4th December 1857, relative to formation of a General Department of Account, including offices of Account, Audit and Pay in the several Presidencies as well as in the Punjab.	Nos. 107-108.
2235	No. 111, dated 15th April 1858 ... From—The Deputy Superintendent of Telegraphs, Punjab and North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Storage of material for the permanent line of Telegraph from Dera Ghazi Khan to Kusmore.	Requests that the Assistant Commissioner at Mithankot and the Deputy Commissioner or Executive officer at Dera Ghazi Khan be directed to take charge of and to store the iron posts, etc., which will be required for the construction of the permanent line of Telegraph from Dera Ghazi Khan to Kusmore, as he cannot spare any of his establishment to look after them, and requests to be allowed the use of certain sheds on the river side at Mithankot.	Progs. for the week ending 1st May 1858— Nos. 28—30.
	No. 764, dated 27th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ghazi Khan.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests him, in communication with Lieutenant Murray, to arrange for receiving and storing the posts and other property belonging to the Telegraph Department arriving at Mithankot and Dera Ghazi Khan.	
	No. 765, dated 27th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Murray, Deputy Superintendent, Electric Telegraph.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above with a request that he will communicate direct with the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ghazi Khan.	

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2236	No. 1489, dated 16th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disposal of goods returned from the Paris Exhibition.	In continuation of letter No. 1323, dated the 26th March 1858, forwards a copy of a statement received from Messrs. Mackenzie, Lyall & Co., showing what portion of the goods belonging to merchants in the Punjab returned from the Paris Exhibition, have been sold and those remaining unsold, and requests information as to whether the latter are to be sold to the highest bidders or returned to their owners.	Progs. for the week ending 1st May 1858— Nos. 44—6.
	No. 772, dated 28th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests him to ascertain the wishes of the owners as to the disposal of the articles still remaining unsold.	
2237	No. *Nil*, dated 19th April 1858 ... From—Messrs. Colvin Cowie & Co. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Relief for the families of the 1st Bengal Fusiliers.	With reference to letter No. 482, dated the 16th March 1858, forwards a draft on the Agra Bank for Rs. 400 on behalf of the families of the 1st Bengal Fusiliers and intimates that a further amount will soon be transmitted.	Nos. 52—5.
	No. 777, dated 28th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Colvin Cowie & Co.	Ditto	Acknowledges, with thanks, the receipt of the draft forwarded with the preceding.	
	No. 778, dated 28th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Relief Fund, Lahore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of letter from Messrs. Colvin Cowie & Co., for the information of the Committee.	
	No. 779, dated 28th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding Depôt 1st E. B. F.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 484, dated the 16th March 1858, forwards a draft for Company's Rs. 400, being a further remittance by the Calcutta Special Relief Fund on behalf of the widows and orphans of soldiers who lost their lives in the mutinies.	
2238	No. 637, dated 15th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Lord Frederick Hay, C. S., for compensation for loss of property during the late disturbances.	Forwards, in original, for any remarks the Chief Commissioner may wish to offer, a letter from Lord F. Hay, C. S., claiming compensation for loss of property during the late disturbances.	Nos. 69-70.
	No. 787, dated 30th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner would recommend payment of Rs. 1,450 to Lord F. Hay.	
2239	No. 69, dated 19th April 1858 ... From—C. LeBas, Esq To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	List of persons entitled to succour.	Submits a fourth batch of certificates and a list of persons whom he considers entitled to succour under the Government notification on the subject.	Nos. 85—8.
	No. 799, dated 30th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards countersigned certificates for adjustments.	

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2240	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd April 1858 ... From—Mathra Dass and Salig Ram, Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation for demolition of Hindu Rao's house near Delhi.	Intimate rejection by Mr. LeBas of their claim for compensation for demolition of the building near Delhi known as Hindu Rao's house, and for the loss of trees and grass growing on the grounds attached thereto. Beg that their case may be taken into favourable consideration.	Progs. for the week ending 1st May 1858— Nos. 98-9.
	No 804, dated 1st May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards the petition in original for report.	
2241	No. 391, dated 1st April 1858 ... From—The Secretary, Uncovenanted Family Pension Fund. o—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Twentieth Annual Report of Uncovenanted Family Pension fund	Advises despatch of the twentieth Annual Report of the above institution. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 109.
2242	No. 1546, dated 23rd April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disposal of goods of Multan Merchants, received back from Paris Exhibition. Means of transit	Intimates that in consequence of there being no Bullock Train available, the box containing the goods of the Multan Merchants referred to in letter No. 1523, dated the 26th March 1858, has been made over to the Superintendent of Marine to be forwarded by steamer to Allahabad, from which place the Steam Agent will be instructed to send it on to the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 8th May 1858— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 812, dated 3rd May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above, for information.	
2243	No. *Nil*, dated 16th April 1858 ... From—Revd. F. Lewis, Agra. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation for loss of property belonging to the Agra Catholic Mission.	Submits a claim for compensation amounting to Rs. 1,596 for loss of property belonging to the Agra Catholic Mission destroyed by mutineers at Delhi.	Nos. 8—10.
	No. 817, dated 3rd May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Revd. F. Lewis, Agra.	Ditto Such claims inadmissible.	In reply, informs him that there being no rules by which compensation of this nature can be granted, the Chief Commissioner regrets he cannot entertain the present claim.	
2244	No. 75, dated 1st May 1858 ... From—The Special Officer, Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Mr. Place to relief.	Forwards a certificate on account of Mr. Place whom he considers entitled to succour under the Government notification on the subject.	Nos. 23—5.
	No. 830, dated 3rd May 1858 ... From The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—C. B. Saunders, Esq.	Ditto Losses of the *Delhi Gazette* Press.	Informs Mr. Saunders that the Chief Commissioner has authorized the Civil Auditor, Lahore, to pass Mr. Place's claim for Rs 2,000 "succour money" to which he is entitled under the rules on account of his share in the heavy losses of the *Delhi Gazette* Press. Adds that the papers in this case can be obtained from Mr. LeBas, and as the claim is known to be correct, arrangements must be made for immediate payment.	

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2244—*concld.*	No. 831, dated 3rd May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Claim of Mr. Place to relief.	Forwards a copy of the preceding with the certificate, which, after audit, will be sent to Mr. Place at Agra.	Progs. for the week ending 8th May 1858— Nos. 23—5.
2245	No. 206, dated 20th April 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Personal Assistant required for the Financial Commissioner.	In continuation of letter No. 205, dated the 2nd April 1858, submitting a return of unanswered references, the Financial Commissioner states that unless he is allowed a Personal Assistant, he apprehends becoming very seriously embarrassed with arrears.	Nos. 26-7.
	No. 54—832, dated 3rd May 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, with Governor-General.	Ditto Personal Assistants for Financial and Judicial Commissioners and an Assistant Secretary for the Chief Commissioner.	Forwards a copy of the above and submits for favourable consideration, propositions for the appointments of Personal Assistants to the Judicial and Financial Commissioners, and, if required, an Assistant to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner in the Civil and Political Department, to be paid out of the savings effected in the revised establishment of the Delhi Territory.	
2246	No. 617, dated 13th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, with Governor-General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Arrangements proposed for the future administration of the Delhi Territory.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 15-A., dated the 15th March 1858, conveys the Governor-General's approval and sanction to the several arrangements proposed for the future administration of the Delhi Territory. Communicates remarks on the disparity of salaries of Civil officers in the Punjab and the North-Western Provinces, and states that until the reports of the Commissioners for revision of civil salaries are laid before Government, nothing can be done. Adds that the Governor-General awaits the separate report promised respecting the Native Judicial Officers, but authorizes Chief Commissioner to retain those who may be qualified for the duties of Extra Assistants.	Nos. 28—32.
	Nos. 833-4, dated 3rd May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Delhi and Hissar Divisions.	Ditto	Forwards for their information and guidance, extracts from Chief Commissioner's letter to Government and from the preceding, from which it will be seen that the Districts in their Divisions are to be managed according to the Punjab system and that the Departmental authorities at Lahore will exercise jurisdiction therein within their respective spheres. Communicates detailed instructions on the system to be pursued in General, Political, Revenue and Judicial matters, and calls for a report on the prospects of the Revenue, etc.	
	No. 835, dated 3rd May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
	No. 836, dated 3rd May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding with a request that it may be communicated to the Inspector of Prisons.	

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2247	No. 848, dated 4th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Construction of a Hindu temple within the court compound at Gurdaspur.	Informs the Commissioner that, on a recent visit to Gurdaspur, the Chief Commissioner regretted to observe that a Hindu temple had been constructed within the enclosure of the court house by the Native Ministerial officers under direction of Gopal Sahai, Extra Assistant, and with the permission of the then Deputy Commissioner. The Chief Commissioner disapproves of such buildings being erected within public premises and although he will forbear ordering the demolition of the building in question, it must be closed for service, and if any priest is living in it he must quit. Requests that Gopal Sahai be required to explain how this temple came to be built there and that the name of the Deputy Commissioner who permitted it may be ascertained and reported.	Progs. for th week endin 8th Ma 1858— No. 53.
2248	Circular No. 13—849, dated 4th May 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners in the Punjab.	Prohibition against construction of mosques and Hindu temples in the enclosures of court houses or other public buildings.	Requests that it may be made generally known that mosques and Hindu temples are not to be built in enclosures of court houses or other public buildings, or on ground the property of the State, and that if any already exist, they are to be closed.	Nos. 54—6.
	No. 850—1, dated 4th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the above.	
2249	No. 124, dated 9th April 1858 .. From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed reward for villagers who sheltered Sir T. Metcalfe when escaping from Delhi.	Forwards, with his recommendation, copy of correspondence regarding the bestowal of a suitable reward on Hamid, a Muhammadan Zemindar of the village of Malcha, and on the Jat Zamindars of the same place generally, for their meritorious conduct in sheltering Sir T. Metcalfe on his escape from Delhi in May 1857.	Nos. 65-6.
	No. 262—857, dated 5th May 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation that the rewards proposed therein be sanctioned.	
2250	No. 860, dated 5th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—J. C. Wilson, Esq.	Preparation of lists of men of mutinied regiments.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, to the Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, regarding the preparation of lists of men of the mutinied regiments who may be residents of the Punjab, and enquires whether he could furnish any data from which such a list could be prepared.	No. 70.

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2251	No. 49, dated 3rd April 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conveyance of European troops arriving at Karachi.	As the road between Multan and Lahore is now in a most unsatisfactory state from the almost constant passage of wheeled carriages, suggests that it would be advisable to take advantage of the free navigation of the rivers Jhelum and Sutlej to forward European troops arriving from Karachi.	Progs. for the week ending 8th May 1858— Nos. 77—9.
	No. 864, dated 5th May 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commander, Indus Flotilla.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and enquires if his vessels will be available for the purpose mentioned.	
	No. 865, dated 5th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for his information.	
2252	No. *Nil*, dated 27th April 1858 ... From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation claimed by Dr. Waghorn in medical charge of 23rd Punjab Infantry.	Submits for countersignature the compensation bill of Dr. Waghorn, in medical charge, 23rd Punjab Infantry, amounting to Rs. 1,450.	Nos. 98-9.
	No. 880, dated 5th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns the "succour" statement, duly countersigned.	
2253	No. 881, dated 6th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Director of Public Instruction, North-Western Provinces.	Educational affairs in Delhi Territory previous to the outbreak.	Asks for information regarding Educational affairs in Delhi Territory previous to the outbreak at Delhi and a statement of the establishment of all grades as it stood on the 1st May 1857.	Nos. 100-101.
	No. 882, dated 6th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests the Financial Commissioner to communicate with the Director of Public Instruction, Punjab, with a view to arrangements being made for re-establishing the Government system of education in Delhi Territory. Communicates detailed instructions at length, and adverts to the probability of another Inspector being needed for the inspection of schools between the Jumna and the Sutlej.	
2254	No. 107, dated 16th April 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Shahzadas Sultan Sad and Muhammad Shawail, late of 3rd Oudh Irregular Cavalry.	Submits descriptive rolls of Shahzadas Sultan Sad and Muhammad Shawail, late of the 3rd Oudh Irregular Cavalry, declared unworthy of further employment under Government, with copies of letters from the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiana and Commissioner's reply thereto, sentencing these Shahzadas one to furnish security, and the other to seven years' imprisonment with labour in irons.	Nos. 101 A—C
	No. 883, dated 6th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, requests that the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiana may be directed to submit a vernacular counterpart of the descriptive-rolls of the Shahzadas.	

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2255	No. 619, dated 13th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Special salary for General Van Cortlandt.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 17-A., dated the 18th March 1858, sanctions, as a special case, the Chief Commissioner's recommendation that the salary of General Van Cortlandt be fixed at Rs. 2,500 per month as Deputy Commissioner of Hissar and Commandant of Military Police in that District.	Progs. for the week ending 8th May 1858— Nos. 101 D—103.
	No. 884, dated 6th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—General Van Cortlandt	Ditto	Forwards copies of Chief Commissioner's letter to Government and of the preceding reply, for his information.	
	No. 885, dated 6th May 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information.	
2256	No. 1124, dated 26th April 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation claimed by the parents of the late Mr. Benn for loss of property.	Forwards, for disposal, a docket from the Government of India, transferring a letter from the Revd P. V. Benson, Rector of Castle Conolly, Limerick, soliciting compensation on behalf of the parents of the late Mr. Benn of the East Indian Railway for the loss of property belonging to their late son who was killed near Delhi during the disturbances.	Nos. 106—109.
	No. 1123, dated 26th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a docket from the Government of India transferring, for disposal, a letter from the father of the late Mr. W. Benn, late an employee of the East Indian Railway Company, in the Delhi District, regarding compensation for loss of property belonging to his late son.	
	No. 1120, dated 26th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Certificate of death of Mr. William Lane Benn, an employee of East Indian Railway Company.	Forwards, for disposal, a certificate of the death of Mr. William Lane Benn, an employee of the East Indian Railway Company, in the Delhi District, submitted to the Government of India by Messrs. Barber Brothers.	
	No. 887, dated 6th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards original papers and requests him to ascertain the facts of the case and report them as quickly as possible.	
2257	No. 145, dated 26th April 1858 ... From—Captain Briggs. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale of the hill road wagon train.	Submits for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner, correspondence bearing reference to the sale of the hill road wagon train to private individuals and the leasing of the road itself and tools, with his remarks thereon.	Nos. 109½—111.
	No. 888, dated 6th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Briggs.	Ditto Extension of road to Tibet not to be undertaken.	Requests Captain Briggs to ascertain from Mr. Fleming whether the terms proposed will suit him, and, in regard to maintenance of the road, desires him to enquire of Lord Hay whether he can undertake to keep it in order and at what cost. Adds that the Chief Commissioner cannot at present recommend continuance of the road to Tibet.	

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2258	No. 892, dated 6th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant-Colonel Abbott.	Acknowledgment of the services of Lieutenant-Colonel Abbott.	States that as he (Lieutenant-Colone Abbott) is to leave for Oude, to the Chief Commissioner desires his acknowledgments to be conveyed to him for the long and useful services he has performed in the Punjab since 1845, and the Chief Commissioner regrets his departure. He trusts Lieutenant-Colonel Abbott will meet with succes in the wider sphere of duty to which he is called.	Progs. for the week ending 8th May 1858— No. 117.
2259	No. 893, dated 6th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant-Colonel Clarke.	Acknowledgement of services rendered by Lieutenant-Colonel Clarke	Conveys the Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments of the services rendered by Lieutenant Colonel Clarke during the nine years since annexation and congratulates him on the promotion he has so deservedly obtained in Oudh.	No. 118.
2260	No. 894, dated 6th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—Major Marsden.	Acknowledgment of the valuable services of Major Marsden.	Conveys the Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments of the valuable services rendered in the Punjab ever since its annexation and especially during the last troubled and eventful year. Adds that in quitting the Punjab Major Marsden carries with him Sir J. Lawrence's best wishes and regret.	No. 119.
2261	No. 112, dated 23rd April 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Mrs. Hall to compensation for losses by mutiny of the 45th Native Infantry, Ferozepore.	Submits claim of Mrs. Hall to compensation for losses by mutiny of the 45th Native Infantry at Ferozepore, and recommends grant of Rs. 200.	Nos. 135—38.
	No. 905, dated 7th May 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Commissioner that a "succour" certificate for Rs. 200 in favour of Mrs. Hall has been sent to the Civil Auditor, Punjab, for adjustment.	
	No. 906, dated 7th May 1858 . From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a succour certificate for Company's Rs. 200 in favour of Mrs. Hall for adjustment.	
2262	No 118, dated 28th April 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Purchase of a building in Ambala Cantonment for a circuit house.	Submits the ground plan of a house purchased in the Ambala Cantonment for a circuit house for Rs. 6,000, and solicits authority to charge the amount in his contingent bill.	Nos. 139—43.
	No. 907, dated 7th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply conveys the Chief Commissioner's sanction to his including the charge in his next contingent bill.	
	No. 908, dated 7th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
	No. 271—909, dated 7th May 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	With reference to letter No. 1082, dated the 10th March 1858, reports that the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States has been permitted to purchase a *pucca* building for a circuit house at a cost of Rs. 6,000. Encloses the ground plan.	

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2263	No. 108, dated 28th April 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, with Governor-General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conduct of certain persons in the Delhi and Meerut Divisions during the late disturbances. Rewards proposed.	Forwards a copy of a letter and enclosure from Captain Holland of the late 38th Native Infantry bringing to notice, with a view to their being rewarded, the good conduct of several persons in the Delhi and Meerut Divisions who befriended him during the late disturbances, and requests that enquiries may be made regarding them and appropriate rewards suggested for those who have not already been rewarded.	Progs. for the week ending 8th May 1858— Nos. 169—71.
	No. 924, dated 8th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delh Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for report.	
2264	No. 87, dated 24th April 1858 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Hissar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on persons who rendered aid to Europeans in the Hissar District during the disturbances.	With reference to circular No. 1, dated the 5th March 1858, submits a report of those persons who rendered aid and protection to Europeans in the Hissar District during the disturbances.	Nos. 172—74.
	No. 925, dated 8th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Hissar.	Ditto	In reply, communicates such of the orders passed on the statement by the Chief Commissioner as may be carried out at once.	
2265	No. 276—926, dated 8th May 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India	Proposed rewards to those who aided and protected Europeans during the disturbances.	Submits, for orders, a copy of letter from General Van Cortlandt, with a statement of cases in which pensions and grants of land are proposed for persons who aided and protected Europeans during the disturbances.	No. 175.
2266	No. 2182, dated 21st April 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Responsibilities of heads of departments of account in connection with delay in discovering errors.	Forwards an extract from a Despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, intimating that heads of departments of account will be held responsible in future for any extraordinary delay in discovering such errors as double payments or in bringing charges against individuals on account of sums due from them to the State.	No. 182
2267	No. 111, dated 23rd April 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cutting of trees on private estates at Simla.	Submits, for information, a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, intimating that he has convened a meeting of house proprietors for 1st June to decide again on the right of felling trees on private estates.	No. 185.
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2268	No. Nil, dated 29th April 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Arrival of a party of the Patiala Force in Bhatiana. Departure of Bahawalpur troops.	Forwards, for information, a copy of letter from the Officiating Superintendent, Bhatiana, reporting arrival of a party of the Patiala Force detached by General Van Cortlandt from Hissar, and that the Bahawalpur Force left for their own country on the 26th idem (April 1858).	No. 193.

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2269	No. 207, dated 26th April 1858 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Annual Cattle Fair held at Eminabad, Gujranwala District.	Submits a letter, in original, from the Commissioner of the Lahore Division, reporting the successful results of the annual Cattle Fair held during the month at Eminabad, in the Gujranwala District.	Progs. for the week ending 15th May 1858— Nos. 7-8.
	No. 930, dated 10th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, communicates Chief Commissioner's satisfaction at the successful results of the fair, and his desire that efforts may be made to improve it as a market for the ready sale of cattle. Adds that the Chief Commissioner sanctions the rewards, amounting to Rs. 60, paid to six persons.	
2270	No. 1707, dated 30th April 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Contributions to Hindu or Muhammadan shrines, etc., during 1857.	Forwards a copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, with enclosure, regarding sums paid to Hindu or Muhammadan shrines, etc., during 1857, and requests that the information therein required may be furnished with as little delay as possible.	Nos. 27—9.
	Circular No. 14—940, dated 11th May 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	Circulates copy of the preceding and of its enclosures and desires that the required information may be obtained from District officers and furnished speedily.	
2271	No. 957, dated 13th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Re-establishment of British rule in the Delhi Division.	Asks for a brief account of the re-establishment of British rule in the Delhi Division after the capture of Delhi, for incorporation in the General Punjab Report for 1857-58.	Nos. 63—6
	No. 958, dated 13th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
	No. 959, dated 13th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—General Van Cortlandt.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests he will furnish similar information regarding the Sirsa and Hissar Districts.	
	No. 960, dated 13th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2272	No. *Nil*, dated 6th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary, Special Fund, Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disbursements from the Fund during April 1858.	Submits a statement showing disbursements from the Relief Fund for the month of April 1858.	Nos. 69—71.
	No. 963, dated 14th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Honorary Secretary, General Committee, Indian Mutiny Relief Fund, London.	Ditto	Forwards the statement received with the preceding.	

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2273	No. 230, dated 10th May 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed grant-in-aid for the Female Orphan School at Ludhiana	Submits a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, with its enclosure in original, and solicits sanction to a grant of Rs. 25 per month in aid of the Female Orphan School at Ludhiana established by the American Missionary Society.	Progs. for the week ending 15th May 1858— Nos. 84—6.
	No. 971, dated 15th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the required sanction.	
2274	No. 1714, dated 4th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Services rendered by Messrs. Browne and Brookes of the Electric Telegraph Department during the mutiny.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 148, dated the 15th March 1858, states that the supreme Government decline to increase the salaries of Messrs. Browne and Brookes of the Electric Telegraph Department on the score of good service in the field, the proper reward for deserving persons being promotion whenever vacancies occur	Nos. 93-4.
	No. 976, dated 15th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Telegraph Department.	Ditto	Forwards, for communication to Messrs. Browne and Brookes, a copy of the preceding, and expresses the Chief Commissioner's hope that an opportunity may be found of advancing these gentlemen in the Department as a reward for their good services.	
2275	No. 121, dated 4th May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Remarks prejudicial to character of Madame Ventura.	Submits a copy of a letter addressed by him to the Deputy Commissioner of Ludhiana, withdrawing the letter containing the remarks prejudicial to the character of Madame Ventura. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 103.
2276	No. 1738, dated 7th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale-proceeds of goods returned from the Paris Exhibition.	With reference to letter No. 1489, dated the 16th April 1858, forwards a draft for Rs 7,075-0-3 being sale-proceeds of goods returned from the Paris Exhibition and sold by Messrs. Mackenzie, Lyall & Co., in Calcutta.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd May 1858— Nos. 8-9.
	No. 983, dated 18th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 772, dated the 28th April 1858, forwards, duly endorsed. the draft issued with the preceding.	
2277	No. 918, dated 7th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation to Mohib Dass for loss of property.	Forwards, for resubmission with Chief Commissioner's remarks, a letter from Captain Law, President, Special Commission, Delhi, recommending that Lala Mohib Dass should receive compensation for loss of property.	Nos 24-5.
	No. 992, dated 19th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, and its enclosures in original, and requests him to state his opinion on Lala Mohib Dass' claim.	

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2278	No. *Nil*, dated 12th May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application from Mr. Murphy, Collector of Customs at Delhi, for the post of Extra Assistant.	Forwards an application from Mr. Murphy, Collector of Customs at Delhi, for the post of Extra Assistant at Delhi, and strongly recommends the same for sanction.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd May 1858— Nos. 26-7.
	No. 72—993, dated 20th May 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India with Governor-General.	Ditto	Submits the Chief Commissioner's recommendation that Mr. Jas. Murphy, at present Collector of Customs in the Delhi Division, may be appointed an Extra Assistant of the 1st Grade in the Civil Department, on a salary of Rs. 800 per month. (*Note.*—Mr. Murphy was Interpreter at the trial of the King of Delhi.)	
2279	No. 318, dated 8th May 1858 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Hoshiarpur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mutinous plot among sepoys of the Left Wing, 4th N. I.	Submits a copy of a report made to the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, regarding the discovery of a mutinous plot among certain sepoys of the Left Wing, 4th N. I., and of the measures adopted by him.	Nos. 34—6.
	No. 332, dated 11th May 1858 ... From—The Deputy Commissioner, Hoshiarpur. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits copies of letters shewing arrangements made for the removal of the Left Wing, 4th N. I., to Jullundur, and disposal of the cases of certain sowars of the 10th Punjab Cavalry, suspected of being implicated in the mutinous plot.	
	No. 997, dated 20th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Hoshiarpur.	Ditto	In reply to the two preceding letters, informs the Deputy Commissioner that the measures taken have the Chief Commissioner's entire approval and desires that the Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments may be conveyed to Mr. Simson and to his Assistant, Captain Paske for the vigorous promptitude manifested by them on this occasion. Communicates instructions for having the N. I. Lines at Hoshiarpur dug up and arms searched for and preventing the flight of mutineers to the hills.	
2280	No. 80, dated 11th May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Necessity for strengthening garrison in the Jullundur Doab and Kangra.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiarpur, giving a detailed account of a plot in the Left Wing of the 4th N. I. stationed at Hoshiarpur to massacre the Europeans. Commends the conduct of Mr. Simson and Lieutenant Paske, and reports the measures adopted for the apprehension of mutineers who have deserted. Proposes a reward of Rs. 1,000 to Budlu whose information led to the timely detection of the plot. Comments upon the paucity of reliable troops in the Jullundur Doab and in the Kangra District and recommends that an additional regiment of Punjab Infantry be stationed in the Kangra Hills.	Nos. 45—51.

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2280—*concld.*	No. 1003, dated 21st May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Mutinous plot among sepoys of the Left Wing, 4th N. I.	In reply, points out the irregularity of addressing such references as the preceding to the Military Department which only takes cognizance of matters purely military. Observes that a reward of Rs. 200 will be sufficient for Budlu, and communicates Chief Commissioner's approval of the detachment of the Kangra Police Battalion being sent to Nurpur where it may remian. Adds that the Chief Commissioner cannot at present spare any more troops for the Kangra Hills or Jullundur Doab, but the Hoshiarpur Battalion will be directed to take all the duties of its own district, so that the Kangra men now employed in Hoshiarpur may return to their own headquarters.	Progs. for the week ending 22nd May 1858— Nos. 45—51.
	No. 1004, dated 21st May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards extract from the Chief Commissioner's minute on the plot of the Left Wing, 4th N. I., Hoshiarpur, in order that steps may be taken for carrying out his orders.	
2281	No 166, dated 13th May 1858 ... From—The Deputy Superintendent of Telegraph. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Completion of Telegraph cable across the Sutlej at Phillour.	Reports the completion of the Telegraph cable across the Sutlej at Phillour, and states that the Telegraph Office at Phillour will not therefore be required there for the purpose of keeping the communication open. Requests instructions.	Nos. 61-2.
	No. 1009, dated 22nd May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Superintendent of Telegraph.	Ditto	In reply, states that a Telegraph Office is no longer required at Phillour, and that the present office establishment at that place may be withdrawn.	
2282	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Forwards telegram allowing Lieutenant Raverty to go to Bombay and there await orders on his case.	Progs. for the week ending 29th May 1858— Nos. 2—4.
	No. 1013, dated 25th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Raverty.	Ditto	In reply to his demi-official informs Lieutenant Raverty that a telegram has been received from the supreme Government, permitting him to proceed to Bombay and there await orders on his case.	
	No. 1014, dated 25th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for information.	
2283	No. 71, dated 17th May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pamphlets on the duties of Magistrates and Collectors.	Submits three English and three Vernacular pamphlets of questions on the duties of Magistrates and Collectors prepared under the orders of Mr. Thomason and Mr Colvin, and recommends a reprint for distribution in the Punjab.	Nos. 12-13.
	No. 1019, dated 25th May 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that the Chief Commissioner has authorized the reprint of the pamphlets, for the use of Punjab officials and that arrangements will be made for having them published.	

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2284	No. 1020, dated 25th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— Brigadier Hartley, Commanding at Jullundur.	Mutinous plot discovered in the Wing of the 4th N. I. at Hoshiarpur.	Forwards a copy of a letter No. 997, dated the 20th May 1858, to the address of the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, relative to the proceedings of the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiarpur and his Assistant, Captain W. Paske, in connection with the plot recently discovered in the Wing of the 4th N. I. lately stationed there and suggests that a searching enquiry be instituted into the origin and extent of the affair.	Progs. for the week ending 29th May 1858— Nos. 14-15.
	No. 76—1021, dated 25th May 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits, for the information of the Governor-General, copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Hoshiarpur, to the Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States, reporting the discovery of a plot among some men of the Wing of the 4th Regiment N. I. to murder their officers. Details the measures taken in consequence.	
2285	No 1023, dated 11th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pension for Kamdar Khan, Kotwal of Sarsouli, in recognition of mutiny services.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 734, dated the 22nd April 1858, sanctions a life pension of Rs. 1,200 per annum to Kamdar Khan, Kotwal of Sarsouli, for meritorious conduct during the rebellion. Draws attention to circular No. 106, dated the 24th February, and requests that the Chief Commissioner will include the claims of all individuals who have done good service to Government in the tabular statement prescribed therein, instead of submitting isolated applications.	Nos. 22-3.
	No. 1026, dated 26th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 130, dated the 12th April 1858, forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2286	No. 1028, dated 26th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Fines to be levied under Act X of 1858.	With reference to letter No. 728, dated the 21st April 1858, requesting him to fix the final fines to be levied under Act X of 1858, from one district of his Division and, having embodied his decisions for that one district in a general statement, to submit the same for the Chief Commissioner's orders before any fine is levied for that or any other district, requests that the statement be submitted by an early date.	No. 25.
2287	No. 75, dated 19th May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed telegraph office at Amritsar.	With reference to previous correspondence, strongly recommends, for political considerations, a telegraph station at Amritsar.	Nos. 26-7.
	No. 1030, dated 27th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner does not at present perceive the necessity for the measure.	

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2288	No. 190, dated 15th May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Loyal services of Parwarish Ali, Jagirdar of Sikri, during the mutiny.	Submits, for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner and of the supreme Government a copy of letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Gurgaon, bringing to notice the very loyal and meritorious conduct of Parwarish Ali. Jagirdar of Sikri in that District. throughout the insurrection, and recommends his being rewarded by the gift of a jagir which formerly belonged to his family.	Progs for the week ending 29th May 1858. Nos. 33-4.
	No. 1033, dated 27th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner. Punjab, To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	In reply enquires whether Parwarish Ali is the decendant of the original grantee, and if so how the jagir lapsed to Government. Also requests to be furnished with a genealogical tree showing the relationship of Parwarish Ali to the last holder of the grant, and a list of the pensions payable and of the jagir.	
2289	No. *Nil*. dated 17th May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reestablishment of British authority in the districts of the Hissar Division.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letters Nos. 957 and 959, dated the 13th May 1858, requiring reports in regard to military operations and the reestablishment of British authority in the districts of the Hissar Division enquires whether he also is required to furnish a report.	Nos. 35—7.
	No. 1034, dated 27th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Commissioner that it will suffice for General Van Cortlandt to furnish the report called for from him.	
	No. 1035, dated 27th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—General Van Cortlandt.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
2290	No. 173, dated 22nd May 1858 ... From—Major General Commanding, Peshawar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Telegraph office required at Attock.	Requests the reestablishment of an Electric Telegraph office at Attock which has become a station of considerable importance.	Nos. 55—7.
	No. 1050, dated 28th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Superintendent of Telegraphs.	Ditto	Informs the Deputy Superintendent that the want of means of communication between Attock and both Peshawar and Rawalpindi having been brought to the Chief Commissioner's notice, he suggests that the Telegraph Establishment hitherto maintained at Phillour be transferred to Attock.	
	No. 1051, dated 28th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Sir Sydney Cotton.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	

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2291	No. 1765, dated 7th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cutting of trees on private estates in Simla.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 203, dated the 3rd April 1858, conveys approval of the Chief Commissioner's suggestion to call another meeting of house proprietors at Simla, to consider the question whether the power of cutting or trimming trees on private estates should be vested in the Deputy Commissioner. Sanctions revision of clause 7, Rule 21, of Act XXVI of 1850, and the introduction of the rule adopted at a late meeting, whereby the Deputy Commissioner is vested with the above powers.	Progs. for the week ending 29th May 1858— Nos. 60-1.
	No. 1052, dated 28th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests that the result of the second meeting may be duly reported.	
2292	No. 1066, dated 11th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Resolutions passed by the House of of Lords on the 8th February 1858.	Forwards an extract (paragraph 3) from a G. O. G. G. together with a complete copy of certain resolutions passed by the House of Lords on the 8th February 1858, and requests that they may be carefully preserved in the Chief Commissioner's office. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 66.
2293	No. 25[illegible]6, dated 28th April 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Security to be taken from uncovenanted servants.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, regarding rules for taking security from uncovenanted servants. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 70.
2294	No. 1098, dated 12th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Combined Administration report for the two years 1856-57 and 1857-58.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 488, dated the 17th March 1858, sanctions the proposal that the separate Administration Report for 1856-57 may be dispensed with and that one report for the two years 1856-57 and 1857-58 will be accepted.	No. 72.
2295	No. 1079, dated 11th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Thanks of E. I. Company to the Governor-General, Lieutenant-Governors, Chief Commissioners, etc., for services during 1857.	Forwards for record a copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors communicating the resolutions passed by the Hon'ble Court on the 16th and those passed by the general court of the E. I. Company on the 17th of that month, conveying their thanks to the Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governors, Chief Commissioners etc., etc., for their conduct during 1857. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 72-3.
2296	No. 76, dated 19th May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Erection of a Hindu temple within the enclosure of the Court House at Gurdaspur.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 848, dated the 4th May 1858, submits an explanation from the Deputy Commissioner of Gurdaspur, regarding the Hindu temple erected within the enclosure of the Court House. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. [illegible]

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2297	No. 62, dated 21st May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conveyance of troops to Jhelum and Ferozepore.	Forwards, for information, a copy of a letter to Captain Daniell, Commanding the Indus Flotilla, relative to conveying troops to Jhelum and Ferozepore by the steamers "Indus" and "Conqueror." MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 29th May 1858— No. 92.
2298	No. 197, dated 19th May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Persons entitled to relief for mutiny losses.	Submits, for consideration and countersignature, a batch of certificates of persons whom he considers entitled to succour.	Progs. for the week ending 5th June 1858— Nos. 5-6.
	No. 1059, dated 31st May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the certificates, duly countersigned.	
2299	No. 164, dated 20th May 1858 ... From—Colonel R. Baird Smith, C.B. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Proposed rewards for assistance rendered to Lieutenant Thomason and a party of fugitives.	Submits a copy of a letter from Lieutenant Stewart, Superintendent, Western Jumna Canals, recommending that rewards be given to certain persons and privileges granted to some villages for assistance rendered to Lieutenant Thomason and a party of fugitives during their escape from Delhi to Karnal in May 1857.	Nos. 7—9.
	No. 315—1060, dated 31st May 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the above with the recommendation of the Chief Commissioner in each case.	
2300	No. 259, dated 25th May 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sale proceeds of goods returned from the Paris Exhibition.	Acknowledges receipt of letter No. 983, dated the 17th May 1858, giving cover to a draft on the Lahore Treasury for Rs. 707-0-3 on account of the goods of contributors returned from the Paris Exhibition and sold at Calcutta.	Nos. 14-15.
	No. 316—1063, dated 31st May 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of Government letter No. 1738, dated the 7th May 1858, and forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2301	No. 461, dated 20th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Employment of passed students of the Thomason Medical School, Agra, as Native Doctors in the Punjab.	Forwards copy of a letter from the Director-General, Medical Department, and of paragraph 4 of his (Mr Mun's) letter to the Superintendent, Thomason Medical School, Agra, regarding the employment of some of the passed students of that Institution as Native Doctors in the Punjab.	Nos. 16—19.
	No. 1064, dated 31st May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner will be glad to have the services of the individuals alluded to in the preceding, as there is an urgent want of Medical Officers in the Punjab. To save time, a copy of this letter will be forwarded to the Superintendent of that Institution, with a request that he will send the men as soon as possible with orders to report themselves at Lahore.	

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2301—*concld.*	No. 1065, dated 31st May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Thomason Medical College, Agra.	Employment of passed students of the Thomason Medical School, Agra, as Native Doctors in the Punjab.	The Government of the North-Western Provinces having informed the Chief Commissioner that there are several passed Native Doctors at the Medical College available for service in the Punjab, he (the Superintendent) is requested to despatch the men as soon as possible to Lahore, to report themselves there and await orders. Forwards a copy of the preceding letter addressed to Government of the North-Western Provinces, and requests that the names of the men whom he proposes to send may be communicated.	Progs. for the week ending 5th June 1858— Nos. 16—19.
2302	No. 974, dated 1st May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, with Governor-General To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims to compensation for losses caused by the mutinies, etc.	Forwards copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors and of a letter which has been addressed under this date from the Financial Department to the Government of Bengal, requiring that claims to compensation for losses of property caused by the mutinies, etc., may be registered and investigated and the results reported for the con ideration and orders of the Government of India. Communicates remarks and requests that effect may be given to the wishes of the Hon'ble Court of Directors within the Punjab jurisdiction.	Nos. 20—23.
	No. 82—1066, dated 31st May 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner proposes that the claims for compensation should be taken up by the Commissioners of the Divisions in which the property injured was situated. If the Governor-General approves, the requisite arrangements can be made in these territories, but there is no officer at the Chief Commissioner's disposal who would be available for this investigation as a special Commissioner, and it would, therefore, be necessary to send up an officer to Lahore from the North-West or elsewhere for this purpose.	
2303	No. 204, dated 22nd May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Confiscation of the shares held by rebels in the *Lahore Chronicle* Press.	Enquires if the shares held by rebels in the *Lahore Chronicle* Press are to be treated as confiscated property.	Nos. 24—6.
	Nos. 1067-1068, dated 31st May 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Manager, *Lahore Chronicle* Press, and Manager, *Delhi Gazette* Press.	Ditto	Calls for lists of Native shareholders, as it appears that some shares are held by natives implicated in the rebellion, regarding whose property enquiry has to be made.	
2304	No. *Nil*, dated 13th May 1858 ... From—Captain Daniell, Commanding Indus Flotilla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conveyance of European troops arriving at Karachi.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 864, dated the 5th May 1858, submitting extract from a letter from the Commissioner of the Multan Division, states that two steamers will be stationed above Sukkur during the inundation and will be available for the conveyance of troops. District Officers should be requested to arrange for supplies of provisions and wood along the river.	Nos. 42-3.

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2304—*concld.*	No. 1078, dated 1st June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Daniell, Commanding, Indus Flotilla.	Conveyance of European troops arriving at Karachi.	In reply, enquires whether the arrangement suggested is likely to cause any serious delay in communications between Multan and Sukkur, and whether he will be able to arrange for the due maintenance of communications irrespectively of these two steamers.	Progs. for the week ending 5th June 1858— Nos. 42-3.
2305	No. 1233, dated 18th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disposal of property of Bisharat Ali, Ressaldar, 1st Irregular Cavalry, shot by order of Captain Hodson. Power in such cases reserved by Government.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 132, dated the 8th March 1858, regarding the property of Ressaldar Bisharat Ali, 1st Irregular Cavalry shot by order of Captain Hodson, and conveys sanction to bestowing the property on Barkat Ali and Umar Ali to be divided according to the family customs or laws. Adds that the Government of India reserves to itself the power of exempting the property of rebels from confiscation.	Nos. 59—61.
	No. 1086 dated 3rd June 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of Chief Commissioner's letter to Government, and of the preceding reply, and requests that, in compliance with the orders of Government, the whole of the property now under confiscation may be bestowed upon Barkat Ali, brother-in-law, and Umar Ali, the son of the deceased Bisharat Ali. Adds that care should be taken that the families of the above are not molested in future.	
	No. 1086-A., dated 3rd June 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major Chamberlain,	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding letter for information.	
2306	No. 1917, dated 21st May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	List of persons who particularly distinguished themselves during the late disturbances.	Forwards a copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, calling for a list of covenanted and uncovenanted servants and individuals not in Government employ who have particularly distinguished themselves during the late disturbances.	Nos. 79—81.
	No. 87—1093, dated 3rd June 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, enquires if further information regarding persons who distinguished themselves should be furnished in addition to that already rendered by the Chief Commissioner and the Judicial Commissioner in the reports on the mutinies.	
2307	No. *Nil*, dated 29th May 1858 ... From—Lieut. Raverty, Assistant Commissioner. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieut. Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1013, dated the 25th May 1858, granting him permission to proceed to Bombay, there to await orders in his case, but states that as the permission arrived late and in consideration of certain other circumstances, he thinks it advisable to remain at Multan.	Nos. 124-25.
	No. 93—1120, dated 5th June 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	

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2308	No. *Nil*, dated 3rd May 1858 ... From—Messrs. Remington & Co. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Relief for widows and orphans of soldiers killed in the mutinies.	Acknowledge the receipt of letters dated the 6th, 11th and 29th January and 16th March 1858, and with reference to the last, forward a bill for Rs. 584.	Progs. for the week ending 12th June 1858— Nos. 1—4.
	No. 1121, dated 7th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieut. E. Lambert, Commanding Depôt 1st E. B. Fusiliers.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 779, dated the 28th April 1858, forwards the bill received with the preceding, being a further remittance by the Calcutta Special Relief Fund on behalf of the widows and orphans of soldiers of his regiment who lost their lives in the mutinies.	
	No 1122, dated 7th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Remington & Co.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of Bank Post Bill for Rs 584 and states that it has been sent to the Officer Commanding Depôt of the 1st E. B. Fusiliers.	
	No. 1123, dated 7th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Lahore Special Fund.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter from Messrs. Remington & Co. for information. With reference to Captain Nicoll's performances at the last examination the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that a year's additional study in all Departments would be beneficial to that officer.	
2309	No. *Nil*, dated 29th May 1858 ... From—Muhammad Sultan, Extra Assistant, Fazilka. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Demolition of forts in Mumdote.	Reports having carried out the Chief Commissioner's instructions in regard to the completion of a *pucca* well near the village of Bugga, on the road between Fazilka and Ferozepore, at a cost of Rs. 57-4-5 as also the demolition of the *kutcha* and *pucca* forts of the late Nawab of Mumdote.	Nos. 11-12
	No. 1126, dated 7th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepore.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests him to pay Rs. 57-4-5 to the Extra Assistant and to charge it in his contingent bill as a reward granted by the Chief Commissioner.	
2310	No. 216, dated 29th May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	"Succour" awarded to Rai Moona Lall, Deputy Collector, for mutiny losses.	Submits for countersignature, a certificate of "Succour" awarded to Rai Moona Lall, Deputy Collector, amounting Rs. 1,000.	Nos. 19-20.
	No. 1130, dated 7th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the certificate, duly countersigned.	
2311	No. 322, dated 1st June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	House proprietors elected as Municipal Commissioners of Simla.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, reporting, for the approval of Chief Commissioner and Government, the name of house proprietors of Simla elected by the proprietary body, as Municipal Commissioners for ensuing year.	Nos. 47-8.
	No. 342—1146, dated 10th June 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards, for approval of the President in Council, and for notification in the *Gazette*, a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, received with the preceding.	

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2312	No. *Nil*, dated 31st March 1858 ... From—The President, Government Special Committee. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for Rs. 83,000 preferred by Prem Narain as compensation for confiscated property.	Forwards, for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner, a claim for Rs. 83,000 preferred by one Prem Narain as compensation for property said to have been appropriated by the Prize Agents at Delhi, and annexes copies of papers showing the petitioner's devoted loyalty to the State during the late rebellion.	Progs. for the week ending 12th June 1858— Nos. 62—4.
	No. 1156, dated 11th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The President, Government Special Committee.	Ditto	In reply intimates that the case will be referred to the Special Commission which is to be formed at Delhi for the investigation of these matters.	
2313	No. *Nil*, dated 4th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary, Punjab Relief Fund. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disbursements from the Relief Fund during May 1858.	In continuation of letter dated the 6th May 1858, submits a statement of disbursements from the Fund during May 1858.	Nos. 5—7.
	No. 1157, dated 11th June 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Punjab Special Fund.	Ditto	In reply, requests that in future the amount of cash in hand at the end of the month under report may be shown.	
	No. 1158, dated 11th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Honorary Secretary, General Committee, Indian Mutiny Relief Fund, London.	Ditto	Submits, for the information of the General Committee, a statement of disbursements made by the Punjab Special Fund during the month of May 1858.	
2314	No. 1753, dated 7th May 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a Medical officer as Superintendent of the Lahore Central Jail.	Authorizes the appointment of a Medical officer as Superintendent of the Central Jail at Lahore, if such an officer is available.	Nos. 67-8.
	No. 343—1159, dated 11th June 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Dr. Dallas nominated for the appointment.	With reference to the preceding, recommends Assistant Surgeon Dallas of the 4th N. I. at Nurpur to be appointed Superintendent of the Central Jail at Lahore, on probation for one year and six months.	
2315	No. 1165, dated 11th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Charges against Mr. C. H. Richards, Deputy Commissioner of Karnal.	Forwards vernacular petition complaining of maladministration by Mr. C. Richards, Deputy Commissioner of Karnal, and requests Commissioner will proceed to Karnal and investigate the charges.	No. 77.
2316	No. 1509, dated 31st May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Lord F. Hay to compensation for property lost in transit during the mutiny.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 51, dated the 30th April 1858, reporting Lord F. Hay's claim to compensation for property lost in transit from Calcutta during the disturbances, conveys sanction to the payment of Rs. 1,450.	Nos. 79-80.
	No. 1167, dated 12th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lord F. Hay, Simla.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for information.	

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2317	No. 1524, dated 1st June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Petition from Muhammad Umar, Muhammad Sharif and others for permission to reside in Delhi, and for restoration of property.	Forwards, for disposal, a copy of a petition from Muhammad Umar, Muhammad Sharif and others of Delhi, stating that whilst those who took part in the rebellion have been permitted to dwell in the city, they are not allowed to take up their abode therein, and praying that orders may be issued permitting them to reside in the city of Delhi and directing the release of their property.	Progs. for the week ending 12th June 1858— Nos. 81-2.
	No. 1168, dated 12th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and its vernacular enclosure and requests that Muhammad Umar and others may be informed that they cannot be permitted to settle in the city of Delhi for the present.	
2318	No. 2809, dated 21st May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Yeomanry Cavalry.	Forwards a copy of a Resolution permitting all uncovenanted Civil Servants who joined the Yeomanry Cavalry and are still with that corps to remain in it until its disbandment, without detriment to their civil appointments. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 86.
2319	No. 281, dated 1st June 1858 ... From—The Officiating Director-General of Post Office. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prepayment of letters to the United Kingdom.	Forwards ten copies of a notice, intimating that, from the 1st September 1858, prepayment of letters to the United Kingdom will be compulsory. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 100-101
2320	No. 96, dated 5th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Outrage committed at Madhopur.	Reports measures taken by him on hearing of the outrage committed at Madhopur, and annexes a letter from Major Wilkie, Commanding at Nurpur. Urges the propriety of putting Europeans inside Nurpur, and suggests an expedient for disposing of the sepoys of the disarmed regiments in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 19th June 1858— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 1170, dated 14th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the number of troops sent to Madhopur for the protection of that place. The Chief Commissioner's deliberate conviction is that it would be a mistake to detach European troops to Nurpur and that there is no reasonable prospect of the hill men fraternising with the Purbiahs.	
2321	No *Nil*, dated 5th June 1858 ... From—The President, Government Special Committee, Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Lala Kishori Lall (Banker 17th Irregular Cavalry) to compensation for loss of property at Delhi.	Forwards proceedings in the case of one Lala Kishori Lall, Banker of the 17th Irregular Cavalry, claiming compensation for loss of property on the taking of Delhi.	Nos. 3—9.
	No. *Nil*, dated 5th June 1858 ... From—The President, Special Committee, Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Ram Sahai and his two brothers for compensation.	Forwards, for the consideration and orders of Chief Commissioner, the claim of Ram Sahai and his two brothers for compensation to the amount of Rs. 62,000.	

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2321—*concld.*	No. *Nil*, dated 7th June 1858 ... From—The President, Special Committee, Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Lala Mahesh Das to compensation for the destruction of a saltpetre manufactory.	Forwards, for consideration and orders, copies of papers connected with the case of Lala Mahesh Das who was a great sufferer by the destruction of a saltpetre manufactory belonging to him near Delhi and by being plundered of more than Rs. 11,000 and a horse.	Progs. for the week ending 19th June 1858— Nos. 3—9.
	No. 1171, dated 14th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The President, Special Committee, Delhi.	Ditto	In reply to the preceding letters, states that as soon as a special officer is appointed for the Punjab, to investigate claims for compensation for losses suffered during the mutiny, the cases mentioned in the preceding will be referred to him.	
2322	No. 689, dated 10th June 1858 ... From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Captain Davie's bill for compensation for losses in the mutinies.	Submits Captain Davie's bill for compensation for losses sustained by him during the late mutinies at Jullundur, and solicits instructions in regard to the proper channel through which such claims should be submitted.	Nos. 17-18.
	No. 1176, dated 14th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Chief Engineer that a reference has been made to the Supreme Government on the subject of compensation, and that, as soon as a reply is received, arrangements will be made for the investigation of Captain Davie's and other claims.	
2323	No. *Nil*, dated 8th June 1858 ... From—The President, Special Committee, Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Salig Ram's claim to compensation for loss of property during mutiny.	Forwards proceedings in the case of Lala Salig Ram, Treasurer of Delhi (claim to compensation), and states that the Prize Agents having estimated the property received from Salig Ram's house at Rs. 12,000, have refunded that amount to him, as well as Rs. 1,868 received as ransom.	Nos. 43—5.
	No. 1189, dated 15th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The President, Special Committee, Delhi.	Ditto	In reply, informs the President that as soon as an officer is appointed to investigate claims for compensation for losses sustained during the mutiny, the case mentioned in the preceding will be referred to him for adjustment.	
2324	No. *Nil*, dated 8th June 1858 ... From—Captain A. LeGallois. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims for compensation.	Submits a copy of a letter from Mr. Longden, Deputy Commissioner, and enquires if the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner or any other officer has been appointed to receive claims for compensation in the Punjab, as is now being done in Bengal and the North-Western Provinces.	Nos. 46—8.
	No. 1190, dated 15th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain A. LeGallois.	Ditto	In reply, informs Captain LeGallois that a reference has been made to the Supreme Government for the investigation of such claims in the Punjab, and that as soon as an officer is nominated for this duty, a notification will be issued in the *Punjab Gazette*.	

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2325	No. *Nil*, dated 3rd June 1858 ... From—S. Wallace, Esq., Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The Hindustan and Tibet Wagon Train.	Solicits information regarding the terms on which the Hindustan and Tibet Wagon Train and the transfer of the tolls will be disposed of by Government.	Progs. for the week ending 19th June 1858.—Nos. 52-3.
	No. 1194, dated 15th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Hill Roads.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests him to furnish the information required therein to Mr. Wallace.	
2326	No. 24, dated 2nd June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Penal fines levied to the Hissar District. Extension of Act X of 1857 to Delhi territory.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 729, dated the 21st May 1858, and reports upon the penal fines levied upon the district of Hissar and urges the inadvisability of levying any more sums, except as compensation fines. States that it does not appear clear to him that both penal fines and value of plundered property should be realized from the same villages. Requests that Act X of 1857 regarding the harbouring of rebels, may be extended to Delhi territory.	Nos. 55—7.
	No. 1196, dated 15th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto Villages not be fined twice over.	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the first portion of his letter will be answered separately. With reference to previous instructions, repeats that those villages which have had to refund value of plundered property are not to suffer penal fine in addition, except in special cases. Conveys permission to extension of Act X of 1857 to Delhi territory.	
	No. 1197, dated 16th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2327	No. 10, dated 12th June 1858 ... From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation for loss of Band instruments belonging to the 35th Native Infantry.	Submits for orders, claims to compensation for loss of Band instruments, music, cloth, etc., preferred by the Band President and Quartermaster of the 35th Native Infantry.	Nos. 69-70.
	No. 1208, dated 16th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that as soon as an officer is appointed to investigate claims for compensation, the cases submitted with the preceding will be referred to him.	
2328	No. *Nil*, dated 8th June 1858 ... From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation for loss of property preferred by Lieutenant Ryan, 5th Punjab Cavalry.	Submits, for orders, a claim for compensation for loss of property preferred by Lieutenant Ryan, 5th Punjab Cavalry, amounting Rs. 775.	Nos. 78-9.
	No. 1213, dated 17th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Returns the bill duly countersigned for adjustment.	

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2329	No. 937, dated 17th June 1858 ... From—The Manager, *Lahore Chronicle* Press. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Native shareholders in the *Lahore Chronicle* Press.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter, dated the 31st May 1858, submits a list of registered Native shareholders in the capital of the *Lahore Chronicle* Press stock.	Progs. for the week ending 19th June 1858— Nos. 80—2.
	No. 1214, dated 17th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto Proposed confiscation of shares owned by rebels.	Forwards a copy of the list received with the preceding and requests him to state which of the individuals mentioned therein are rebels.	
2330	No. *Nil*, dated 8th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Shares in the *Delhi Gazette* held by Raja of Ballabgarh and Nawab of Jhajjar.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1068, dated the 31st May 1858, intimates that the late Nawab of Jhajjar and the Raja of Ballabgarh were the only shareholders in the *Delhi Gazette* Press, to the extent of one share each at the time of the insurrection. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 83.
2331	No. 178, dated 9th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Vaccine operations in April 1858.	Submits a report on Vaccine operations for April 1858.	Nos. 88-9.
	No. 1217, dated 17th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Enquires how it happened that there was no vaccination in the Ambala and Thanesar Districts.	
2332	No. 277, dated 4th June 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tahsil schools in the Delhi and Hissar Divisions.	In continuation of previous letter forwards a copy of letter from the Director of Public Instruction, with a statement of the Tahsil schools in the Delhi and Hissar Divisions, and observes that it is gratifying to learn that the number of scholars attending these schools is very little if at all less than that of the period prior to May 1857.	Nos. 94—7.
	No. 1220, dated 17th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply states that the Chief Commissioner considers the condition of the schools very satisfactory and indicative of the rapid restoration of social order in the Delhi Territory.	
2333	No. 22, dated 31st May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation for losses sustained by private individuals during the mutiny.	Submits, for the consideration and orders of Chief Commissioner, a statement of compensation for losses sustained by private individuals, both Europeans and Natives, in the Hissar District during the disturbances.	Nos. 98-9.
	No. 1221, dated 17th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner desires him to scrutinize the claims and award no more than may appear just and reasonable. Points out some of the claims which the Chief Commissioner considers excessive.	

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2334	No. 99, dated 12th June 1858 ... From—Colonel Sandeman. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims to compensation for mess property destroyed by mutineers at Hoshiarpur.	Forwards a claim to compensation for mess property destroyed by mutineers at Hoshiarpur.	Progs. for the week ending 19th June 1858— Nos. 100-101.
	No. 1222, dated 17th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Colonel Sandeman.	Ditto	In reply, informs Colonel Sandeman that as soon as a special officer is appointed for the investigation of claims for compensation, the claim submitted by him will be referred to him.	
2335	No. *Nil*, dated 8th June 1858 ... From—Mr. J. Boezalt. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation for loss of property during mutiny.	Forwards a claim for compensation for loss of property destroyed by the mutineers at Delhi.	Nos. 102—104.
	No. 1223, dated 17th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, and its enclosures in original, and requests early attention to the matter.	
	No. 1224, dated 17th June 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. J. Boezalt.	Ditto	Informs Mr. Boezalt that the Commissioner of the Delhi Division has been addressed on the subject.	
2336	No. *Nil*, dated 12th June 1858 ... From— Brigadier Hartley. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Brigadier Hartley's claim to compensation for property destroyed at Jullundur.	Forwards a bill for compensation for losses occasioned during the sepoy mutiny at Jullundur.	Nos. 105-106.
	No. 1225, dated 17th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Brigadier Hartley.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that as soon as an officer is appointed for the investigation of claims for compensation Brigadier Hartley's claim will be referred to him.	
2337	No. *Nil*, dated 15th June 1858 ... From—Captain Taylor. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation for loss of property at Delhi.	Submits a claim for compensation for property lost during the outbreak at Delhi.	Nos. 112-14.
	No. 1230, dated 18th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Taylor.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that as soon as an officer is appointed to investigate such claims, Captain Taylor's case will be referred to him.	
2338	No. 2101, dated 9th June 1858 ... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reward conferred on Henneed and other villagers of Malcha for sheltering Sir T. Metcalfe.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 262, dated the 5th May 1858, approves of the reward proposed to be conferred on Henneed, a Muhammadan Zamindar of Malcha, and the Jat Zamindars of the same place for sheltering Sir T. Metcalfe on his flight from Delhi.	Nos. 121-22.
	No. 1235, dated 18th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 124, dated the 9th April 1858, forwards for information and guidance, a copy of Chief Commissioner's letter to Government and of the preceding reply.	

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2339	No. 284, dated 31st May 1858 ... From—Brigadier-General N. Chamberlain. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Captain Harding's claim for compensation.	Forwards, for orders, a letter with enclosure, from Captain Harding, 2nd Hill Regiment, enclosing a bill for compensation for losses sustained at Fyzabad in Oudh at the hands of the mutineers.	Progs. for the week ending 19th June 1858— Nos. 123—26.
	No. 1236, dated 18th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Adjutant-General of the Army.	Ditto	Forwards a statement of losses sustained by Captain Harding, with a view to its being dealt with by the Military Auditor-General.	
2340	No. 236, dated 13th May 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Educational arrangements for the Delhi Division.	With reference to letter No. 882, dated the 6th May 1858, submits, in original, correspondence connected with Educational arrangements for the Delhi Division. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 130-33.
	No. 251, dated 28th May 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the above, forwards a copy of a letter from the Director, Public Instruction, detailing the arrangements contemplated by him in connection with his Department for the Delhi Division. Concurs generally in the measures proposed and recommends nomination of a 3rd Inspector to the Educational Department.	
	No. 1239, dated 18th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Lieutenant Holroyd nominated for appointment as an Inspector.	Forwards, for information, a copy of a letter, with annexure, from the Director of Public Instruction, North-Western Provinces, and states that the Chief Commissioner generally approves of the suggestions made by the Financial Commissioner and Mr. Arnold, and Lieutenant Holroyd's nomination has been submitted to the Supreme Government. States that it should be considered whether a 4th Inspector will or will not be needed for the southern portion of the Punjab.	
2341	No. 278, dated 4th June 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of his letter No. 253, dated the 21st May 1858, submits a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction recommending Lieutenant Holroyd of the late 23rd N. I. to be appointed Inspector of Schools in the Delhi Circle and solicits sanction to the same.	Nos. 134—36.
	No. 108—1240, dated 18th June 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction and recommends that Lieutenant Holroyd be appointed Inspector on probation for one year, on Rs. 600 per month and ordered to assume charge of his duties as quickly as possible.	

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2342	No. 2025, dated 31st May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rewards to certain persons for protecting Europeans in the Hissar District.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 276, dated the 8th May 1858, with a return of individuals whom it is proposed to reward for their good conduct in protecting Europeans in the Hissar District, and conveys sanction to the recommendations made therein.	Progs. for the week ending 19th June 1858— Nos. 14143.
	No. 1243, dated 19th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Hissar.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for his information and guidance, with an abstract of the Chief Commissioner's recommendation in each case.	
	No. 1244, dated 19th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2343	No. 2119, dated 10th June 1858 . From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of a building within the cantonments of Ambala as a Circuit House	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 271, dated the 7th May 1858, conveys approval of the purchase by the Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States of a *pucca* building within the cantonments of Ambala for a Circuit House, at a cost of Rs. 6,000.	Nos. 154—56.
	No. 1252, dated 19th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, in continuation of letter No. 907, dated the 7th May 1858.	
	No. 1253, dated 19th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding in continuation of letter No. 908, dated the 7th May 1858.	
2344	No. 186, dated 9th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Donation of Rs. 500 to Mr. W. H. McGowan, Postmaster of Lahore, for mutiny services.	Submits a copy of a letter addressed to the Director-General, Postal Department, granting Mr. W. H. McGowan, Postmaster, Lahore, a donation of Rs. 500, in recognition of his services during the disturbances of last year.	No. 159.
2345	No. 1076, dated 11th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Certain resolutions passed by the House of Commons on 8th February and 16th March 1858.	Forwards an extract (paragraph 3) from a general order of the Governor-General, together with a complete copy of certain resolutions passed by the House of Commons on the 8th February and 16th March 1858, and requests that a copy of the same may be carefully preserved in this office. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 160-61.
2346	No. 567, dated 10th June 1858 ... From—Captain Browne, 1st Bengal Fusiliers. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sums paid to the widows of the 1st Bengal Fusiliers from Relief Fund.	Forwards acquittance rolls for sums paid to the widows of the 1st Bengal Fusiliers from the Calcutta Relief Fund for the months of March and April 1858. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 171-72.
	No. 573, dated 14th June 1858 ... From—Captain Browne, 1st Benga' Fusiliers. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1121, enclosing a Bombay Bank Post Bill, being a further remittance for the widows and orphans of the 1st European Bengal Fusiliers from the Calcutta Special Relief Fund. MEMO.—OFFICE.	

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2347	No. 5509, dated 16th June 1858 ... From—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Nominal returns of European officers attached to the old and new Punjab Irregular Force.	Forwards nominal returns of European officers attached to the old and new Punjab Irregular Force, as they stood on the 1st May 1858.	Progs. for the week ending 19th June 1858— Nos. 173-74.
2348	No. 231, dated 21st June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sums paid or collected during 1857 for Muhammadan and Hindu religious institutions.	As requested in Circular No. 14, dated the 11th May 1858, submits a statement of sums paid during the year 1857, or which were collected and disbursed through the agency of public officers, for the support of Muhammadan-Hindu religious institutions.	Progs. for the week ending 26th June 1858— Nos. 6-7.
	No. 1258, dated 21st June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	In reply, requests the Commissioner to furnish a brief sketch of the circumstances under which the grants were made by Government, and the date of the Government order, so that references might be easily made to the correspondence.	
2349	No. 1573, dated 9th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India, with the Governor-General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Personal Assistants to the Judicial and Financial Commissioners sanctioned.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 54, dated the 3rd May 1858, and conveys authority for the appointment of Personal Assistants to the Judicial and Financial Commissioners (subject to confirmation by the Court of Directors) on a salary of Rs. 700 each per month.	Nos. 8—10.
	Nos. 1259-60, dated 21st June 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial and Judicial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and requests that an officer be at once selected, and the nomination reported.	
2350	No. 236, dated 12th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed rewards to individuals who befriended Captain Holland in his escape from Delhi to Meerut.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 294, dated the 8th March 1858, submits proposals for the rewards to the individuals who befriended Captain Holland in his escape from Delhi to Meerut.	Nos. 15-16½.
	No. 1111—1263, dated 21st June 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for the consideration and orders of Government, in reply to letter No. 108, dated the 28th April 1858.	

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2351	No. *Nil*, dated 1st June 1858 ... From—The Officiating Roman Catholic Bishop of Agra. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Damage done to the Roman Catholic Mission Chapel and Priest's house at Delhi.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 812, dated the 3rd May 1858, and states that in addition to the bill for damage done to the Roman Catholic Mission Chapel at Delhi, he forwarded one for damages done to the Priest's house at that station and begs that the Chief Commissioner will sanction the disbursement of these bills.	Progs. for the week ending 26th June 1858— Nos. 20-21.
	No. 1266, dated 22nd June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officiating Roman Catholic Bishop of Agra.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that the second bill alluded to has not been received. As to the first, the Chief Commissioner does not think it could be passed as "succour," unless particular persons can be shown to have been the losers, but if the chapel is resorted to by European troops, the Government might undertake to restore or repair it.	
2352	No. 536, dated 8th June 1858 ... From—The Officer Commanding, Indus Flotilla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conveyance of European troops on arrival at Karachi.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1078, dated the 1st June 1858, states that in the event of the "Indus" or "Conqueror" being despatched to Ferozepore or Jhelum with troops, he anticipates a delay taking place in communications between Multan and Sukkur during the absence of the above-mentioned vessels.	Nos. 26—8.
	No. 1269, dated 22nd June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding, Indus Flotilla.	Ditto	In reply, intimates that other arrangements will be made for the conveyance of troops if necessary, and that the steamers mentioned in the preceding will not be required for that purpose.	
	No. 1270, dated 22nd June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Multan Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2353	No. 30, dated 8th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rewards proposed for certain loyal residents in the Sirsa District.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 740, dated the 23rd April 1858, communicating the orders of Chief Commissioner in regard to rewards proposed for certain loyal residents in the Sirsa District, and submits the information required regarding Bagu Singh, Thanedar, Nur Summand and others and Baksha Khan, Kotwal.	Nos. 31-2.
	No. 1272, dated 22nd June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the rewards previously proposed for the parties named in the preceding.	
2354	No. *Nil*, dated 9th June 1858 ... From—Lieutenant Raverty, 3rd B. N. I. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Forwards a memorial, for submission to the Governor-General in Council, containing a narrative of the general outline of his case.	Nos. 33-4.
	No. 1273, dated 22nd June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Raverty, 3rd B. N. I.	Ditto	Returns the memorial inasmuch as the facts of his case, together with his defence, are already before the Government.	

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2355	No. 1556. dated 5th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scheme for the establishment of a School of Medicine and Surgery at Lahore.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No 40, dated the 19th April 1858, regarding the proposed scheme for the establishment of a School of Medicine and Surgery at Lahore, intimates that the Governor-General will immediately ask the sanction of the Court of Directors to the measure, but, in the meantime, conveys sanction to the appointment of a Chemical Examiner, subject to the approval of the Hon'ble Court. Adds that a copy of the remarks on the inadequate pay given to Native Doctors has been referred to Military Department.	Progs. for the week ending 26th June 1858— Nos. 41—3.
	No. 1278, dated 22nd June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Electric Telegraphs in India.	Chemical Examiner appointed. Ditto Selection of an officer for post of Chemical Examiner.	Enquires whether he can recommend any one, in or out of the service, for the post of Chemical Examiner in the Punjab, salary Rs. 500.	
	No. 1279, dated 22nd June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Dr C. Smith, Civil Surgeon, Lahore.	Ditto	With reference to his letter dated the 14th April 1858, forwards a copy of the preceding letter from Government, intimates the measures taken for obtaining a Chemical Examiner.	
2356	No. *Nil*, dated 16th June 1858 ... From—Mr. Philips, Postmaster, Fatehgarh. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation for losses sustained at Delhi.	Submits a claim for compensation for losses sustained at Delhi during the mutiny.	Nos. 44-5.
	No. 1280, dated 23rd June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Philips, Postmaster, Fatehgarh.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Philips that as soon as arrangements are made for investigating claims for compensation, his case will be referred for enquiry.	
2357	No 167, dated 26th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States, To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Contributions to Muhammadan and Hindu religious institutions.	In reply to circular No. 14, dated the 11th May 1858, states that Government officers have no concern whatever with Native religious institutions and neither receive nor disburse money on account of them, except in one instance where the Deputy Commissioner of Ambala has had to assume charge of the proceeds from offerings to a Muhammadan tomb. Annexes copy of letter from that officer detailing particulars of the case.	Nos. 55½-6.
	No. 1285, dated 23rd June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, requests that the Deputy Commissioner may be moved to dispose of the case as speedily as possible, as the arrangement mentioned in the preceding is objectionable and open to still further misconstruction.	
2358	No. 66, dated 16th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to Circular No. 14, dated the 11th May 1858, annexes a statement of sums paid through the agency of Government officers for religious institutions, Hindu and Muhammadan.	Nos. 64-5.
	No. 1291, dated 24th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	In reply, calls for an abstract history of each of the cases.	

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2359	No. *Nil*, dated 18th June 1858 ... From—Captain Nicolls, Major of Brigade, Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation for losses sustained by Captain Nicolls at Delhi.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Mr. E. H. Longden and forwards a schedule of losses sustained by him at Delhi on or subsequent to the 11th May 1857.	Progs. for the week ending 26th June 1858— Nos. 68—70.
	No. 1293, dated 24th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Nicolls, Delhi.	Ditto	In reply, informs Captain Nicolls that his case will be taken into consideration as soon as arrangements are made in the Punjab for the investigation of claims.	
2360	No. 1642, dated 10th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Commissioners of Divisions to investigate claims for compensation.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 82, dated the 31st May 1858, and conveys the Governor-General's approval of the proposal to appoint Commissioners of Divisions to perform the duty of enquiring into claims for compensation, provided that the reports be condensed by some officer at Lahore previous to submission to Government.	Nos. 77—9.
	No. 17—1297, dated 24th June 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	Circulates a copy of the preceding and issues detailed instructions for carrying out the orders of Government.	
2361	No. 292, dated 16th June 1858 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rewards proposed for certain individuals for good services during the disturbances at Madhopur.	Forwards, for sanction, a statement of rewards, aggregating Rs. 1,290, proposed by the Deputy Commissioner of Gurdaspur for 21 individuals, for good services during the late disturbances at Madhopur.	Nos. 86-7.
	No. 1303, dated 25th June 858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, communicates sanction to the rewards proposed above.	
2362	No. *Nil*, dated 21st June 1858 ... From—Lieutenant G. F. M. Phillips, 6th P. I., Jhelum. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims to compensation for certain losses.	Submits two claims for compensation, one for loss of baggage and camp equipage, amounting Rs. 1,450, and the other on account of a charger which was killed at Agra in the action of the 5th July 1857, amounting Rs. 600.	Nos. 93—5.
	No. 1308, dated 25th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—H. E. Longden, Esq.	Ditto	Transfers the claims received with the preceding for investigation.	
	No. 1309, dated 25th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant G. F. M. Phillips.	Ditto	Informs Lieutenant Phillips that the papers connected with his claims for compensation have been transferred to Mr. Longden for disposal, as the losses occurred within the limits of the North-Western Provinces.	

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2363	No. 1316, dated 26th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division	Claims for succour under Government Notification, dated 13th November 1857.	Enquires whether any claims for succour under the Government notification, dated the 13th November 1857, remain with him under consideration and, if so, requests they may be submitted as early as possible.	Progs. for the week ending 26th June 1858— Nos. 109-110.
	No. 1317, dated 26th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that the bills for succour received with his letter No. 36, dated the 14th June 1858, have been countersigned and forwarded to the Civil Auditor. If any more bills for succour remain under consideration in his office, he is desired to submit them as early as possible.	
2364	No. 102, dated 16th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Contributions to Hindu and Muhammadan religious institutions. Interference with shrines discontinued.	In reply to circular No. 14, dated 11th May 1858, submits copies of correspondence regarding expenditure of proceeds from shrines and states that, under instructions from the Financial Commissioner, all interference on the part of Government officials with these institutions has ceased.	Nos. 111-14.
	No. 1318, dated 26th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, requests the Commissioner to report the circumstances under which the proceeds of three shrines in the Hoshiarpur District came to be leased out by Government officers.	
2365	No. 227, dated 7th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to Cthe hief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims for compensation for losses sustained by parties in the Delhi Territory.	Suggests that either a special officer be appointed or that Mr. Longden be empowered to investigate claims for compensation for losses sustained by parties in the Delhi Territory preferred under the recent orders of Government. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 112.
2366	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd June 1858 .. From—Major J. C. Innes. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation claimed for losses sustained by the regimental institutions of the late 6th Regiment N. I.	Submits bills for compensation for losses sustained by the regimental institutions of the late 6th Regiment N. I. during the recent mutiny, and also the bill of Captain Somervill of the above corps for compensation for property carried off by the Jullundur mutineers.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd July 1858— Nos. 5—8.
	No. 1321, dated 28th June 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards for investigation two bills received with the preceding.	
	No 1322, dated 28th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major Innes.	Ditto	Refers Major Innes to the notification which appeared in the *Punjab Gazette*, dated the 23rd June 1858, and in the local newspapers, regarding claims to compensation, and states that the bills received from him have been forwarded to Major Lake, Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	

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2367	No. *Nil*, dated 19th June 1858 ... From—Mr. J. D. Lyne, Delhi To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation for loss of property.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter dated the 16th June 1858, states that his claim to compensation for loss of property at Delhi was submitted through Mr. LeBas.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd July 1858— Nos. 11—13.
	No. 1324, dated 28th June 1858 . From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. J. D. Lyne, Delhi.	Ditto	In reply informs Mr. Lyne that no details of the property lost by him have been received in this office, but refers him to the Commissioner of the Delhi Division who will, under the recent notification, investigate his claim.	
	No. 1325, dated 28th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2368	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd June 1858 . From—Colonel Murray, Commanding 87th Royal Irish Fusiliers. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation for loss of mess stores.	Submits a claim for compensation for mess stores lost in transit from Messrs Wilson & Co., Calcutta, during the late disturbances.	Nos. 18—20.
	No. 1328, dated 29th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Transfers, for investigation, the claim received with the preceding, as the exact place of the losses is not known and the regiment is stationed at Jullundur.	
	No. 1329, dated 29th June 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Colonel Murray.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for information.	
2369	No. 2967, dated 21st June 1858 ... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims for compensation.	Forwards, for disposal, bills for compensation submitted by Lieut. E. G. Higgens, late 3rd B. N. I., at Phillour.	Nos. 24—6.
	No. 1331, dated 29th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards, for investigation, the papers received with the preceding.	
	No. 1332, dated 29th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Higgens.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for information.	
2370	No. 292, dated 9th June 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Additional establishments in the Department of Public Instruction.	In continuation of letter No. 110, dated the 6th March 1854, submits a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, with a statement of the additional establishments sanctioned not only during the quarter ending 30th April 1858 but also up to close of the year 1857-58.	Nos. 27—30.
	No. 389—1333, dated 29th June 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No 149, dated the 15th March 1858, submits a return of additional educational establishments sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner up to the close of 1857-8.	
	No. 1334, dated 29th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for information.	

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2371	No. 43 dated 10th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reward for Mir Khan, Chowkidar of Isapur, who helped Mr. Nunn's family.	In continuation of letter No. 35, dated the 14th June 1858, forwards copy of a letter bringing to notice the conduct of Mir Khan, a Chowkidar of the Isapur village, who steadily denied the fact of Mr. Nunn's family being secreted in the village, though threatened by the Shahzada Muhammad Azim with loss of life. Recommends the bestowal of a reward of Rs. 250 or Rs. 300 on Mir Khan for his loyal conduct.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd July 1858— Nos. 35—7.
	No. 1337, dated 30th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	In reply informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner considers a reward of Rs. 100 sufficient and accordingly authorizes the payment of that sum to Mir Khan.	
2372	No. 105, dated 19th June 1858 .. From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disbursement of pay to the disarmed right wing 4th N. I.	Submits a copy of a letter from Major Wilkie, stating that the right wing of the 4th N. I. have been paid regularly since the surrender of their arms, and solicits instructions regarding future payments.	Nos 41-2.
	No. 1339, dated 30th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto One month's pay to be kept in arrears.	In reply authorizes the pay of the right wing of the 4th N. I. being issued to them regularly so as to remain in arrears a single month only.	
2373	No. 1757, dated 18th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Suppression of mutinous plot in the wing of the 4th Regiment N. I. at Hoshiarpur.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1021, dated the 25th May 1858, regarding a plot in the disarmed wing of the 4th Regiment N. I. at Hoshiarpur to murder their officers, and communicates the Governor-General's cordial acknowledgments of the services rendered by Mr. Simson and Lieutenant Paske in frustrating the plot by their prompt and decisive measures.	Nos. 46-7.
	No. 1341, dated 30th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No 997, dated the 20th May 1858, forwards a copy of the preceding for information and communication to the officers concerned.	
2374	No. 782, dated 19th May 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation claimed by Colonel Greathed, D.A.G., H. M's. Forces, Bombay, for loss occasioned by the mutineers.	Forwards, for disposal, a claim to compensation from Colonel Greathed, D. A. G., H. M's. Forces, Bombay, for loss occasioned by the mutineers.	Nos. 48—50.
	No. 1342, dated 30th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards, for investigation and report, papers received with the preceding.	
	No. 1343, dated 1st July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Colonel Greathed.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	

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2375	No. 344, dated 1st July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Compensation claimed for loss of regimental and band property preferred by the Officer Commanding 35th N. I.	With reference to notification in the *Punjab Gazette* of the 23rd June 1858, forwards, for investigation and report, claims preferred by the Officer Commanding 35th N. I. to compensation for regimental and band property destroyed during the mutiny at Sialkot.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd July 1858— No. 51.
2376	No. 1345, dated 1st July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Claim to compensation for losses during the late disturbances.	With reference to notification in the *Punjab Gazette*, forwards, for investigation and report, claims preferred by several individuals to compensation on account of losses caused by the late disturbances.	No. 52.
2377	No. 1346, dated 1st July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	With reference to notification in the *Punjab Gazette*, forwards, for investigation and report, papers connected with claims to compensation preferred by Captain Davies, Brigadier Hartley and Colonel Sandeman on account of property destroyed or lost during the disturbances.	No. 53.
2378	No. 1749, dated 18th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Lawrence Asylum at Sanawar taken over by Government. Placed under control of the Educational Department.	Forwards extract (paragraphs 3 and 4) from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, authorizing the assumption of the charge by Government of the Lawrence Asylum at Sanawar and its maintenance at the public expense and intimating that Mr. Parker will continue undisturbed in his present office, but the Asylum will be placed under the control of the Educational Department. Instructions should be issued to Mr. Arnold to proceed to Sanawar and acquaint himself fully with the present rules for admission of children, the management of the institution, cost of existing establishment, etc., and to submit a report suggesting such change as he may think requisite.	Nos. 55-6.
	No. 1348, dated 1st July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Director of Public Instruction.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information and guidance, and requests him to visit Sanawar as soon as practicable and in communication with the Revd. Mr. Parker, to submit the report called for by the Supreme Government. Communicates detailed instructions.	
	No. 1349, dated 1st July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
	Nos. 1350-51, dated 1st July 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab, and the Revd. Mr. Parker.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding Government letter.	

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2379	No. 390, dated 21st June 1858 ... From—Captain Athay, Commanding Artillery Depôt, Meerut. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sergeant Begley's claim to compensation for loss incurred at Delhi.	Submits claim to compensation for losses incurred at Delhi on the 11th May 1857 preferred by Sergeant James Begley who has been invalided.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd July 1858— Nos. 83-4.
	No. 1372, dated 2nd July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Athay, Commanding Artillery Depôt, Meerut.	Ditto	Informs Captain Athay that the papers received with the preceding have been sent to the Commissioner of the Delhi Division for investigation.	
2380	No. 148, dated 18th June 1858 ... From—Colonel H. Forster, C.B. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation for losses at Delhi.	Submits his claim to compensation for losses sustained at Delhi in 1857.	Nos. 85-6.
	No. 1373, dated 2nd July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Colonel H. Forster, C.B.	Ditto	In reply informs Colonel Forster that the papers connected with his claim have been sent to the Commissioner of the Delhi Division, for investigation.	
2381	No. 1284, dated 17th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Direct steam communication between Karachi and Suez.	Forwards a copy of a letter addressed by him to the Government of Bombay and an extract from a letter from Mr. J. Ritchie, Superintendent, Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company, on the subject of direct steam communication between Karachi and Suez.	Nos. 94—6.
	No. 1378, dated 3rd July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	In reply, conveys Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments for the correspondence received with the preceding. Comments upon the benefits both to the public and the Government which would result if direct steam communication were established between Suez and Karachi, and expresses the Chief Comissioner's hope that the experiment may be fully and fairly tried by some private company.	
2382	No. 371, dated 21st June 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of the Bible into Gevernment schools.	Submits a copy of a letter and memorandum received from Mr. W. D. Arnold, Director of Public Instruction, expressive of his strong dissent from the views of those who advocate the introduction of the Bible into the Government schools of India. Communicates his own opinion in the matter, differing with Mr. Arnold's views, and recommending the introduction of the Bible.	Nos. 105—108
	No. 123—1383, dated 3rd July 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 720, dated the 1st April 1858, regarding the policy of the British Government in relation to Christianity in India, submits with the Chief Commissioner's arguments for the adoption of the measure, copies of the preceding and its enclosures.	
2383	No. 2233, dated 22nd June 1858 ... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grants to destitute families.	Forwards for information and guidance an extract from proceedings in the Financial Department, authorizing grants to destitute families of persons who though they did not lose their lives in consequence of the mutinies have died after the loss of all or nearly all their property by the mutinies. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 111-12.

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2384	No. 224, dated 26th June 1858 ... From—The Superintendent, Hill Roads. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed sale of Hill Road Wagon Train	Referring to letter No. 888, dated the 6th May 1858, submits a copy of a letter from Mr. Fleming, cancelling correspondence relative to proposed purchase of the Hill Road Wagon Train. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 3rd July 1858— Nos. 114-17.
	No. 225, dated 26th June 1858 ... From—The Superintendent, Hill Roads. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No 1194, dated the 15th June 1858, submits a copy of a letter to Mr Wallace, furnishing him with information regarding the disposal of the Hill Road Wagon Train and tolls. MEMO.—OFFICE.	
2385	No. 2006, dated 9th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tea cultivation in the Kangra Valley.	In continuation of letter No. 228, dated the 25th April 1856, forwards a copy of a report from the Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, North-Western Provinces, on tea cultivation in the Kangra Valley, with a copy of the reply thereto. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 118-19.
2386	No. 307, dated 18th June 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Relief fund intended for all races and creeds.	Submits copies of a circular addressed to all Deputy Commissioners, with annexure, to the effect that the benefits of the Relief Fund are intended for all classes who have suffered by the mutinies of whatever race or creed. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 120.
2387	No. 181, dated 22nd June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Suspension of vaccination in plains from April to October.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No 121, dated the 17th June 1858, explains that, in the plains, vaccination is suspended from April to October, as the operation does not succeed during those months MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 121.
2388	No. 294, dated 25th June 1858 .. From—The Postmaster-General, North Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rest houses on the Grand Trunk Road required for European soldiers and their families.	Submits copies of correspondence regarding the erection of rest houses on the Grand Trunk Road for the accommodation of European soldiers and their families travelling by bullock train.	Progs. for the week ending 10th July 1858— Nos. 8—11.
	Nos. 1387—90, dated 6th July 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Lahore Division, Trans-Sutlej States, Cis-Sutlej States and Delhi Division.	Ditto Existing police chowkies and serais to be made available for the purpose.	It having been brought to the notice of the Chief Commissioner that the families of European soldiers proceeding towards Delhi by bullock train are subjected to much inconvenience and suffering from exposure to the sun, owing to want of shelter along the road, the Chief Commissioner directs that positive orders be issued that all the Police chowkies and serais along the Grand Trunk Road be made available for their accommodation whenever they may wish to take shelter therein. Desires that particular attention may be paid to this matter.	
	No. 1391, dated 6th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All other Commissioners.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for information.	

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2388—*concl'*.	No. 1392 dated 6th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Rest houses on the Grand Turnk Road required for European soldiers and their families.	Requests the Chief Engineer to issue orders that all Road chowkies along the Grand Trunk Road between Lahore and Delhi are to be made available for the accommodation of the families of European soldiers whenever they may require to take shelter therein. Also desires that officers of every grade be informed that they are expected to render all the aid they can in cases of this description.	Progs. for the week ending 10th July 1858— Nos. 4—11.
	No. 1393, dated 6th July 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— he Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Informs the Postmaster-General that the Chief Commissioner has issued instructions for all the Road and Police chowkies and serais along the line to be made available for the accommodation of the families of European soldiers.	
2389	No. *Nil*, dated 28th June 1858 ... From—A. Skinner, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation on behalf of the Skinner estate.	Applies for a copy of the claim for compensation said to have been presented by Major James Skinner on behalf of the present shareholders of the estate of the late Colonel James Skinner, and requests that in the event of the amount claimed or a portion of it being sanctioned, it may not be made over to Colonel Skinner without his knowledge.	Nos. 12—14.
	No. 1394, dated 6th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests that Mr. A Skinner may be supplied with the information he requires.	
	No. 1395, dated 6th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—A Skinner, Esq.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
2390	No. 1908, dated 28th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rewards to certain persons for affording assistance to Lieutenant Thomason and a party of fugitives.	Requests submission of papers forming entries 7 and 8 of general abstract of proceedings ending 5th June 1858, regarding rewards to certain persons for affording assistance to Lieutenant Thomason and a party of fugitives during their escape from Delhi in May 1857, and enquires why his office was not addressed on the subject.	Nos. 32-3.
	No. 130—1404, dated 7th July 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply submits copies of papers in question and explains that it was through inadvertence that the letter was not addressed to his office.	
2391	No. *Nil*. dated 29th June 1858 ... From—The Officiating Roman Catholic Bishop of Agra. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation for damage to Mission Chapel and Priest's house at Delhi.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter dated the 22nd June 1858, submits a copy of the missing bill for damage done to the Priest's house at Delhi and enquires whether the two bills for compensation are to be retained in the Chief Commissioner's office for adjustment. If not, requests they may be returned, and adds that as the Chapel at Delhi was built at the expense of the Mission, he will retain and repair it without any aid from the Department of Public Works.	Nos. 39—41.

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2391—*concld.*	No. 1408, dated 7th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Compensation for damage to Mission Chapel and Priest's house at Delhi.	Forwards, for consideration, bills received from the Revd. Father Lewis at Agra, claiming compensation on account of damage done to property of the Agra Catholic Mission during the mutiny at Delhi.	Progs. for the week ending 10th July 1858— Nos. 39—41.
	No. 1409, dated 7th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Revd. Father Lewis.	Ditto	Informs him that although the claims submitted by him cannot be admitted as claims for succour, they may be allowed as claims for compensation, and with this view have been forwarded to the Comimssioner of the Delhi Division for investigation, to whom he should address all further communications on the subject.	
2392	No. 124, dated 1st July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Succour granted to Mr. Rennells.	Submits a bill for Rs. 200 for succour to Mr. Rennells, and requests that it may be countersigned and sent to the Civil Auditor, the original having been lost.	Nos. 42-3,
	No. 1410, dated 7th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards "succour" certificate for audit.	
2393	No. 104, dated 19th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Distinguishing marks on timber from Chamba.	Forwards, for orders, copy of Mr. Arratoon's letter regarding distinguishing marks proposed to be made on timber from the Chamba Forest which the Raja has promised to make over to Mr. Arratoon.	Nos. 48-9.
	No. 1413, dated 8th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, refers to letter No. 466, dated the 6th July 1858, requesting that the arrangements entered into between the Chamba Chief and Mr. Arratoon may be cancelled, with reference to the prohibition issued by the supreme Government in 1856.	
2394	No. *Nil*, dated 30th June 1858 ... From—Mr. C. H. Voss ... To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation for loss of property.	With reference to notification in the *Delhi Gazette*, on the subject of compensation, enquires whether having already submitted his claim to Mr. Le Bas, and received "succour" money, he is required to submit a fresh claim to the Commissioner of the Delhi Division, and whether it is now necessary to give a detailed list of the property lost by him, this not having been done in the first instance.	Nos. 60-61.
	No. 1420, dated 9th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. C. H. Voss.	Ditto	In reply, refers Mr. Voss to the Commissioner of the Delhi Division for the information he requires.	
2395	No. 122, dated 3rd June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims to compensation.	In accordance with the request contained in letter No. 1316, dated the 26th June 1858, submits for the Chief Commissioner's sanction a batch of bills for claims to compensation, which are all that remained to be reported.	Nos. 67—69½.

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2395—*concld*	No. 1423, dated 9th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Claims to compensation.	Forwards, countersigned, "succour" certificate for adjustment.	Progs. for the week ending 10th July 1858— Nos. 67—69½.
	No. 1424, dated 9th July 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that the bills, with two exceptions, have been countersigned and sent to the Civil Auditor.	
2396	No. 311, dated 19th June 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Daily attendance of scholars in the Government tahsili schools.	In continuation of letter No. 199, dated the 16th April 1858, forwards a copy of a statement received from the Director of Public Instruction, showing the daily attendance of scholars at the Government tahsili schools throughout the Punjab for the quarter ending 30th April 1858. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 88-9.
2397	No. 88, dated 16th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Supply of petroleum to Messrs. Price & Co., England, for experimental purposes.	With reference to letter No. 123, dated the 29th September 1857, submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Jhelum, enclosing copy of one from Messrs. Price and Co., Candle manufacturers, requesting to be supplied with from 10 to 20 tons of petroleum with which to make experiments on a large scale. Mentions quantity yielded by the springs at Jaba annually and the cost of delivering 6 tons at Shahpur.	Progs. for the week ending 17th July 1858— Nos. 11-12.
	No. 1436, dated 12th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner, thinks that 3 tons of petroleum will be sufficient for further experiments by Messrs. Price and Co., and requests him to arrange for the despatch of that quantity to England.	
2398	No. 2307, dated 29th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Payment of interest on the Nabha Loan of 1848-49.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 192, dated the 30th March 1858, soliciting sanction to the payment of interest on the Nabha Loan of 1848-49 at the original rate of 5 per cent. from 1st January 1858, forwards a copy of a resolution in the Financial Department, sanctioning the above proposal.	Nos. 13—15.
	No. 1437, dated 12th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above for information.	
2399	No. *Nil*, dated 2nd July 1858 ... From—Messrs. Robinson, Balfour & Co. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Mrs. Mary Smith for compensation.	Intimates that they have a claim for compensation on behalf of Mrs. Mary Smith, widow of the late Lieutenant H. Smith, 14th B. N. I., amounting to Rs. 6,000 for losses caused by the mutiny at Jhelum, and enquires to whom they are to submit it.	Nos. 21-2.
	No. 1441, dated 13th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Messrs. Robinson, Balfour & Co.	Ditto	In reply, states that the claim should be forwarded to the Commissioner of the Jhelum Division, and refers them to notifications on the subject which will be found in the newspapers of the mofussil and in the Gazette.	

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2400	No. 2003, dated 7th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Mr. J Murphy as an Extra Assistant.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 72, dated the 20th May 1858, conveys sanction to the appointment of Mr. J. Murphy as an Extra Assistant of the 1st class, in the Delhi Territory, on a salary of Rs. 600 per month. (NOTE—Mr. Murphy acted as Interpreter at the trial of the King of Delhi).	Progs. for the week ending 17th July 1858— Nos. 30—34.
	No. 1447, dated 14th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—J. C. Murphy, Esq., Collector of Customs, Delhi.	Ditto	Communicates to Mr. Murphy the contents of the preceding and states that the Chief Commissioner has been pleased to post him to the Delhi District.	
	Nos. 1448-49, dated 15th July 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division and the Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for their information.	
	No. 1450, dated 15th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of Customs, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	The supreme Government having appointed Mr. Murphy, at present Collector of Customs at Delhi, as a 1st class Extra Assistant in the Delhi Territory, the Chief Commissioner desires that Mr. Murphy may be relieved of his present duties as soon as practicable.	
2401	No. 93, dated 3rd July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Question whether the village of Mullah-i-Tollah near Attock is subject to civil or military jurisdiction.	Submits for orders, a copy of a letter from Major-General Sir Sydney Cotton, Commanding Peshawar Division and of one from the Deputy Commissioner of Rawalpindi, regarding the question whether Mullah-i-Tollah, a village close to the Attock Fort, is to be subject to civil or military jurisdiction.	Nos.
	No. 1458, dated 15th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Sir Sydney Cotton, Commanding Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Informs Sir Sydney Cotton that the Chief Commissioner would prefer that the military jurisdiction at Attock should be restricted to the walls of the Fort itself. The wishes of the military authorities to keep clear a certain area round the walls could be met without the village being made over to them. Explains the objections to the measures proposed by the military authorities and the confusion likely to follow its adoption, but expresses the Chief Commissioner's willingness to refer the matter to the decision of the supreme Government.	
	No. 1459, dated 15th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests that the transfer of the land may remain in abeyance for the present. Also desires that he will arrange for the demarcation of boundaries of the Campbellpur Cantonment as soon as possible.	

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2402	No. 3155, dated 3rd July 1858 ... From—The Officiating Deputy Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application from B. Hallett, late of Customs Department, for compensation for loss of property during outbreak at Delhi.	Submits, for disposal, an application from Mr. B. Hallett, late of the Customs Department, North-Western Provinces, for compensation for loss of property during the outbreak at Delhi and Hissar, amounting to Rs. 1,060.	Progs. for the week ending 17th July 1858— Nos. 62—4.
	No. 1464, dated 15th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards papers received with the preceding for investigation and report.	
	No. 1465, dated 15th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. B. Hallett, London.	Ditto	Informs Mr. Hallett that his claim has been referred to the Commissioner of the Delhi Division for investigation.	
2403	No. 1723, dated 14th June 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Qualifications of young civilians appointed by competition under the new rules.	(Missing) ...	Nos. 65-6.
	No. 149—1466, dated 15th June 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, reports on Messrs. Parkins, C. N. Aitchison, Jones and Thornton. The Chief Commissioner is of opinion that the new system answers admirably, but suggests reduction of age for arrival in India from 23 to 20.	
2404	No. 714, dated 3rd July 1858 ... From—The Director of Public Instruction, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Taking over by Government of the Lawrence Asylum, Sanawar.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1348, dated the 1st July 1858, states that he will be at Sanawar on the 10th idem to visit the Lawrence Asylum previous to making the report required by Government.	Nos. 84-5.
	No. 1474—1479, dated 16th July 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Rules for nomination of pupils.	With reference to letter No. 1749, dated the 18th June 1858, remarks that it now seems requisite, in order to avoid embarrassment to the Director of Public Instruction in the preparation of his report on the Lawrence Asylum, that it should be determined what rules should be observed in the nomination of pupils to the Institution. Solicits orders of Government on the subject at an early date.	

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2405	No. 259, dated 30th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Payment of compensation to the father of the late Mr W. L. Benn, for loss of property belonging to the deceased.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 887, dated the 3rd June 1858, forwards a copy of a letter from Mr. Egerton, Deputy Commissioner of Delhi, with annexures, and recommends that £200 be paid to the father of the late Mr. W. L. Benn for loss of property belonging to the deceased.	Progs. for the week ending 17th July 1858— Nos. 93—5.
	No. 1484, dated 17th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Returns papers received with the preceding for resubmission under the recent compensation rules, and meanwhile desires that £50 be remitted to Mr. Benn' father in Ireland as "succour money" together with a copy of the correspondence in the case.	
	No. 1485, dated 17th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
2406	No. *Nil*, dated 27th June 1858 ... From—Doctor Batson, late 74th Native Infantry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation for property lost at Delhi.	Submits claim for compensation for property lost at Delhi on the 11th May 1857, amounting to Rs. 15,330.	Nos. 96—8.
	No. 1486, dated 17th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards papers received with the preceding, for investigation.	
	No. 1487, dated 17th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Doctor Batson.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
2407	No. 119, dated 13th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	W. Arratoon's timber contract with Chamba.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1413, dated the 8th July 1858 intimates that the letter regarding cancellation of Mr. Arratoon's agreement with the Raja of Chamba for the purchase of timber has not yet reached him. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 99.
2408	No. *Nil*, dated 13th July 1858 ... From—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prepayment of letters from India to the United Kingdom.	Forward for information, a postal notice regarding the abolition of the optional system of prepayment of letters from India to the United Kingdom from the 1st September 1857. MEMO.—OFFICE.	
2409	No. 118, dated 10th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Good behaviour of the right wing of the 4th Native Infantry at Nurpur.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1339, dated the 30th June 1858, submits a copy of a letter from Colonel Wilkie bringing to notice the zeal with which the men of the right wing at Nurpur do their duty and reporting that he has armed a limited number.	Progs. for the week ending 24th July 1858— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 156—1489, dated 19th July 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the preceding, and observes that Colonel Wilkie has managed the right wing of his regiment very judiciously and the Chief Commissioner confides in his ability to keep the men in a right course.	

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2410	No. 1963, dared 3rd July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Assistant Surgeon A. M. Dallas of the 4th Native Infantry appointed Superintendent, Central Jail, Lahore.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 343, dated the 11th June 1857, sanctions the appointment of Assistant Surgeon A. M. Dallas, of the 4th Native Infantry as Superintendent, Central Jail, Lahore, on a salary of Rs. 600 per month on probation for one year.	Progs. for the week ending 24th July 1858— Nos. 5—8.
	No. 1490, dated 19th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Assistant Surgeon A. M. Dallas.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, and requests him, with the permission of his Commanding Officer, to proceed at once to join his appointment.	
	Nos. 1491-92, dated 19th July 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forward copies of the preceding.	
2411	No. 116, dated 9th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lease of certain shrines in the Hoshiarpur District.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1318, dated the 26th June 1858, reports the circumstances under which certain shrines in the Hoshiarpur District were leased under orders of Government officers, and communicates his observations and remarks thereon.	Nos. 13—15.
	No. 1496, dated 20th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and asks for his opinion on the subject.	
2412	No. *Nil*, dated 17th July 1858 ... From—Lieutenant W. H. Gresson, H. M.'s 27th Regiment. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation for losses occasioned by the mutiny.	Submits his claim to compensation for losses occasioned by the mutiny at Sialkot, amounting Rs. 920.	Nos. 27—9.
	No. 1504, dated 20th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Forwards papers received with the preceding for investigation and report.	
	No. 1505, dated 20th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Gresson.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
2413	No. 94, dated 8th July 1858 ... From—Captain T. Dennehy, Commanding, Allahabad Division Military Police. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Resaldar Salloo Singh's claim to compensation for losses during mutinies.	Forwards a petition from Salloo Singh, Resaldar of the 17th Troop, Military Police, soliciting compensation for his losses during the mutinies, and states that as the Resaldar and his brothers have been doing excellent service, he recommends their claims to favourable consideration.	Nos. 33—5.
	No. 1508, dated 21st July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Forwards papers received with the preceding, for investigation and report.	

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2413—*contd.*	No. 1509, dated 21st July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain T. Dennehy, Commanding, Allahabad Military Police.	Resaldar Salloo Singh's claim to compensation for losses during mutinies.	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for information.	Progs. for the week endign 24th July 1858— Nos. 33-5.
2414	No. 115, dated 8th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims to "succour" prepared by the Civil Auditor for loss of property.	Submits for countersignature statements of claims to "succour" prepared by the Civil Auditor for loss of property consequent on the mutiny in Sialkot and submits original papers relating to those claims. Adds that there are a few more claims under consideration, which will be reported as soon as the enquiries in regard to them are completed.	Nos. 62—4.
	No. 1526, dated 22nd July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, for adjustment, the "succour" certificates received with the preceding, duly countersigned.	
	No. 1527, dated 22nd July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that the "succour" bills received with the preceding have been passed and sent to Civil Auditor, except in certain cases wherein further explanation is required.	
2415	No. *Nil*, dated 6th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary, Punjab Special Fund. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disbursements from the Relief Fund during June 1858.	In continuation of letter dated the 4th June 1858, forwards a statement of disbursements from the Fund during June 1858.	Nos. 74-5.
2416	No. 232, dated 29th June 1858 .. From—The Superintendent, Hill Roads. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed sale of Hill Roads Wagon train.	In continuation of letter No. 225, dated the 26th June 1858, submits a letter (in original) from Mr. S. Wallace, offering Rs 12,500 for the stock of the Hill Roads Wagon train and an annual rental of Company's Rs. 3,000 for the Tolls on lease.	Nos. 83—5.
	No. 244, dated 7th July 1858 ... From—The Superintendent, Hill Roads. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Explains that he omitted certain points on the preceding which appear to require consideration before Mr. Wallace's offer can be accepted, *i.e.*, in regard to the conveyance of soldiers and military stores by the Wagon train, and suggests that Mr. Wallace should be required to conform to the existing regulations and be bound to supply carriage as heretofore.	
	No. 1536, dated 23rd July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Hill Roads.	Ditto	In reply, requests the Superintendent to ascertain and report whether Mr. Wallace will accept the conditions mentioned and points out the desirableness of his completing his enquiries on all points before he submits his final proposals, as much time and unnecessary delay would thus be saved.	

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2417	No. 268, dated 6th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges against Mr C. H. Richardes, Deputy Commissioner of Panipat.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1165, dated the 11th June 1858, reports the result of the investigation made into charges preferred against Mr. C. H. Richardes, Deputy Commissioner of Panipat.	Progs. for the week ending 24th July 1858— Nos. 90—2.
	No. 1539, dated 24th July 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments for the care, diligence and attention with which the investigation has been carried out, and directs the Commissioner to suspend Mr. Richardes pending the final orders of Government. Also orders the suspension of Sheodyal Singh, Extra Assistant, for three months, during which time persons who may have complaints against him can come forward. If any such complaints are proved, a report should be submitted, but otherwise, on the expiry of three months, the Extra Assistant should be reinstated. Also conveys instructions regarding the disposal of certain officials at Karnal, and of the property of Hamid Ali Khan.	
2418	No. 1544, dated 24th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, with Governor-General.	Ditto	Submits papers relating to the conduct of Mr. C. J. H. Richardes, Deputy Commissioner of Panipat-Karnal, together with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation for the reduction and removal of Mr. Richardes and the suspension of Sheodyal Singh, Extra Assistant.	Nos. 97-8.
2419	No 2012, dated 7th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Services performed by Civil Officers during the crisis of 1857.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 87, dated the 3rd June 1858, states that the information already furnished regarding the services performed by Civil Officers during the crisis of 1857 is considered sufficient, and no further report need be submitted.	No. 106.
2420	No. 52, dated 5th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims for "succour."	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1317, dated the 26th June 1858, states that there are no more claims for "succour" remaining to be disposed of in his office. Memo.—Office.	No. 112.
2421	No. 2446, dated 17th July 1858 ... From—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prepayment of letters to the United Kingdom.	Requests that the enclosed postal notice regarding compulsory payment of letters to the United Kingdom from 1st September 1858 may be inserted in every issue of the *Punjab Gazette* till the end of September 1858. Memo.—Office.	No. 113.
2422	No. 6388-A., dated 19th July 1858 From—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Nominal Returns of European Commissioned Officers and Warrant Medical Officers of the Old Punjab Irregular Force.	Forwards Nominal Returns of the European Commissioned Officers and Warrant Medical Officers of the Old Punjab Irregular Force and the newly raised regiment under the orders of the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab during May 1858. Memo.—Office.	Nos. 114-15.

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2423	No. 1551, dated 26th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Claim to compensation preferred by Geo. Taylor (lately apothecary of Sialkot).	Requests that the necessary steps may be taken to bring the claim to compensation preferred by Mr. Geo. Taylor (lately apothecary of Sialkot) under investigation and report.	Progs. for the week ending 31st July 1858— No. 5.
2424	No. 640, dated 19th July 1858 ... From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims to "succour money."	Solicits special instructions in regard to a certificate admitted by order of Chief Commissioner as "succour money" in favour of Mr. J. S. H. Smith, a clerk in the Delhi Post Office on Rs. 10 per month as the scale at paragraph 1 of the G. O. dated the 20th November 1857 includes only salaries above Rs. 10 per month and does not appear to contemplate the grant of "succour" to parties in the receipt of less.	Nos. 81-2.
	No. 168—1566, dated 27th July 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and recommends that the claim therein mentioned be sanctioned, and that the requisite alteration or addition be made in the wording of the rules for the adjustment of similar claims in future.	
2425	No. 638, dated 19th July 1858 ... From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cost of the Punjab Commission.	Submits a statement showing the cost of the Punjab Commission on the 1st July 1858.	Nos. 86-7.
	No. 170—1568, dated 27th July 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the statement received with the preceding.	
2426	No. 355, dated 9th July 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Permanent educational establishments.	Submits a copy of letter from the Director of Public Instruction, with its enclosures, reporting on the permanent educational establishments recommended by him for the entire Province over which his control extends. The Financial Commissioner communicates his observations and proposes certain modifications and increases of salaries to incumbents in the Educational Department.	Nos. 39—43.
	No. 174—1570, dated 27th July 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits copies of the preceding and of its enclosures. The Chief Commissioner concurs in the recommendations of the Financial Commissioner and solicits sanction to the maximum outlay of Rs. 2 12,484 per annum on account of the fixed establishments of the Educational Department, with effect from 1st May 1858.	
2427	No. 1573, dated 28th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Claim of Mathra Dass, late treasurer of Bijnour, to compensation for loss of property during the mutiny.	Forwards, in original, vernacular papers connected with the claim of Mathra Das, late treasurer of Bijnour, to compensation for loss of property suffered by him during the mutiny in Delhi.	No. 47.

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2428	No. 3776, dated 12th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Control to be exercised by Local Governments over officers in the General Department of Accounts.	Forwards extracts from proceedings in the Financial Department, dated the 12th July 1858, relative to the question of the control to be exercised by Local Governments over the officers in the General Department of Accounts, deciding that that power will be retained by the Supreme Government.	Progs. for the week ending 31st July 1858— Nos.
	Nos. 1589—91, dated 29th July 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To— The Civil Auditor, Punjab. The Accountant, Punjab, and The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding for information.	
2429	No. *Nil*, dated 30th June 1858 ... From—The Secretary, Medical Invalid and General Life Assurance Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation claimed for policies paid on account of holders killed during the mutiny.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's notification, dated the 5th March 1858, submits list of policies now paid by the Association in consequence of the policy holders having been killed during the disturbances and claiming compensation on that account.	Nos. 87-8.
	No. 177—1594, dated 29th July 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and of its annexure and solicits the order of Government on the subject.	
2430	No. *Nil*, dated 24th July 1858 ... From—Syad Ahmad Khan P. S. Amin. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation for loss of property at Delhi.	Submits his claim to compensation for loss of property at Delhi, amounting to Rs. 27,817-6-0.	Nos. 93—5.
	No. 1597, dated 30th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards, for disposal, the claim received with the preceding.	
	No. 1598, dated 30th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Syad Ahmad Khan.	Ditto	Informs Syad Ahmad Khan that his claim has been transferred to the Commissioner of the Delhi Division, for disposal.	
2431	No. 81, dated 12th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Payments made to religious institutions through Government officials.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1291, dated the 24th June 1858, submits abstract history of the cases wherein money is paid through the agency of British officers for the benefits of religious institutions, Hindu or Muhammadan, in the Leiah Division.	Nos. 96—8.
	No. 1599, dated 30th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	In reply, calls for proceedings in three of the cases entered in the statement and observes that the statement has been prepared in a very imperfect manner.	

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2432	No 66, dated 17th July 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rewards to certain Government servants who rendered good services during the mutiny.	In continuation of letter No. 879, dated the 5th April 1858, forwards a copy of a letter, with enclosure, from the Deputy Commissioner of Sirsa, proposing payment of rewards to certain Government servants who rendered good service during the mutiny.	Progs. for the week ending 31st July 1858— Nos. 99—101.
	No. 1600, dated 30th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	In reply, conveys Chief Commissioner's sanction to the payment of the rewards proposed.	
	No. 1600-A, dated 30th July 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the above.	
2433	No. 282, dated 19th July 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disposal of the sale-proceeds of property plundered from Delhi.	With reference to his letter No 268, dated the 6th July 1858, submits copies of two letters from the Deputy Commissioner of Panipat, with their original enclosures, and solicits instructions as to the disposal of the sale-proceeds of the property plundered from Delhi which the Deputy Commissioner from time to time confiscated and put up to auction. Recommends that that officer's proposal to make over the proceeds to the Prize Agents be sanctioned.	Nos. 111-12.
	No. 1605, dated 30th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	In reply, requests the Commissioner to ascertain and report what sum is available on account of the sale-proceeds of the property of Hamid Ali, and directs that all other assets in Mr. Richards' hands be made over to the Prize Agents, but all real property should be kept distinct inasmuch as it does not form part of Prize Property.	
2434	No. 1607, dated 30th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Unsold articles received back from the Paris Exhibition.	With reference to previous letters, forwards a box containing the goods forwarded by Multan merchants to the Paris Exhibition and returned unsold.	No. 114.
2435	No. 131—1609, dated 30th July 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Administration Report of the Punjab for 1856-57 and 1857-58. Special section about Delhi.	Advises despatch by letter mail of the General Administration Report of the Punjab for 1856-57 and 1857-58, with an additional section giving a brief account of the Administration of the Delhi Territory from the recapture of the city to May 1858.	No. 117.
2436	No. 275, dated 14th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Sums paid to Hindu and Muhammadan shrines.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1258, dated the 21st June 1858, submits copies of letters from the Deputy Commissioners of Delhi and Panipat, with statements showing sums paid to Hindu and Muhammadan shrines in their respective districts. Adds that the Deputy Commissioner of Gurgaon has already reported that no such payments have been made in his district.	Nos. 123-24.

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2436—*concld.*	No. 1713, dated 31st July 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division	Sums paid to Hindu and Muhammadan shrines.	Requests the Commissioner to submit a copy of all the different authorities quoted in support of these payments and of any other correspondence relating to them which he may have.	Progs., for the week ending 31st July 1858— Nos. 123-24.
2437	No. 356, dated 10th July 1858 .. From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Educational arrangements for the Delhi territory.	Returns original correspondence received with Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1209, dated the 18th June 1858, and forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, regarding Educational arrangements for the Delhi territory. Concurs in the opinions expressed therein with respect to the number of Inspectors to be appointed and communicates his remarks at length. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 129.
2438	No. 89, dated 18th May 1858 .. From—The Director of Public Instruction. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Educational establishment of the Delhi College and the Delhi Division.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 881, dated the 6th May 1858, submits four memos. regarding the Educational establishment of the Delhi College and the Delhi Division. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 130-34.
2439	No. 89, dated 31st July 1858 ... From—The Director of Public Instruction, North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Scholarships sanctioned for the Delhi College for the year 1857.	In continuation of the preceding and with reference to its concluding paragraph, submits a list of scholarships sanctioned for the Delhi College for the year 1857. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 134*a*-134*b*.
2440	No. 2505, dated 22nd July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rewards to villagers who rendered assistance to Lieutenant Thompson and a party of fugitives during the mutiny.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 315, dated the 31st May 1858, forwards a copy of a Resolution in the Financial Department granting rewards to villagers who rendered assistance to Lieutenant Thompson, Deputy Superintendent, Western Jumna Canal, and a party of fugitives from Delhi during the insurrection.	Progs. for the week ending 7th August 1858— Nos. 3—6.
	No. 1616, dated 2nd August 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent-General of Irrigation, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding in reference to his letter No. 161, dated the 20th May 1858.	
	No. 1617, dated 2nd August 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the foregoing Government letter for information.	
2441	No. 68, dated 20th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mr. Hallett's claim to compensation for loss during the mutiny.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1464, dated the 15th July 1858, suggests that as Mr. Hallett's principal losses occurred at Delhi, his claim to compensation should be made over to the Commissioner of the Delhi Division for investigation.	Nos. 10-11.
	No. 1620, dated 2nd August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	In reply, authorizes him to transfer Mr. Hallett's claim to the Commissioner of the Delhi Division for investigation.	

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2442	No. *Nil*, dated 24th July 1858 ... From—Mr. J. Hearne, late Sergeant-Major, Anarkali Volunteer Corps. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Eligiblity of Anarkali Volunteer Corps for Mutiny Medal.	Enquires whether Punjab order No. 566, dated the 13th July 1858, relative to the distribution of medals to uncovenanted servants who took up arms in defence of the state during the recent revolt is applicable to the numbers of the late Anarkali Volunteer Corps.	Progs. for the week ending 7th August 1858— Nos. 18-19.
	No. 184—1624, dated 2nd August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the preceding and states that although the Chief Commissioner is not sure whether the Supreme Government will confer the medal in this case, yet he would be glad if the Governor-General would consider the Anarkali Volunteers entitled to some honorary distribution.	
2443	No. 51, dated 20th July 1858 ... From—Major-General Sir S. Cotton, Commanding, Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Limits of military jurisdiction in the vicinity of the fort of Attock. Proposed demolition of village Mullah-i-Tola.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1458, dated the 15th July 1858 expresses his views on the question of the determination of the limits of military jurisdiction in the vicinity of the fort of Attock, and advances several arguments for extending the military jurisdiction and demolishing the village of Mullah-i-Tola, which he desires may be submitted for the consideration and orders of Government along with the Committee's report. Promises to submit a sketch map.	Nos. 23—5.
	No. 1626, dated 2nd August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major-General Sir S. Cotton, Commanding Peshawar Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner will be happy to refer the matter for the decision of the supreme Government on receipt of the promised map, but, in the meantime, Chief Commissioner wishes, with the concurrence of Sir Sydney, that the jurisdiction beyond the walls of the Fort should remain with the Civil authorities, as it is at present.	
	No. 1627, dated 2nd August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto Reduction of village buildings.	In continuation of letter No. 1459, dated the 15th July 1858, requests the Commissioner to have a summary valuation made of the buildings in the town of Mullah-i-Tola and the result submitted for the consideration of the Chief Commissioner.	
2444	No. 1642, dated 3rd August 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	*Samadh* to be built in Delhi in memory of Dewan Hari Chand of Kashmir.	Requests the Commissioner to permit the relatives of Dewan Hari Chand, who died of cholera when in command of the Kashmir Contingent before Delhi, to build *Samadh* or cenotaph on the banks of the Jumna on the spot where his body was burned.	No. 18.
2444½	No. 286, dated 21st July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	The crystal and marble thrones in the Delhi Palace.	Submits a memo. giving an account of the crystal and marble thrones in the Diwan-i-Khas and Diwan-i-'Am in the Palace of Delhi, and states that the instructions contained in Chief Commissioner's letter No. 499-E., dated the 19th March 1858, regarding removal of the above, have been carried out.	Nos. 49-50.
	No. 187—1643, dated 4th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits a copy of the preceding and solicits the Governor-General's orders in regard to the disposal of the crystal block and marble platform.	

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2445	No. 191, dated 30th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation to Mr. Wernthal, Band Master, for loss during the mutiny.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ferozepore, submitting a claim for compensation to Mr. Wernthal, Band Master, for loss sustained by the mutiny of the 45th N. I. at that station.	*Progs. for the week ending 7th August 1858*— Nos. 51-2.
	No. 448—1644, dated 4th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	*Ditto* Captain Smith's claim.	*Submits, for consideration and orders,* copies of documents relative to compensation for losses sustained during the mutiny by Captain Smith and Mr. Wernthal, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendations in each case.	
2446	No. *Nil*, dated 1st August 1858 .. From—Lieutenant Forbes, Inspector of Schools, lately attached to 5th Punjab Infantry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation for loss of property at Jhelum.	Submits his claim for compensation for loss of property at Jhelum, on the occasion of the mutiny of the the 14th N. I. and states that the Military Auditor-General refuses to pass it as he (Lieutenant Forbes) is now in civil employ.	Nos. 77-8.
	No. 1681, dated 5th August 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Auditor-General.	Ditto	Forwards, for consideration, the claim received with the preceding. Gives particulars of the case and states that if the Military Auditor-General cannot audit the bill under the Succour Rules, then it can be dealt with by the Civil Government under the Rules for investigation of claims for compensation.	
2447	No. *Nil*, dated 27th July 1858 ... From—Mr. J. Fitzgerald, saddler and boot-maker. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commisisoner, Punjab.	Compensation claimed for losses at Jullundur.	States that about six months before the mutiny, he set up as a saddler, shoemaker, etc., at Jullundur, but on the occurrence of the mutiny there he lost not only his property but even his papers, which prevents his submitting a statement of his losses, but estimates them at Rs. 1,500.	Nos. 88—90.
	No. 1668, dated 6th August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej-States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for investigation and report.	
	No. 1668-A., dated 6th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Fitzgerald.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2448	No. *Nil*, dated 23rd July 1858 ... From—Lieutenant Thomason, Deputy Superintendent, Northern Division G. Canal. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation for loss of property at Delhi.	Submits a claim to compensation for loss of property at Delhi, amounting Rs. 4,212-5-5, less Rs. 1,450 already received.	Nos. 91-2.
	No. 1670, dated 6th August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for investigation and report.	

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2449	No. *Nil*, dated 1st August 1858 ... From—Mr. S. Wallace, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed sale of Hill and Tibet Road Wagon Train and lease of tolls.	Begs to be favoured with a reply to his application submitted more than a month ago through the Superintendent, Hill Roads, for the purchase of the Hill and Tibet Road Wagon Train with the tolls, etc.	Progs. for the week ending 7th August 1858— Nos. 98-9.
	No. 1674, dated 6th August 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. S. Wallace, Simla.	Ditto	In reply, informs Mr. Wallace that Captain Briggs has been desired to place himself in communication with Mr. Wallace for the purpose of discussing certain points in the sale of the Wagon Train which should be considered. Pending the result of the discussion, no final orders can be issued.	
2450	No. 3829, dated 29th July 1858 ... From—The Deputy Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mrs. Meachain's claim to compensation for loss of property in Delhi.	Forwards, for disposal, a claim, amounting to Rs. 500, advanced by a Mrs. F. A H. Meachain for loss of property in the Delhi district.	Nos. 1-5—10.
	No. 1677, dated 7th August 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for investigation and report.	
	No. 1678, dated 7th August 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mrs F. A. H. Meachain.	Ditto	Informs Mrs. Meachain that her claim to compensation has been referred to the Commissioner of the Delhi Division for investigation and that the result will be duly communicated to her.	
2451	No. 1832, dated 26th July 1858 ... From—The Assistant Adjutant-General of the Army. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Captain Hardinge's claim for the loss of a bungalow at Fyzabad.	With reference to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1236, dated the 18th June 1858, forwards a copy of a letter addressed to him by the Military Secretary to the Government of India, intimating that Captain Hardinge's claim for the loss of a bungalow at Fyzabad should be submitted to the officer appointed to receive such claims at Lucknow.	Nos 103-1
	No. 1679, dated 7th August 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Hardinge.	Ditto	Forwards copies of letters No. 1236, dated the 18th June 1858, to the Deputy Adjutant-General and of the preceding for his information.	
2452	No. 365, dated 30th July 1858 ... From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rewards to parties concerned in the capture and destruction of the 26th N. I.	Forwards, for the sanction of Chief Commissioner, a list of rewards distributed by the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar to parties who were concerned in the capture and destruction of the 26th N. I. (which regiment mutinied and fled from Mian Mir in July last) amounting to Rs. 12,490.	Progs. for the week ending 14th August 1858— Nos. 5—7.
	No. 1684, dated 9th August 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys sanction to the payment of the sum mentioned in the preceding, and returns original list.	
	No. 1685, dated 9th August 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	

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2453	No. 2395, dated 26th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Lieutenant Holroyd as Inspector of Schools in Delhi.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 108, dated the 18th June 1858, conveys sanction to the appointment of Lieutenant Holroyd as Inspector of Schools in the Delhi territory, on probation for one year and on a salary of Rs. 600 per month. Adds that Lieutenant Holroyd has been directed to proceed to Delhi and report his arrival there.	Progs. for the week ending 14th August 1858— Nos. 15—17.
	No. 1690, dated 9th August 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding in reference to his letter No. 278, dated the 4th June 1858.	
	No. 1691, dated 9th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding Government letter for information.	
2454	No. *Nil*. dated 5th June 1858 ... From—Lieutenant Tyndall, 21st Punjab Infantry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation for loss of property at Jullundur.	Submits his claim to compensation for loss of property occasioned by the mutiny at Jullundur, amounting to Rs. 250.	Nos. 22—4.
	No. 1694, dated 9th August 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards original papers received with the preceding for investigation and report.	
	No. 1695, dated 9th August 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Tyndall.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for his information.	
2455	No. *Nil*, dated 6th August 1858 ... From—Captain Davies, late 51st N. I. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation for loss of stores belonging to the 51st N. I. mess.	States that as senior officer of the late Mess of the 51st N. I. he has been deputed to submit a claim for compensation for loss of stores in transit on the Grand Trunk Road and supposed to have been plundered between Cawnpore and Delhi. Solicits information as to whether the compensation rules apply to a claim made by a body of military officers and how the claim should be submitted.	Nos. 27-8.
	No. 1697, dated 10th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain Davies, late 51st N. I.	Ditto Messes, etc., eligible for compensation.	In reply, informs Captain Davies that the compensation orders do apply to claims by a body of officers, and that the claim in the present instance should be referred to Mr. E. H. Longden, Deputy Commissioner, for the North-Western Provinces, as the loss occurred in the jurisdiction of the North-Western Provinces.	

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2456	No. 475 dated 5th August 1858 ... From—Colonel Williamson, Commanding, H. M's. 27th Foot. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation for loss of the Band instruments of the Regiment.	Submits claim to compensation for loss of the Band Instruments of the Regiment under his command, supposed to have been destroyed by mutineers on the way up from Calcutta to the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 14th August 1858— Nos. 83—5.
	No. 1700, dated 10th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—E. H. Longden, Esquire.	Ditto	Transfers original papers received with the preceding and states that it is clear that the property could never have reached Delhi and, therefore, the case does not fall within the Punjab jurisdiction but appears properly to pertain to the North-Western Provinces.	
	No. 1701, dated 10th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Colonel Williamson.	Ditto	Informs Colonel Williamson that as it is clear that the property never reached Delhi, the case does not belong to the Punjab administration and has, therefore, been referred to the Deputy Commissioner for the investigation of such claims in the North-Western Provinces, to whose jurisdiction the matter would appear to pertain.	
2457	No. 54, dated 24th February 1858... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary Reports for 1857.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 17, dated the 11th May 1858, submits Dispensary Returns of his Division for 1857.	Nos. 49—73.
	No. 80, dated 12th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of above, submits the Dispensary Return of the Simla District for 1857.	
	No. 72, dated 1st May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits the Dispensary Reports of his Division for 1857, with his remarks on the results.	
	No. 67, dated 8th May 1858 ... rom—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits reports on the management of the Government Charitable Dispensaries in the Lahore Division during 1857, and suggests that the reports in future be submitted through the Inspector of Dispensaries.	
	No. 68 dated 5th May 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits reports and returns showing the operations of the Government Charitable Dispensaries in his Division during 1857, with his remarks thereon.	
	No. 87, dated 30th March 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits reports on the Charitable Dispensaries of the Multan Division for the year 1857.	
	No. *Nil*, dated 17th May 1858 ... From—The Inspector of Prisons and Dispensaries. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits Dispensary Report of the Leiah Division for 1857.	

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2457—*concld.*	No. 87, dated 27th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Dispensary Reports for 1857.	Submits Dispensary Reports for 1856 of the Peshawar and Hazara Districts, and states that the one for Kohat having been mislaid, the Deputy Commissioner has been directed to furnish a duplicate direct to Chief Commissioner's office.	Progs. for the week ending 14ht August 1858— Nos. 49—73.
	No. 86, dated 27th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Submits the District Annual Dispensary Reports for the year 1857.	
	No. 22—1710, dated 11th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners.	Ditto Review of the reports.	Forwards, for information and guidance, the remarks of the Chief Commissioner on the management, etc., of Dispensaries during 1857 and communicates his appreciation of the exertions and merits of some of the officers.	
2458	No. 293, dated 24th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Colonel Abbott's claim to compensation for losses sustained by him at Delhi.	Submits, for consideration and orders, copy of correspondence with Colonel Abbott regarding his claim to compensation for losses sustained by him at Delhi, together with a list of the articles lost, in which are included various articles which could only have belonged to native females.	Nos. 86-7.
	No. 1718, dated 12th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto Doubtful claims to be excluded.	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner would exclude from the schedule all articles save those which clearly and solely belonged to Colonel Abbott himself.	
459	No. *Nil*, dated 6th August 1858 ... From—The Officiating Secretary, Punjab Special Fund. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disbursements made from the Relief Fund during July 1858.	In continuation of letter dated the 6th July 1858, submits a statement of the disbursements made from the Fund during July 1858.	Nos. 92-3.
	No. 1721, dated 13th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Honorary Secretary, General Committee, Indian Mutiny Relief Fund, London.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1552, dated the 23rd July 1858, forwards, for the information of the General Committee, the statement of disbursements received with the preceding.	
460	No. 196—1723, dated 13th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Appropriation of cesses, fines and confiscations in Delhi for the relief of European sufferers.	Solicits orders upon letters No. 26, dated the 29th March 1858, and No. 42, dated the 21st April 1858, regarding appropriation of cesses, fines and confiscations in Delhi for the relief of European sufferers.	No. 96.
461	No. *Nil*, dated 3rd August 1858 ... From—The Secretary, Medical Invalid and Life Assurance Society. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation claimed for policies paid on account of holders killed during the mutiny.	With reference to previous letter on the subject of compensation for losses sustained by the Company, submits a copy of a letter on the same subject, containing further particulars to which attention is requested.	Nos 97-8.
	No. 1724, dated 13th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 177—1594, dated the 29th July 1858, submits a copy of the preceding and of its enclosures.	

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2462	No. 405, dated 2nd August 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fixed establishments of the Lawrence Asylum.	With reference to previous correspondence, submits copies of a letter and of its annexures from the Director of Public Instruction, comprising statements of the present fixed establishments of the Lawrence Asylum, with a view to the sanction of Government being accorded thereto for periodical audit until revised arrangements shall be determined on.	Progs. for the week ending 14th August 1858— Nos. 103—109.
	No. 198—1727, dated 14th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reference to previous correspondence forwards copies of the preceding and of its enclosures and recommends sanction to the fixed establishment of the Lawrence Asylum as it now stands as a temporary arrangement.	
2463	No. 394, dated 30th July 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the Educational Department for 1857-58.	In continuation of letter No. 328, dated the 28th June 1858, submits with his remarks, a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, reporting on the proceedings of the Educational Department for the year 1857-58.	Nos. 110—66.
	No. 328, dated 28th June 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto for 1856-57.	Submits, with his remarks, copies of reports of the Director of Public Instruction on Education in the Punjab for 1856-57 with annexures.	
	No. 200—1728, dated 14th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Review of progress made.	Submits copies of the annual reports on Education by the Director of Public Instruction and the Financial Commissioner, for the official years 1855-56 and 1857-58 and states that as these are the first general reports laid before the Government since the introduction of the new system, a brief sketch of what has been done during the two years is submitted.	
	No. 1729, dated 14th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Informs the Financial Commissioner that the reports on the Educational arrangements, etc., have been submitted to the supreme Government and communicates the Chief Commissioner's satisfaction with the general result of operations and his observations and suggestions for future guidance.	
2464	No. *Nil*, dated 6th August 1858 ... From—The Governor-General of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Increase of the salary of Sir John Lawrence, Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Forwards copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, raising the salary of Sir John Lawrence, Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, to Rs. 1,00,000 per annum, as a special mark of their appreciation of his services. MEMO.—Answered by Telegraph message.	Nos. 174-75.
2465	No. 2512, dated 23rd July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Admission of boys of low caste into Government schools.	Submits, for information and guidance, an extract from a Despatch from the Court of Directors respecting the admission of boys of low caste into Government schools. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 17-776.

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2466	No. 215, dated 29th July 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	*Khanka* of Shah Koomesh, Ambala District.	Submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Ambala, reporting his proceedings in the case of the rival claimants to the proceeds of *Khanka* of Shah Koomesh. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs for the week ending 14th August 1858— No. 178.
2467	No. 45, dated 26th June 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the military operations for the pacification of the Sirsa, Hissar and Rohtak districts.	Submits, in original, for information of the Chief Commissioner, General Van Cortlandt's report on the military operations for the pacification of the Sirsa, Hissar and Rohtak districts. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 183.
2468	No. 424, dated 12th August 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Unsold articles returned from the Paris Exhibition.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1607, dated the 30th May 1858, returning goods of Multan merchants which came back from the Paris Exhibition and states that the goods have been forwarded to Multan for delivery to the owners. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 186.
2469	No. 1121, dated 7th August 1858 From—The Assistant Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Native Doctors sent to the Punjab from the Thomason Medical School at Agra.	Forwards, for information, copies of correspondence relative to the four Native Doctors sent to the Punjab from the Thomason Medical School at Agra. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 187.
2469½	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd July 1858 ... From—Assistant Surgeon Dallas. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Assistant Surgeon Dallas as Superintendent, Central Jail of Lahore.	Acknowledges the receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1490, dated the 19th July 1858, appointing him Superintendent, Central Jail, Lahore, and states that the Officer Commanding at Nurpur thinks he had better not leave until he is relieved by another medical officer. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 189.
2470	No. 137, dated 2nd August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Restoration to families of mutineers of the 4th N. I. of money found on the prisoners.	Forwards a list showing the number of women and children who have been deprived of all means of support by the death or insurrection of their national protectors who belonged to the left wing 4th N. I., and requests sanction to make over to them the sum confiscated from the Sepoys when they were taken into custody, amounting to Rs. 986-1-0.	Progs. for the week ending 21st August 1858— Nos. 1—3.
	No. 1735, dated 15th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, sanctions the distribution among the families of the sepoys of the sum taken from the latter when they were admitted into jail.	

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2471	No. 324, dated 28th July 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab,	Rewards to certain natives who protected Captain Holland in his flight from Delhi.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 111, dated the 21st June 1858, conveys sanction to the rewards proposed for certain natives who protected Captain Holland in his flight from Delhi in May 1857.	Progs. for the week ending 21st August 1858— Nos. 6-7.
	No. 1737, dated 16th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information and guidance.	
2472	No. 84, dated 3rd August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pension recommended for a villager who befriended Mr. Taylor, of the Hissar Cattle Farm.	In continuation of letter No. 87, dated the 24th April 1858, forwards for consideration and orders a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Hissar, recommending one Meyur, an inhabitant of Juglair, who befriended Mr. J. Taylor of the Hissar Cattle Farm, for a monthly pension of Rs. 5.	Nos. 8-9.
	No. 203—1738, dated 16th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of its enclosures in continuation of letter No. 267, dated the 8th May 1858.	
2473	No. 134, dated 6th August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Investigation of claims to compensation for losses during the mutinies.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's circular No. 17—1297, dated the 24th June 1858, regarding the investigation of claims to compensation for losses during the mutinies, represents that the disposal of these cases will interrupt his current duties which are very heavy and begs that he may be relieved of the duty.	Nos. 32—4,
	No. 1752, dated 17th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto Transferred to Chief Commissioner's office.	In reply, states that, in consideration of the onerous duties attached to the charge of the Lahore Division, the Chief Commissioner is willing to relieve him of the extra work entailed by the compensation cases, and authorizes his making over the whole or a part of them to the Chief Commissioner's office.	
2474	No. 209—1758, dated 19th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Military occupation of the city of Delhi.	Solicits early orders on the subject of the military occupation of the city of Delhi generally, referred for orders in letter No. 10-A, of the 1st March 1858, and especially in regard to the alterations to the city wall.	No. 42.

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2475	No. 144, dated 6th August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation paid to the heirs of the late Mr. Benn, Railway Engineer, murdered at Delhi.	Forwards a copy of a deposition taken on oath relative to the property belonging to the late Mr. Benn, Railway Engineer, from which it appears that Mr. Benn did not possess £200 worth of property when he was murdered. Commissioner, therefore, proposes to remit the £50 already authorized to the relatives of Mr. Benn in the form of a charitable grant. Forwards a bill for Rs. 507-15-0 being the requivalent of the cheque on England for £50 for countersignature.	Progs. for the week ending 21st August 1858— Nos. 53—4.
	No 1764, dated 20th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, duly countersigned, the bill received with the preceding.	
	No. 1765, dated 20th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that it will be sufficient to remit £50 to the relatives of the late Mr. Benn, with an intimation that this sum it, after enquiry, supposed to cover the value of the property lost.	
2476	No. 313 dated 11th August 1858... From - The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pension proposed for Muhammad Ismail who saved the lives of 41 Christians.	Brings to notice the conduct of one Mulammad Ismail who saved the lives of 41 Christians during the siege of Delhi, and recommends that a pension of Rs. 100 per month be granted him in recognition of his highly meritorious conduct.	Nos. 60—62.
	No. 1769, dated 21st August 1858 - From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that before considering the proposition, the Chief Commissioner desires to be informed what position is held by Muhammad Ismail and what his pecuniary resources are, as, in order to judge of the propriety of a proposed reward, it is necessary to know the social status of the individual on whose behalf the recommendation is made.	
2477	No. *Nil*, dated 17th August 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Village School Funds.	Forwards a copy of his circular requesting Deputy Commissioners to furnish simultaneously to his office and to that of the Director of Public Instruction two annual statements in connection with the village school fund of their respective Districts prepared according to a form which is prescribed. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 68.
2478	No. *Nil*, dated 2nd August 1858 ... From—Major-General Roberts To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Naib-Risaldar Fatteh Singh's claim to compensation for loss of property at Delhi.	Forwards, for favourable consideration, a petition from Naib-Risaldar Fatteh Singh, of the Gujrat Irregular Horse, claiming compensation for loss of property valued at Rs. 7,000 plundered at Delhi, and praying for the refund of the fine levied on his house.	Progs. for the week ending 28th August 1858— Nos. 1-2.
	No. 1771, dated 23rd August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto Fine remitted.	Forwards a copy of preceding, with an abstract translation of the petition, and requests that enquiries may be instituted and a report submitted on the claim. Further desires that the fine levied on the Naib-Risaldar's houses may be remitted to him.	

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2479	No. 2677, dated 9th August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Selection of children for admission into the Lawrence Asylum, Sanawar.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 154, dated the 16th July 1858, approves of the proposal that Mr. Arnold and Mr. Parker be directed to consider and report as to the principle of selection which should be adopted in admitting children into the Lawrence Asylum. Communicates certain suggestions for consideration.	Progs. for the week ending 28th August 1858—Nos. 3-4.
	No. 1772, dated 23rd August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjba. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of preceding and requests that Mr. Arnold and Mr. Parker may be instructed, after duly considering the suggestions contained in the preceding, to determine and report the best principle on which the admission of pupils should be regulated.	
2480	No. 428, dated 12th August 1858... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Formation of educational circles.	Referring to letter No. 356, dated the 10th July 1858, forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, proposing that the division of Educational Circles recommended by the Chief Commissioner in June 1858 may be definitively authorized, and that the circles be distinguished by the names of the headquarters of each, and further that this arrangement be published in the *Punjab Gazette*.	Nos. 4½—6.
	No. 1773, dated 23rd August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the Chief Commissioner's sanction to the distribution and designation of the several circles of Education in the Punjab as the Ambala circle, Lahore circle and Rawalpindi circle.	
2481	No. 423, dated 11th August 1858... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Nalagarh State School and its future maintenance.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, communicating his observations on the state of the Nalagarh school and in regard to its future maintenance.	Nos. 9-10.
	No. 1775, dated 23rd August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, requests that Mr. Arnold may be instructed to arrange for the school being brought on the Educational Establishment of the Punjab as the Nalagarh State has been amalgamated with the territories of this Province.	
2482	No. *Nil*, dated 14th August 1858 From—Mr. J L. H. Smith, Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation for loss of property at Delhi.	States that at the time of the outbreak in Delhi he was a writer in the Post Office on Rs. 25 per month and that he lost all his property, but though he has twice addressed the Commissioner of Delhi on the subject of his claim to compensation, he has received no reply. Begs therefore that the Chief Commissioner will take his case into consideration.	Nos. 17—19

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2482—*concld.*	No. 1779, dated 23rd August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Claim for compensation for loss of property at Delhi. "Succour" admissible only for persons drawing over Rs. 10 per mensem.	Forwards the preceding, in original, and desires an explanation of the discrepancy between the amount of Mr. Smith's salary which was stated in the "Succour Bill" as Rs. 10 and is represented in the preceding to be Rs. 25. Adds that as the Government order only applied to persons drawing more than Rs. 10 per month, the Civil Auditor rejected Mr. Smith's claim and it was then referred to Government but no reply has yet been received. If Mr. Smith's salary was Rs. 25 per month at the time of the outbreak, there need have been no difficulty in passing the amount.	Progs. for the week ending 28th August 1858— Nos. 17—19.
	No. 1780, dated 23rd August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. J. H. Smith, Delhi.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of preceding.	
2483	No. 226, dated 10th August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Tree cutting on private estates in Simla.	Submits, for consideration of Chief Commissioner, a copy of the proceedings of a Committee held on 15th July 1858 at Simla to decide the long standing question with whom should rest the authority to cut trees in the station. It was resolved that the control over trees on private estates shall rest with the Municipal Commissioners.	Nos. 20-21.
	No. 480—1781, dated 24th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Referring to Government letter No. 1765, dated the 7th May 1858, and to previous correspondence, forwards for information, a copy of the preceding and of its enclosures, and communicates the Chief Commissioner's recommendation that the additional rule may receive sanction and approval of Government and be added to the existing rules of the Municipal constitution.	
2484	No. 209, dated 29th July 1858 From—Major Lumsden, Commanding Guides Corps. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation for money belonging to the Guide Corps, plundered by the 55th N. I. at Mardan.	Forwards a bill for compensation for a sum of money belonging to the Guide Corps plundered by the mutineers of the 55th N. I. in the Fort of Mardan while the Guides were absent on duty before Delhi.	Nos. 23—5.
	No. 1783, dated 24th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards the preceding, in original, for investigation and report.	
	No. 1784, dated 24th August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major Lumsden.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	

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2485	No. 404, dated 2nd August 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Injurious effects of artificial irrigation on cotton crops.	In compliance with the request contained in letter No. 82, dated the 18th January 1858, forwards copies of correspondence containing the opinions of several officers who have been consulted on the question relative to the injurious effects of artificial irrigation on cotton crops, and communicates his own remarks on the subject.	Progs. for the week ending 28th August 1858— Nos. 38—45.
	No. 216—1791, dated 24th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply to letter No. 4826, dated the 17th December 1857, forwards copies of preceding and of its enclosures, for information, and states that the Chief Commissioner concurs generally in the opinions expressed by the Financial Commissioner.	
2486	No. 62, dated 7th August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation preferred by the widow of Captain Douglas.	Forwards a claim to compensation preferred by the widow of the late Captain Douglas, Commandant of the Delhi Palace Guard, and recommends the same for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner, with a view to prompt relief being afforded to Mrs. Douglas	Nos. 47-8.
	No. 1793, dated 24th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Returns the papers received with the preceding, and expresses the Chief Commissioner's regret that the proposal to give succour in this case cannot be complied with, as the rules do not admit of it, but the claim should be registered, examined and reported on. Adds that if Mrs. Douglas is in present need, an application to the Lahore Relief Fund would probably be entertained.	
2487	No. 409, dated 6th August 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Control of income from shrines.	Acknowledges receipt of the Chief Commissioner's letter No 1496, dated the 20th July 1858, with enclosures, and communicates his opinion on the subject discussed therein, and the mode in which the proceeds of those shrines should hereafter be disposed of in regard to the income of which and its appropriation the ruling powers have heretofore more or less interfered.	Nos. 54—7.
	No. 1796, dated 25th August 1858.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Peer Nigaha's case can be decided in the manner proposed by him. Forwards a copy of a circular prescribing the extent to which our officers may interfere in matters connected with these institutions.	
	Circular No. 23—1797, dated 25th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	A question having arisen as to how far Civil Officers may or may not interfere in disputes among parties connected with shrines, temples, mosques, tombs and such like institutions, the Chief Commissioner issues detailed instructions for guidance in such cases.	
	No. 1798, dated 25th August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	

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2488	No. 222—1803, dated 27th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Civil Surgeoncy of Lahore.	Forwards, for consideration and orders, a report on the Civil Surgeoncy of Lahore with a view to its being created a full Surgeon's charge and Doctor Smith retained in the post.	Progs. for the week ending 28th August 1858— No. 65.
2489	No. 2817, dated 6th August 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Increase of expenditure in the Educational Branch forbidden.	Forwards copy of an extract from the Hon'ble Court's Despatch No. 86, dated the 22nd June 1858, paragraph 38, interdicting sanction being given to any increase of expenditure in the Educational Branch.	Nos. 74—6.
	No. 1807, dated 28th August 1858 . From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
2490	No. *Nil*, dated 19th August 1858 ... From—Mr. R. Holmes, Assistant Overseer. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation.	Complains of the injustice of his being allowed only 1-3rd of his compensation money when all other (with one exception) sufferers in the Hissar Division have received 2-3rds, and solicits Chief Commissioner's interference.	Nos 77-8.
	No. 1808, dated 28th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Forwards preceding in original and requests him to furnish a brief report on the subject.	
2491	No. 634, dated 31st July 1858 ... From—The Superintendent, Electrical Telegraph in India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Chemical Examiners for the Punjab.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1278, dated the 22nd June 1858, states that he knows no one in India whom he could recommend for the office of Chemical Examiner in the Punjab, and therefore suggests that a reference be made to the Court of Directors on the subject.	Nos. 79-80.
	No. 224—1809, dated 28th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto No suitable candidate available.	Referring to letter No. 1556, dated the 5th June 1858, forwards a copy of the preceding and solicits the Governor-General's consideration of the suggestion made therein.	
2492	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd August 1858... From—Mr. A. Aldwell, Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation by Major James Skinner.	Forwards a copy of correspondence with Commissioner of Hissar for the investigation of claims to compensation, and solicits an expression of the Chief Commissioner's opinion as to whether Major James Skinner is entitled to the compensation claimed by him for the house at Hansi to which his right is disputed. Also states that he has been greatly embarrassed by the mutineers and begs that Rs. 2,000 be allowed him as "succour money."	Nos. 86—8.
	No. 1813, dated 28th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. A. Aldwell, Delhi.	Ditto	In reply, states that he should adduce proof before the Commissioner of the Hissar Division, in support of his claim to the house at Hansi on account of which Major James Skinner is supposed to have claimed indemnification. In regard to pecuniary assistance, observes that he should apply to Mr. C. B. Saunders, Commissioner of Delhi.	

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2493	No. 328, dated 19th August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed rewards to certain parties who sheltered Mr. D. Gwyther.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Dehli, recommending the bestowal of rewards on certain parties who sheltered Mr. D. Gwyther and family during their flight from Dehli.	Progs. for the week ending 28th August 1858— Nos. 93-4.
	No. 225—1816, dated 28th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Govenment of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of preceding and its enclosures, for the consideration and orders of Government, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation.	
2494	No. 522, dated 19th August 1858 .. From—The Superintendent of Hill States, Simla To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cutting of trees in the Kearda Doon for railway purposes.	Forwards, for orders of the Chief Commissioner, a letter from Colonel Baird Smith requesting permission to cut trees in the Kearda Doon, and states that he cannot recommend compliance with Colonel Baird Smith's requests.	Nos. 95—7.
	No. 1817, dated 28th August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of the Hill States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner concurs in his opinion that it would not be practicable to comply with the request of Colonel Baird Smith to be allowed to cut wood in those forests, for railway purposes.	
2495	No 331, dated 23rd August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Native shareholders of the *Lahore Chronicle* Press.	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1660, dated the 17th June 1858, requests to be furnished with further particulars regarding the residence and parentage of the native shareholders of the *Lahore Chronicle* Press, to enable the Deputy Commissioner of Delhi to identify the parties referred to in the list which accompanied No. 1214, dated the 17th June 1858.	Nos. 99-100.
	No. 1819, dated 28th August 1858.. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Manager, *Lahore Chronicle* Press.	Ditto	Requests the Manager to specify the residence and parentage of each of the parties named in the list of native shareholders which was furnished with his letter No. 937, dated the 9th June 1858, as they cannot otherwise be traced.	
2496	No. 234, dated 19th August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Recurring panics in Simla. Suggested location of a European detachment.	Reports at length on the everlasting panics which haunt the station of Simla consequent on the inadequacy of the force maintained for the protection of the place, and suggests, as an effectual remedy for the evil, the location of a detachment of European troops at the place.	Nos. 101—104.
	No. 241, dated 20th August 1858 .. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the preceding, forwards, for information, a copy of another communication from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla on the subject of the Simla panics.	
	No. 226—1820, dated 28th August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and of its enclosures with the Chief Commissioner's observations and his objections to the location of European soldiers in Simla, but suggests that the General Commanding the Division should be empowered to order down to the plains any officer of whatever rank who raises an unnecessary alarm and the Magistrate to fine any person in civil life who might be proved to have acted in this manner.	

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2497	No. 2811, dated 14th August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	"Succour money" granted to Mr. J. Smith.	Informs the Chief Commissioner that his letter No. 168, dated the 27th July 1858, regarding the Civil Auditor's objection to pass a bill for "succour money" granted to Mr. J. Smith has been sent to the Financial Department at the Presidency for consideration and orders. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 28th August 1858— No. 107.
2498	No. 2770, dated 11th August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Kashmir goats	Referring to previous correspondence relative to an application from an American gentleman for a supply of Kashmir goats, forwards extract, paragraph 46, from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court No 24, dated the 26th June, on the subject. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 108-109.
2499	No 720, dated 23rd August 1858... From—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disbanding of certain disarmed regiments.	Forwards a copy of a letter addressed by him to Major-General Wyndham, Commanding, Lahore Division, relative to the disbanding of certain disarmed regiments and of the rearming of others. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 117.
2500	No. 146, dated 27th August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation for plunder of Mrs. Knott's property at Sialkot.	Forwards, for countersignature, a certificate of the loss incurred by Mrs. E. Knott by the plunder of her property at Sialkot and recommends payment to her on that account of Rs. 300 as "Succour." MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 4th September 1858— Nos. 12-13.
	No. 1827, dated 31st August 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, requests the Commissioner to ascertain and report whether Mrs. Knott's husband was alive at that time at Agra, and, if so, whether he did not receive "Succour" at that place or whether Mrs. Knott was already a widow when the loss occurred.	
2501	No. 323, dated 17th August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Penal fines levied on some villages of the Delhi District.	In compliance with instructions contained in Chief Commissioner's letter No. 728, dated the 21st April 1858, forwards a schedule of the penal fines which the Deputy Commissioner of Delhi proposes to levy upon the villages in his District which notoriously took part in the general plunder, and communicates his remarks thereon.	Nos. 14-15
	No. 1828, dated 31st August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Returns the schedule received with the preceding, and requests that no higher fines may be imposed than those noted in the statement by the Chief Commissioner, but Commissioner is authorized to reduce the amount sanctioned, in any case in which he may consider it excessive. Also desires that no village may be fined unless it is proved or the fact be notorious that its inhabitants took an active part in plunder, and observes that the object of levying the fines is to punish condignly without reducing the offenders to anything like ruin.	

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2502	No. 435, dated 17th August 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Preparation of an authorized version of the Bible in vernacular.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of Peshawar, suggesting that an authorized version of the Bible in the vernacular languages of Upper India be prepared and issued, and states that he unites with Colonel Edwardes in recommending that the standard version be issued under the auspices of Government, but in the Urdu language first.	Progs. for the week ending 4th September 1858—Nos. 18—22.
	No. 454, dated 24th August 1858... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of the preceding, submits copy of another letter from the Commissioner of Peshawar advancing some further arguments in support of the proposition made in the preceding.	
	No. 228—1830, dated 31st August 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of previous correspondence regarding the policy which, in the Chief Commissioner's opinion, should be pursued in relation to Christianity, submits copies of the preceding and of their enclosures. Communicates the Chief Commissioner's views and strongly recommends the matter to the favourable consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General.	
2503	No. *Nil*, dated 22nd August 1858... From—Captain C. Douglas, Artillery. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a Chemical Examiner in the Punjab.	Brings to notice the abilities and qualifications of Mr. Northcote, 1st Assistant to Dr. Hoffman, Professor in the Government College of Chemistry in England, and strongly recommends his appointment to the post of Chemical Examiner in the Punjab. Encloses three pamphlets on Chemical subjects by Mr. Northcote.	Nos. 31-2.
	No. 230—1836, dated 1st September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 224, dated the 28th August 1858, forwards, for consideration, a copy of the preceding letter, and points out that for the post of Chemical Examiner, a knowledge of Geology and some of the branches of natural history will be needed, and that it must be borne in mind that a speedy acquisition of the vernacular language, at least colloquially, will be essential.	
2504	No. 240, dated 26th August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Mr. F. Peterson as a member of the Simla Municipal Committee.	Forwards, for information, a copy of a letter from the Chairman, Municipal Committee, Simla, to the Deputy Commissioner, intimating the appointment of Mr. F. Peterson as a member of the Municipal Committee, in room of Mr. C. H. Barrett, resigned.	Nos. 38-9.
	No. 1840, dated 2nd September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 342—1146, dated the 10th June 1858, reports, for approval and notification in the *Gazette*, that Mr. F. Peterson has been elected a Municipal Commissioner of Simla.	

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2505	No. 238, dated 23rd August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cutting of trees in Simla.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, enclosing, for sanction, a rule relative to the power of the Municipal Commissioners over trees within the station of Simla which it is proposed to add to the existing rules of the Municipal constitution.	Progs. for the week ending 4th September 1858—Nos. 54-5.
	No. 1848, dated 2nd September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the rule in question has already been forwarded to the supreme Government for approval and sanction, on his report No. 226 of the 10th August 1858.	
2506	No. 4001, dated 24th August 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Prohibition of grants-in-aid for repairs to school buildings.	Forwards, for information and guidance, extract, paragraph 18, from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court No. 85, dated the 22nd June 1858, prohibiting grants-in-aid for repairs to school buildings.	Nos. 77—9.
	No. 1860, dated 3rd September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for his information.	
2507	No. *Nil*, dated 21st August 1858 ... From—The Assistant Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mr. Ross, Deputy Collector, entrusted with a lakh of rupees by late Nawab of Jhajjar.	Forwards, for disposal, an *urzee* from Imdad Hussain Khan of Jhajjar, stating that Mr. J. Ross, Deputy Collector of Rohtak, was commissioned by the Nawab of Jhajjar to bring for him certain articles from Europe, for which purpose he received a lakh of rupees, but that now, as the Nawab has been executed, Mr. Ross is keeping the matter quiet.	Nos. 84-5.
	No. 1863, dated 4th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Forwards the petition received with the preceding, for enquiry and report.	
2508	No. 106, dated 23rd August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application for leave from Mahtab Singh.	The Commissioner of Leiah forwards to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, in original, an application from Mahtab Singh, Extra Assistant, Leiah, applying for one month's leave (indulgence) from the date on which he may avail himself of the same.	Nos. 91—3.
	No. 1867, dated 4th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	In reply, the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner states that the Chief Commissioner sanctions the leave applied for and remarks on the imperfect manner in which the application was sent up.	
	No. 513—1868, dated 4th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	The above grant of leave is reported to the Secretary to the Government of India.	

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2509	No. *Nil*, dated 5th August 1858 ... From—The Private Secretary to the Governor-General. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Stoppage of the allowance paid to Mrs. M. D. Lawrie, by late King of Delhi.	Forwards, for disposal, original letter and petition from Mrs. M. D. Lawrie, widow of the late J. W. Lawrie, English Interpreter at the Court of Delhi, bringing to notice her distressed condition owing to the stoppage of the pension of Rs. 100 per mensem allowed her from the revenues of the King of Delhi, and begging that the allowance may be continued to her from Government.	Progs. for the week ending 11th September 1858—Nos. 1-2.
	No. 1871, dated 6th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards the original papers received with the preceding letter for investigation and report.	
2510	No. 102, dated 19th August 1858... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Muafi cases of Abdul Khalik Abdul Wahid, Nur.	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1599, dated the 30th July 1858, forwards an original letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Dera Ghazi Khan, with annexures, giving all the information he can obtain in his office regarding the Muafi cases of Abdul Khalik Abdul Wahid, Nur.	Nos. 10—12.
	No. 1876, dated 6th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto	Calls for some other papers in the case and communicates instructions for investigating certain points afresh and reporting the result.	
2511	No. 1877, dated 6th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Reward proposed for General Harsukh Rai, Tahsildar.	In continuation of letter No. 576, dated the 10th August 1858, communicating the orders of Government in regard to the rewards proposed for certain residents of the Lahore Division, informs the Commissioner that the case of General Harsukh Rai, Tahsildar, will be reported to Government hereafter and the order passed on it will be communicated to him in due course.	No. 13.
2512	No. 97, dated 20th August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pension proposed for the families of four Lambardars in Hissar and Sirsa who were shot by the rebels.	Forwards, for orders, a roll of pensions proposed for the families of four Lambardars in the Hissar and Sirsa Districts who were deputed by General Van Cortlandt to the rebel village of Jamalpur, to persuade the rebels to disperse, but were shot by the mutineers.	Nos. 14—16.
	No 237—1878, dated 7th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and of its enclosure with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation recorded in the last column of the statement.	
2513	No. 455, dated 25th August 1858 ... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Case of Government *versus* Cope (Detention of jewels intended for the Paris Exhibition.)	Referring to letter No 794, dated the 14th May 1857, reports that a final decision was passed by the Commissioner of Lahore in the case of Government *versus* Cope and annexes copies of the proceedings in the case, with his remarks and suggestions.	Nos. 20—27.

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2513—*concld.*	No. *Nil*, dated 20th July 1858 ... From—Mr. H. Cope. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Case of Government *versus* Cope. (Detention of jewels intended for the Paris Exhibition.)	With reference to the decree of Commissioner of Lahore, that he should pay to the President, Paris Exhibition Committee, the sum of Rs. 1,500, Mr. Cope requests that he may be allowed interest at 6 per cent. on a similar amount awarded by the Governor-General, in recognition of the services he rendered in the Flax Experiments, but which the Chief Commissioner thought proper to detain until the suit on the jewel question should be finally decided.	Progs. for the week ending 11th September 1858— Nos. 20—27.
	No. 239—1881, dated 7th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of letter from the Financial Commissioner and of its enclosures. Reviews the particulars connected with the case and finally recommends that the Rs. 1,500 reward money sanctioned for Mr Cope may be carried to credit of the decree, that the Government bear the cost of Rs. 500 difference in excess paid to Harjas Rai, Rs. 30 Government share of cost, and Rs. 273 costs for which Mr. Cope has become liable—in all Rs. 803.	
2514	No. 242—1890, dated 7th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Annual Report on Dispensaries.	Forwards a printed copy of the Report on Dispensaries in the Punjab. Adds that three spare copies have been sent to the Foreign Office at the Presidency.	No. 44.
2515	No. 1910, dated 10th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition certificates.	Forwards six certificates awarded by the Juries of the Paris Exhibition for delivery to certain parties who contributed to that Exhibition.	No. 75.
2516	No. 3048, dated 2nd September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Anarkali volunteers not eligible for mutiny medal.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 184, dated the 2nd August 1858, regarding medals for the Anarkali volunteers, explains that the terms of the Court of Directors' despatch exclude the Anarkali volunteers from obtaining the medals.	Nos. 80-81.
	No. 1914, dated 10th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. Hearne, late Sergeant Major, Anarkali Volunteers corps.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for information, with reference to his letter, dated the 24th July 1858.	
2517	No. 246—1920, dated 10th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Appointment of Mr. R. Temple as Special Compensation Commissioner for the Lahore Division.	Reports, for approval, that the Chief Commissioner has appointed his Secretary Mr. R. Temple to be Special Compensation Commissioner of the Lahore Division, in consequence of the Commissioner of Lahore having represented his inability to investigate the cases of compensation for losses incurred in the Lahore Division by the late disturbance, in addition to his other onerous duties. Further proposes that Mr. E. Trotter of the Chief Commissioner's office should perform the duties of clerk in these cases in addition to his regular duties, and should on that account receive a temporary allowance of Rs. 100 per month extra while the enquiries may continue.	No. 97.

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2518	No. *Nil*, dated 27th July 1858 ... From—Mrs. M. A. P. Smith. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation for losses by the mutiny at Jhelum.	Referring to her former letter regarding compensation for losses by the mutiny at Jhelum, forwards a copy of a letter from Colonel C. Browne, Commissioner of Leiah, testifying to her being a great sufferer, and begs that her claim for Rs. 6,000, submitted with letter above alluded to, may be paid through Messrs. Robinson, Balfour & Co., Calcutta.	Progs. for the week ending 11th September 1858— Nos. 99-100,
	No. 1922, dated 11th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards the preceding letter, in original, for investigation and report.	
2519	No. 150, dated 28th August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims of Civilians who took up arms in 1857 to medals.	Referring to order No. 566 in the *Punjab Gazette*, dated the 14th July 1858, regarding the claims of Civilians who took up arms in 1857 to medals, forwards, in original, a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, bringing to notice the services rendered by Mr. E. Shuldham during the late disturbances.	Nos. 103-104,
	No. 1924, dated 11th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	Returns original enclosures and forwards a copy of Government letter in the case of the Anarkali Volunteers, showing that medals were only to be given to such non-military persons as were engaged in the field or otherwise before the enemy, which does not appear to have been the case with Mr. Shuldham	
2520	No. 1316, dated 30th August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Agra Medical School.	Submits, for information, a copy of correspondence regarding the extension of the Agra Medical School.	Nos. 111-18,
	No. 1927-8-9-30-1-2, dated 11th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Reverend Missionaries at Ambala, Ludhiana, Kangra, Amritsar, Lahore and Peshawar.	Ditto	Forwards extracts from correspondence received with the preceding and requests him to ascertain whether there are any boys in his school desirous of entering the profession of medicine, and, if there are, suggests his communicating with the Superintendent, Agra Medical School. Also suggests that the boys might go down to Agra by Government Bullock Train.	
2521	No. 339, dated 25th August 1858... From—The Commissioner of the *Delhi Division.* *To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,* Punjab.	Parwarish Ali, late *jagirdar* of Sikri.	Acknowledges receipt of the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1033, dated the 27th May 1858, and furnishes further information relative to the position of Parwarish Ali, late *jagirdar* of Sikri in the Guragon District, with a view to his being adequately rewarded.	Nos. 119—22,

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2521—*concld.*	No. 1933, dated 11th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Parwarish Ali, late *jagirdar* of Sikri. Payment of pensions of other jagirdars who remained loyal.	In reply, states that a reference has been submitted to the supreme Government regarding Parwarish Ali, but, in the meantime, requests that the arrears of the pensions of the individuals who have remained loyal to the Government may be paid up at once, and that the stipends may be all maintained to them for the future, but in the cases of the pensioners who are said to have misbehaved, points out that the information supplied is not sufficient, and requests that careful enquiries may be made into the conduct of these individuals and reported to this office. Meanwhile, their pensions will remain unpaid.	Progs. for the week ending 11th September 1858—Nos. 119—22.
	No. 250—1934, dated 11th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards, with a recommendation for rewards, copies of correspondence, relative to the loyal conduct of Parwarish Ali, ex-*jagirdar* of Sikri, in the Gurgaon District, during the mutiny, and communicates the orders issued by the Chief Commissioner in reference to the pensions of the other Sikri *jagirdars*.	
2522	No. *Nil*, dated 27th August 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	General Administration Report of the Punjab. Services during the mutiny acknowledged.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 161, dated the 30th July 1858, forwarding the General Administration Report of the Punjab Territories for 1856-57 and 1857-58, communicates remarks and the Governor-General's grateful sense of the services therein alluded to during the disturbances of 1857. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 125.
2523	No. *Nil*, dated 7th September 1858 From—C. LeBas, Esq., C.S. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Adjustment of accounts connected with the siege of Delhi.	Intimates having applied for 15 months' leave to Europe on medical certificate, and requests that all public accounts in which he is concerned may be settled as soon as possible. Submits an explanation regarding certain items standing against him in the books of the Deputy Commissioner of Karnal.	Progs. for the week ending 18th September 1858—Nos. 8-9.
	No. 1940, dated 13th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and requests Commissioner to take measures to secure the speedy adjustment of Mr. LeBas' accounts.	
2524	No. *Nil*, dated 8th September 1858 From—The Secretary, Punjab Special Fund. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disbursements from the Relief Fund during August 1858.	In continuation of letter, dated the 6th August 1858, forwards a statement of Disbursements of the Fund during August 1858.	Nos. 20—23.

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2524—*concld.*	No. 1947, dated 14th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary, Punjab Special Fund.	Disbursements from the Relief Fund during August 1858. Donations to families of Lahore Light Horse.	In reply, states that among the disbursements shown in the statement received with the preceding, the Chief Commissioner observed a donation of Rs. 100 to the families of the Lahore Light Horse. As he considers that these families should not be supported out of the Fund any longer, it is requested that no donation be granted them during the present month.	Progs. for the week ending 18th September 1858—Nos. 20—23.
	No. 1948, dated 14th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for information.	
	No. 1949, dated 14th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Honorary Secretary, Indian Mutiny Relief Fund, London.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 1721, dated the 13th August 1858, forwards, for information of the General Committee, a statement of disbursements made by the Punjab Special Fund during the month of August 1858.	
2525	No. 346, dated 3rd August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Loyalty or otherwise of native shareholders of the *Lahore Chronicle* and *Delhi Gazette* Presses.	In continuation of letter No. 330, dated the 23rd August 1858, and in reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 121-A of the 17th June 1858, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Delhi, giving the required information relative to the loyalty or otherwise of the different native shareholders of the *Lahore Chronicle* Press.	Nos. 29—31½.
	No. 347, dated 31st August 1858... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Confiscation of shares owned by rebels.	Referring to the preceding, forwards a copy of a letter from the Editor and Chief Proprietor of the *Delhi Gazette* Press, requesting that whatever orders may be passed relative to the confiscation of the shares of the native rebel proprietors of the *Lahore Chronicle* Press may be held equally applicable to the shares of the native proprietors of the *Delhi Gazette* Press, who have been convicted of rebellion. Adds that the only two native shareholders of the *Delhi Gazette* were the Nawab of Jhajjar and the Raja of Ballabgarh, both of whom have suffered the extreme penalty of the law and have had their estates, etc., duly confiscated. Begs to be favoured with the Chief Commissioner's instructions in the matter, but recommends that Government should waive their claim to the confiscation of the shares held by the above deceased rebel shareholders of the *Delhi Gazette* Press in favour of the rest of the Proprietary Body.	
	No. *Nil*, dated 4th September 1858 From—The Manager, *Lahore Chronicle* Press. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1819, dated the 28th August 1858, states his inability to furnish the information therein called for regarding the parentage and residence of the native shareholders of the Press, but suggests that a reference to Lala Narain Dass, Banker of Delhi, and Hafiz Muhammad Daud might elicit the necessary information.	

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2525—*concld.*	No. 1953, dated 14th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Loyalty or otherwise of native shareholders of the *Lahore Chronicle* and *Delhi Gazette* Press.	In reply to his letter above, annexes a copy of the preceding letter from the Manager, *Lahore Chronicle* Press, and requests him to make enquiries from Lala Narain Dass and Hafiz Muhammad relative to the six individuals regarding whom no information has as yet been elicited, and to report result when the question of the disposal of these Press shares will be referred to Government for orders.	Progs. for the week ending 18th September 1858—Nos. 29—31½.
2526	No. 3113 dated 3rd September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed pension to the widow and child of Maulvi Miran Bakhsh, late teacher in the Delhi College.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, North-Western Provinces, regarding the grant of a pension to the widow and child of Maulvi Miran Bakhsh, late 1st Persian Teacher in the Delhi College, and requests that enquiries may be made into the conduct of the Maulvi during the siege of Dehli.	Nos. 34—6.
	No. 1956, dated 15th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy and requests him to enquire and report on the conduct of the Maulvi during the siege of Delhi.	
2527	No. 1970, dated 16th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commisssoner of the Leiah Division.	Rewards for Sher Khan, Esakhel, and Alyar Khan and his son, Rambaz Khan of Kalabagh, for mutiny services.	In continuation of letter No. 651, dated the 6th September 1858, communicates the Chief Commissioner's orders in respect to Sher Khan, Esakhel, and Alyar Khan and his son, Rambaz Khan, of Kalabagh, who have been recommended for rewards in consideration of services rendered by them to Government during the disturbances of last year.	No. 63.
2528	Circular No. 25—1978, dated 17th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners, Chief Engineer and Director of Canals.	Economy to be exercised in all branches of public expenditure.	Forwards, for information, an extract from the proceedings of the supreme Government in the Financial Department, under date the 19th July, and requests him to keep in view and impress upon his subordinate officers the absolute necessity which exists for rigid economy in all branches of public expenditure.	Nos. 76—9.
	Nos. 1979-80-81, dated 17th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Financial Commissioner and Accountant, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for information.	
2529	No. 356, dated 9th September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pensions for families of uncovenanted servants and Europeans not in Government employ murdered at Delhi.	Submits, for consideration and orders of the Chief Commissioner, statements of pensions proposed for families or relatives of uncovenanted servants and of Europeans not in Government employ whose protectors were massacred at the outbreak of the mutiny at Delhi, with explanatory remarks in each case, and requests permission to disburse a year's pension to the parties named in the returns at the rates proposed in anticipation of sanction of Government.	Nos. 80—85.

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2529—*concld.*	No. 264—1982, dated 17th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Pensions for families of uncovenanted servants and Europeans not in Government employ murdered at Delhi.	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and of its enclosures, and recommends that the pensions, as proposed by Mr. Saunders, may be sanctioned. Adds that the Chief Commissioner has authorized the immediate payment of a year's pension to the parties mentioned in the list.	Progs. for the week ending 18th September 1858—Nos. 80—85.
	No. 1983, dated 17th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that his recommendations have been submitted for the sanction of the supreme Government, but that, in the meantime, the Chief Commissioner authorizes the immediate payment of one year's pension to the several parties at the rates proposed by him.	
	No. 1984, dated 17th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2530	No. 159, dated 11th September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mrs. E. Knott's claim to "succour."	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1827, dated the 31st July 1858, submits in original a communication from Mrs. Knott, intimating that her husband died some time previous to the outbreak, and that he could not, therefore, have received any money from the Agra Government as "succour."	Nos. 92—4.
	No. 1989, dated 17th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner has admitted the claim of Mrs. E. Knott to "succour" to the extent of Rs. 300, and that the "succour" certificate has been forwarded to the Civil Auditor, duly countersigned. Returns original enclosures.	
	No. 1990, dated 17th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a compensation certificate for Rs. 300 in favour of Mrs. E. Knott.	
2531	No. 119, dated 10th September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed removal of the town of Mullah-i-Tola from the vicinity of the Attock Fort.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1627, dated the 2nd August 1858, submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Rawalpindi with an abstract showing approximately the compensation which would have to be paid for the removal of the town of Mullah-i-Tola from the vicinity of the Fort of Attock.	Nos. 103-104.
	No. 1997, dated 18th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The General Commanding Peshawar Division.	Ditto Area round fort to be included in military jurisdiction.	Informs the General that the Chief Commissioner awaits the receipt of the promised sketch map of the area around the Fort of Attock which it is proposed to place under military jurisdiction, and requests that it be forwarded at an early date.	
2532	No. 3034, dated 3rd September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Occupation of vestry rooms of a church as a residence by the Chaplain.	Forwards, for information and guidance, an extract from a Home Department Resolution regarding the occupation of the vestry rooms of a church as a place of residence by the Chaplain. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 111-12.

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2533	*No. 256, dated 2nd September 1858* *From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.* *To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.*	Control of shrines by Government officials. Removal of the chapprasie from the Khankah of Shah Kimesh at Sadhoura.	In continuation of letter No. 2514, dated the 29th July 1858, forwards, for information, a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Delhi, intimating the removal of the chapprasie from the Khankah of Shah Kimesh at Sadhoura, and that in future Government officers will not interfere in the management of the Khankah. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 18th September 1858—No. 118.
2534	No. 262, dated 11th September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the Bhuddour Ilaqa to the Maharaja of Patiala.	Referring to the retransfer of the Bhuddour establishment to Patiala, requests sanction of the Chief Commissioner to the Deputy Commissioners of Ludhiana and Ferozepore reverting to their former scales of establishment.	Progs. for the week ending 25th September 1858—Nos. 21—4.
	No. 808, dated 14th September 1858 From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests to be furnished with a copy of the orders relative to the decrease in the establishment of the Ludhiana District owing to the transfer of the Bhuddour Ilaqa to the Maharaja of Patiala.	
	No. 2014, dated 20th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply to his letter above, states that the Deputy Commissioners of Ludhiana and Ferozepore are authorized to revert to their original scales of establishments, which will amount to Rs. 103 less than the present cost.	
	No. 540—2015, dated 20th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Communicates particulars of the above reductions in the establishments of the Deputy Commissioners of Ludhiana and Ferozepore.	
2535	No. 691, dated 10th February 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conservancy of forests.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Court of Directors, regarding conservancy of forests in the Punjab.	Nos. 25—31.
	Nos. 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, dated 20th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Peshawar and Jhelum Divisions, Trans-Sutlej States and Cis-Sutlej States, and Superintendent, Hill States.	Ditto	Cal's attention to previous letter of the 19th June regarding the conservancy of forests, and requests that all arrears of annual reports on this subject may be furnished with as little delay as possible for submission to the Home Authorities.	
2536	No. 3099, dated 10th September 1858. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grants-in-aid to the Leper Asylum at Kangra.	Referring to correspondence relative to grants-in-aid to the Leper Asylum in the Kangra Hills, forwards extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court, and enquires what arrangements have been made for the medical treatment of the patients in the above mentioned asylum.	Nos. 40—42.
	No. 2026, dated 21st September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto Medical treatment of inmates.	Forwards copies of preceding and of its enclosures and requests him to report, for the information of the supreme Government, what arrangements have been made for the medical treatment of the patients in the Leper Asylum.	

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2537	No. 3098, dated 4th September 1858 From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Iron in the Keranah Hills in Shahpur and coal deposits of the Salt Range.	Referring to letter No. 5033, dated the 30th September 1856, regarding Monsieur Marcadieu's report on the iron in the Keranah Hills in Shahpur and on the coal deposits of the Salt Range, forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court and requests that the information therein called for may be furnished.	Progs. for the week ending 25th September 1858—Nos. 49—51.
	No. 545—2031, dated 21st September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto No shaft sunk in Keranah Range.	In reply, states that owing to there being no officer available to conduct the experiment of sinking a shaft in the Keranah Range, to test the quality of the iron, the shaft was not sunk.	
2538	No. *Nil*, dated 5th September 1858 From—Captain H. G. Raverty, Assistant Commissioner. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Charges of corruption against Captain H. G. Raverty, Assistant Commissioner.	Enquires whether he is at liberty to proceed to Bombay, in anticipation of his services being placed at the disposal of the Bombay Government, on the leave granted to him in No. 1013, dated the 25th May 1858, points out that he has been promoted to the rank of Captain, and requests that he may be addressed accordingly.	Nos. 60-1.
	No. 279—2087, dated 22nd September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Remand to regiment recommended.	Submits a copy of the preceding and recommends that Captain Raverty be remanded to his regiment.	
2539	No. *Nil*, dated 10th September 1858 From—Mr. W. Woodward. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Hospital apprentice Samuel Clifford,	Forwards copies of correspondence relative to the refusal of the Director-General, Medical Department, to accept the resignation of his brother-in-law, Hospital Apprentice Samuel Clifford, and solicits the Chief Commissioner's interference in the matter. *Note by Editor.*—Mr. W. Woodward was afterwards Judge of the Small Cause Court at Amritsar, and Mr. S. Clifford was a District Judge at the time of his retirement some few years ago.	Nos. 60—5.
	No. *Nil*, dated 15th September 1858 From—Mrs. Coleridge. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Mrs. W. Coleridge supports Mr. Woodward's request regarding the release of her grandson, Hospital Apprentice Samuel Clifford.	
	No. 2053, dated 22nd September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to Government, Military Department.	Ditto	Submits, for the consideration and orders of the Governor General, copies of preceding and of its accompaniments, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation that the boy, Samuel Clifford, be released from his apprenticeship.	
	No. 2054, dated 22nd September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. W. P. Woodward.	Ditto	Informs Mr. Woodward that the Chief Commissioner has been pleased to recommend to the supreme Government that the boy Samuel Clifford be released from the Medical Department, and made over to his relations, and that the military authorities have been desired to suspend his arrest until the pleasure of the supreme Government is known, but this is done on the condition that he (Mr. Woodward) will be responsible for the production of the boy in the event of his being required hereafter.	

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2539—*concld.*	No. 2055, dated 22nd September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Brigadier Corbett, Mian Mir.	Hoepital apprentice Samuel Clifford.	Informs Brigadier Corbett that the supreme Government has been solicited to grant, as a special case, the release of a boy named Samuel Clifford (apprentice) from the Subordinate Medical Department, and, therefore, begs that the proceedings taken for the boy's arrest may be suspended until the further pleasure of the supreme Government is known. Communicates the conditions imposed upon the relatives of the boy.	Progs. for the week ending 25th September 1858—Nos. 80—5.
2540	No. *Nil*, dated 20th September 1858 From—Mr. H. Cope, Amritsar. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to the mutiny medal.	Mr. H. Cope, Amritsar, submits to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, his claim to the medal promised by Her Majesty the Queen to non-military persons in India who bore arms during the mutiny.	Nos. 95-6.
	No. 2059, dated 23rd September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. H. Cope, Amritsar.	Ditto Medal refused in case of Anarkali volunteers.	In reply, annexes a copy of a letter from Government, in the case of the Anarkali volunteers and states that if, after a perusal of it, he would still desire to advance his claim for a medal, the orders of the supreme Government will be taken in the matter.	
2541	No. 331, dated 17th August 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to a refund of ransom money by Ramji Das, rejected.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1454, dated the 15th July 1858, submits a copy of the proceedings of the Special Committee at Delhi, in the case of Ramji Das, cloth merchant, claiming a refund of ransom money paid by the members of his firm for the ransom of their houses and property in the city of Delhi, from which it would appear that the petitioner has been adjudged as not entitled to any refund of ransom.	Nos. 103-104.
	No. 2065, dated 23rd September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that it does not appear to the Chief Commissioner that either the Ransom Committee or he (the Commissioner) made any further enquiry into the matter in consequence of this office letter of the 15th July No. 1454, with which the case was forwarded for investigation. The Chief Commissioner, therefore, desires that further enquiry be made on certain points, and that the case resubmitted as early as possible.	
2542	No. 587, dated 13th September 1858 From—The Superintendent of the Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Capture of two Purbias on the Tibet Frontier.	Reports particulars connected with capture of two Purbias belonging to the party recently seized by Mr. Knox on the Tibet Frontier, and requests that a reward of Rs. 50 may be sanctioned for payment to the captor.	Nos. 109—1..
	No. 2068, dated 24th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of the Hill States.	Ditto Reward sanctioned.	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's sanction to the payment of the reward proposed, and requests that the men may be forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Sialkot, *via* Rupar, so as to avoid the Hindustani sepoys who are now travelling on the Grand Trunk Road on their way homewards.	
	No. 2069, dated 24th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Sialkot.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for information.	

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2543	No. 127, dated 20th September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Restriction to the passage of Hindustanies over the Indus at Attock.	Submits for orders of the Chief Commissioner, a letter, in original, with enclosures, from the Brigadier Commanding the Sind Sagar District, regarding an order issued by Major-General Sir Sydney Cotton restricting the passage of Hindustanies over the river Indus at Attock.	Progs. for the week ending 25th September 1858— Nos. 126—28.
	No. 2078, dated 25th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major-General Sir S. Cotton.	Ditto Chief Commissioner's protest.	Communicates the Chief Commissioner's objection to the order alluded to in the preceding and expresses a hope that the General will acquiesce in the propriety of leaving the matter in the hands of the Civil Administration.	
	No. 2079, dated 25th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2544	No. 267, dated 16th September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Nomination of the Civil Surgeon as an *ex-officio* member of the Municipal Committee, Simla.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, with annexure, regarding the nomination of Dr. Ross, Civil Surgeon, as an *ex-officio* member of the Municipal Committee, and requests that confirmation of the appointment may be obtained.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd October 1858— Nos. 2-3.
	No. 559—2081 A., dated 27th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter and its enclosure, and recommends confirmation of the nomination of Dr. Ross as an *ex officio* member of the Municipal Committee.	
2545	No. 1079, dated 10th September 1858. From—The Deputy Surveyor-General, Calcutta. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Site of Campbellpur.	Intimates that he has been called on to fix the site of Campbellpur, and requests to be furnished with such details as will enable him to place it in Geographical maps, and also desires to be furnished with similar information in regard to any other newly created Civil or Military Stations.	Nos. 6-7.
	No. 2083, dated 27th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Surveyor-General, Calcutta.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the information required regarding the site of Campbellpur and states that no other Military or Civil Stations or Hill Sanataria have of late been created in the Punjab.	
2546	Circular No. 26—2087, dated 27th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Officers mentioned in the Punjab Reports, 1856—58.	Acknowledgment of services.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Supreme Government as his name is mentioned therein. Adds that a printed copy of the report will be forwarded hereafter.	No. 15.

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2547	No. 129, dated 20th September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Individuals who distinguished themselves during the Disturbances of 1857-58.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 1, dated the 5th March 1858, submits a list of individuals who distinguished themselves by their loyalty and good services to the State in the Jhelum Division during the Disturbances of 1857-58 and who are now recommended for reward.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd October 1858— Nos. 16—20.
	No. 2088, dated 29th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Meerut Division.	Ditto Muhammad Bakhsh, Tahsildar of Gujrat.	Forwards an extract from the list received with the preceding letter and requests him to ascertain and report how the family of Muhammad Bakhsh, Tahsildar of Gujrat, a native of the Bulandshahr District, behaved during the rebellion, and if there are any proprietary lands yielding Rs. 800 or Rs. 1,000 per annum which might be conferred on that individual.	
	No. 2089, dated 27th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Rewards recommended.	Forwards, for orders of the Governor-General, a copy of a statement of rewards proposed for certain inhabitants of the Jhelum Division who rendered good service to the British Government during the crisis.	
	No. 2090, dated 27th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Military Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards an extract (No. 35) from the list of individuals who distinguished themselves in the Jhelum Division during the crisis.	
2548	No. 490, dated 7th September 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on the Lawrence Military Asylum.	Referring to letter No. 1349, dated the 1st July 1858, forwards, with his remarks, Mr. Arnold's report on the Lawrence Military Asylum, with appendices.	Nos. 23—37.
	No. 287—2092, dated 29th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Present and future status of the Asylum.	Forwards copies of the preceding and of its enclosures and communicates the Chief Commissioner's views on the present and future status of the Lawrence Asylum.	
2549	No. 105, dated 9th September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mr. Holmes' claim to compensation.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1808, dated the 28th August 1858, submits the required information regarding the adjustment of Mr. Holmes' claim to compensation, and explains why Mr. Holmes received Rs. 700 only.	Nos. 50-51.
	No. 2100, dated 29th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner thinks the amount paid to Mr. Holmes as "succour" was sufficient, and that nothing more need be paid to him on this account.	

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2550	No. 1834, dated 16th September 1858. From—The Commissioner in Sind. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reinforcements for the Punjab.	Forwards, with his remarks, extracts from a letter addressed by him to the Government of Bombay on the subject of reinforcements for the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd October 1858—Nos. 70—72.
	No. 2110, dated 30th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Adjutant-General of the Army	Ditto	Forwards, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, copies of the preceding and its enclosures, reporting that consequent on the total destruction of the Multan mutineers and the general quiet condition of the Punjab, the march of troops from Karachi has been delayed for the present. Adds that the Commissioner in Sind has been informed by the Chief Commissioner that, under the circumstances, the arrangement made by him was the proper one.	
	No. 2111, dated 30th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner in Sind.	Ditto	Informs the Commissioner that the Chief Commissioner considers that the departure of the troops from Karachi to Multan was delayed properly, under the circumstances communicated to him (Mr. Frere) by Major Hamilton.	
2551	No. 368, dated 22nd September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Shareholders of the *Lahore Chronicle* Press implicated in the mutiny.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1953, dated the 14th September 1858, reports the result of enquiries made through Lala Narain Dass, Banker, and Hafiz Muhammad Daud, regarding six Native shareholders in the *Lahore Chronicle* Press. Suggests that a reference be made to Mr Cope in regard to three of the above of whom no information could be obtained.	Nos. 78-9.
	No. 2115, dated 30th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Henry Cope, Esq.	Ditto	Asks for any information he may possess which would lead to the discovery of Haji Muhammad Azim, Abdul Hussain, and Lala Bansi Dhar who are shareholders of the *Lahore Chronicle* Press.	
2552	No. 2122, dated 30th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Gujranwala.	Reduction of cash in treasury ordered in consequence of unreliable guard.	As the Lahore Depôt which is to take the place of the Levy at Gujranwala is composed almost entirely of undisciplined recruits, the Chief Commissioner desires him, in communication with the Accountant, to reduce the cash in his treasury as much as possible, retaining only such sums as may be absolutely necessary for the wants of his district.	Nos. 91-2.
	No. 2123, dated 1st October 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Accountant, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
2553	No. 5107, dated 15th September 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Purchase of Communion plate for Sabathu.	Forwards a copy of a letter addressed to the Archdeacon of Calcutta by the Secretary with the Governor-General, *Foreign Department*, sanctioning the expenditure of Rs. 150 in the purchase of a set of Communion plate for the station of Sabathu. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 95.

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2554	No. 4918, dated 30th August 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims to pension for service under a foreign Government.	Forwards an extract from Proceedings in the Financial Department, dated the 30th August 1858, relative to the principle on which the period of service under a foreign Government is to be considered a claim to pension from the British Government. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 2nd October 1858— Nos. 96-7.
2555	No. 506, dated 27th September 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rearing of silkworms by Jafir, Kashmiri, in Gurdaspur.	Forwards a copy of a letter No. 457, dated the 5th July 1858, from the Deputy Commissioner of Gurdaspur bringing to notice the laudable spirit of enterprise exhibited by a Kashmiri named Jafir in having planted a mulberry plantation and reared silkworms thereon. Jafir's venture is deserving of encouragement, and the Financial Commissioner supports the proposal of the Deputy Commissioner to bestow a reward of Rs. 50 on that individual, accompained by a complimentary *Perwanah* from the Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 9th October 1858— Nos. 6—8.
	No. 2128, dated 4th October 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto Reward sanctioned.	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner authorises the payment of Rs. 50 to Jafir as well as to a complimentary *Perwanah* being addressed to him by the Commissioner.	
2556	No. 2135, dated 5th October 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Assistant Commissary-General, Lucknow.	Claim to "succour" on behalf of Meedhee Mul.	Referring to letter No. 231 of the 31st July 1858, addressed to the Commissioner of Lahore, forwarding a claim to "succour" amounting to Rs. 50 on behalf of Meedhee Mul, at present serving in his Department, informs the Assistant Commissary-General that the claim has been passed in full.	Nos. 19-20.
	No. 2136, dated 5th October 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the claim to "succour", duly countersigned.	
2557	No. 3247, dated 24th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Cutting of trees on private estates in Simla.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 480, dated the 24th August 1858, sanctions the additional rule proposed by the house proprietors at Simla, vesting the right of trimming and cutting trees on private estates in the Municipal Committee of the Station, which shall include the conservancy of Government timber on the main roads and on unoccupied lands.	Nos. 36-7.
	No. 2145, dated 7th October 1858... From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of Chief Commissioner's letter to Government and of the preceding reply for his information, with reference to letter No. 226, dated the 10th August 1858.	
2558	No. 3205, dated 17th September 1858. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conduct of officers in respect to religious matters.	Forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, laying down the principles which are to guide the conduct of public officers in respect to matters concerning the religion of the natives of India. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 63.

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2559	No. 377, dated 27th September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim preferred by Fatteh Singh, Naib-Ressaldar, Gujrat Irregular Horse, for restoration of property.	Acknowledges receipt of the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1771, dated the 23rd August 1858, with annexures, regarding a claim preferred by Fatteh Singh, a Naib-Ressaldar of the Gujrat Irregular Horse, for the restoration of his property valued at Rs. 7,000 which was plundered at Delhi, and encloses copies of correspondence from which it will be observed that the amount of ransom money said to have been paid on behalf of Fatteh Singh has been refunded and that the relative who was in charge of his property has not been able to furnish any information as regards its value.	Progs. for the week ending 16th October 1858— Nos. 1—4.
	No 2160, dated 11th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Major-General Roberts, Commanding Rajputana Field Force.	Ditto	Referring to his letter of the 2nd August 1858, forwards, for his information, copies of the preceding and its enclosures, and communicates the orders issued by the Chief Commissioner for adjustment of Fatteh Singh's claims.	
2560	No. 281, dated 27th September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Upkeep of Simla roads.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Simla and requests that the sum of Rs. 100 a month at present made over to that officer from the Prison Labour Fund for the repair of roads in the station, may be transferred to the Municipal Committee for the same purpose.	Nos. 20-1.
	No. 2169, dated 11th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, authorizes the measure proposed.	
2561	No. *Nil*, dated 27th September 1858 From—H. Cope, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to a mutiny medal.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2059, dated the 23rd September 1858, and requests that this together with his former letter regarding his claim to a medal, may be submitted for the consideration of Government.	Nos. 26-7.
	No. 302—2173, dated 11th October 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards for the consideration and orders of the Supreme Government, copies of correspondence regarding a claim preferred by Mr. H. Cope for the medal promised by Her Majesty to non-military persons who have borne arms during the mutiny.	
2562	No. 274, dated 20th September 1858. From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Military Transport Train during the siege of Delhi.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Captain Briggs, Superintendent, Hill Roads, with its enclosure, in original, soliciting a Brevet majority as a reward for his services in organizing and maintaining the Military Transport Train during the siege of Delhi.	Nos. 32—5.
	No. 2176, dated 16th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to Government in the Military Department.	Ditto	Submits, for the favourable consideration of the Governor-General, a copy of the preceding, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation in support of Captain Briggs' request.	

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2562—*concld.*	No. 304—2177, dated 11th October 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Military Transport Train during the siege of Delhi.	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for information.	Progs. for the week ending 16th October 1858—Nos. 32—5.
	No. 2178, dated 11th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for communication to Captain Briggs.	
2563	No. 112, dated 23rd September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Resaldar Salu Singh's claim to compensation for loss of property.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1508, dated the 21st July 1858, communicates the result of his investigation into Resaldar Salu Singh's (of the 17th Troop Military Police) claims to compensation for losses suffered by him and his brothers, Kishen Lall and Sheoji Singh, during the mutinies in the Jhajjar District.	Nos. 36—8.
	No. 2179, dated 11th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto Claim not admissible in respect of losses in Jhajjar during the Nawab's rule.	In reply, intimates that, under the circumstances stated, the Chief Commissioner authorizes the refund to the claimant of the sum collected by Mr. Campbell from the villages of Kodana, etc., but the Chief Commissioner does not perceive how Salu Singh can have any claim on the British Government for compensation on account of confiscation or losses which occurred during the Nawab's rule. The Chief Commissioner cannot therefore entertain his claim for the value of camels carried away from his village by the troops of the Nawab and afterwards sold as prize on our occupation of the territory.	
	No. 2180, dated 11th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding, Allahabad Division, Military Police.	Ditto	In reply to his letter No. 94, dated the 8th July 1858, forwards copies of the preceding letters and of the previous one to Commissioner of Hissar, with a brief review of the Chief Commissioner's decision in the matter.	
2564	No. 3406, dated 2nd September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grant of "Succour" money to Mr. Smith.	In continuation of letter No. 2811, dated the 14th August 1858, forwards a copy of a resolution in the Financial Department intimating that the grant of "Succour" money to Mr. Smith, a clerk in the Delhi Post Office, is admissible.	Nos. 56—60.
	No. 2190, dated 12th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Referring to his letter No. 640, dated the 19th July 1858, forwards for his information and guidance a copy of the resolution received with the preceding, and requests him to pass Mr. Smith's bill accordingly.	
	Nos. 2191-92, dated 12th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— (1) Mr. J. Smith and (2) The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter, for information.	

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2565	No. *Nil*, dated 4th October 1858 ... From—Mr. W. P. Woodward. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Hospital Apprentice Samuel Clifford.	Referring to his letter, dated the 11th September 1858, regarding Hospital Apprentice Samuel Clifford, forwards a copy of his letter to the Director-General, Medical Department, as promised. Explains the statements described by the Principal of the Lawrence Asylum as "Mendacious" and requests that the Revd. Gentleman may be desired to withdraw that expression.	Progs. for the week ending 16th October 1858—Nos. 100—102.
	No. 2217, dated 15th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. W. P. Woodward.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner declines to interfere further in the matter The passage which has given rise to the difference between him and the Revd. Mr. Parker might have been expressed otherwise with advantage.	
2566	No. 574, dated 20th September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed pension for the family of Miran Bakhsh, late teacher in Delhi College.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1596, dated the 15th September 1856, reports that he has made strict enquiries into the conduct during the siege of Moulvi Miran Bakhsh, late 1st Persian Teacher of the Delhi College, who, with his two sons, was shot by the European soldiers shortly after the capture of Dehli, but has failed to elicit anything to his discredit. Recommends that a pension be granted to the widow and child of the Moulvi and the widows of his two sons.	Nos. 114-15.
	No. 320—2222, dated 15th October 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto Principle to be observed in such cases.	Forwards, for the consideration and orders of the Governor-General, copies of the preceding and communicates the Chief Commissioner's views on the subject. If His Lordship approves of the principle of granting moderate allowances for the maintenance of the family in such cases, the Chief Commissioner will cause pension rolls to be submitted accordingly.	
2567	No. 2224, dated 15th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Bara Darri at Dera Ismail Khan. Occupation by Civil officers as a residence forbidden.	The Chief Commissioner understands that the Bara Dari at Dera Ismail Khan, which was restored to the present Nawab of that place by the British Government, as his absolute property, has been constantly occupied by the Civil officers, and it is presumed that no rent has been paid, as the Nawab's dignity would prevent his accepting any. Such occupation must be distasteful to the Nawab, and frustrates the intentions of Government in restoring the place to him. The practice is in contravention of the standing orders of Government against the borrowing of valuable property from natives of rank, and the Chief Commissioner, therefore, directs that the Civil officers should vacate the building and absolutely prohibits any officer from residing there for any time or on any pretext whatever. Adds that the Chief Commissioner considers that the Commissioner ought never to have allowed the building to be occupied in this manner and relies on his preventing anything of the kind in future.	No. 118.

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2568	No. 368, dated 15th October 1858... From—Major-General Sir S. Cotton, Commanding Peshawar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Passports for Hindustanies crossing the Indus.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2078, dated the 25th September 1858, states that he has cancelled his Division Order No. 504, dated the 6th September 1858, and submits a letter, in original, from the Deputy Commissioner of Peshawar, requesting that Hindustanies crossing the Indus should be provided with passports.	Progs. for the week ending 16th October 1858— Nos. 122-23.
	No. 2227, dated 15th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Calls for a copy of any correspondence which may have taken place between the Civil and Military authorities at Peshawar respecting the passage of Hindustanies over the Indus.	
2569	No. 3303, dated 28th September 1858. From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Education ...	Draws attention to the accompanying copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors on the subject of education. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 126-27.
2570	No. 147, dated 28th August 1858... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grant of "Succour" to Mr. Smith.	Acknowledges receipt of Chief Commissioner's letter No 1779, dated the 23rd August 1858, with enclosures, and submits a copy of a letter from Mr. Smith, showing that he was in receipt of Rs. 10 per month in the Delhi Post Office. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 188.
2571	No. 508, dated 29th September 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Silk operations at Lahore.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 386, dated the 27th February 1858, submits a report on the Silk operations at Lahore and offers to continue his aid and encouragement to all who may engage in the undertaking.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd October 1858— Nos. 3-4.
	No. 600—2229, dated 18th October 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding with the Chief Commissioner's remarks with reference to his letter No. 688, dated the 10th February 1858.	
2572	No. 124, dated 4th October 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims for compensation preferred by certain men of the 9th Irregular Cavalry.	Submits, for the orders of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from the Commanding Officer of the 9th Irregular Cavalry relative to claims for compensation preferred by certain men of his corps.	Nos. 5—7.
	No. 2230, dated 18th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	In reply, requests that a statement of the particulars of these cases may be submitted, as without such information the Chief Commissioner is unable to form an opinion in the matter.	
2573	No. 2231, dated 18th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioner, Delhi.	Application for compensation by Hosaini Begum, sister-in-law of *ex*-King of Delhi.	Forwards for enquiry an application for compensation by Hosaini Begum. Points out that her claim to compensation may be rejected, yet it is possible she might be allowed some maintenance if she is destitute, her husband being the younger brother and rival of the *ex* King.	No. 8.

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2574	No. 383, dated 30th September 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pension proposed for Muhammad Ismail for saving the lives of 41 Christians.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1769, dated the 21st August 1858, furnishes information regarding the position in life, resources and income of Muhammad Ismail who was recommended for a pension of Rs. 100 per month for having saved the lives of 41 Christians during the massacre at Delhi.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd October 1858— Nos. 11-12.
	No. 327—2233, dated 18th October 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of correspondence containing proposals for pensions to Muhammad Ismail, and his relative, Ghulam Ahmad, for saving the lives of 41 Christians, which proposals are recommended by the Chief Commissioner for sanction.	
2575	No. 3552, dated 7th October 1858 .. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Petition from Maulvi Mohi-ud-din, Sherishtedar.	Forwards a petition from Maulvi Mohi-ud-din, Sherishtadar of the Judge's Court at Meerut, and requests that a report may be obtained from the Commissioner of Delhi on the conduct of the petitioner's brother, Maulvi Sudid-ud-din, and of the family generally during the rebellion.	Nos. 28—30.
	No. 2242, dated 20th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto Sale of confiscated property suspended.	Forwards, for report, petition received with the preceding. Adds that if the petitioner's property is still unsold, its sale should be prevented at once.	
2576	No. 3388, dated 6th October 1858... From—The Under-Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims to compensation preferred by Captain Smith, 45th N. I., and Bandmaster Wernthal, 87th R. I. Fusiliers.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 448, dated the 4th August 1858, conveys sanction to the payment of the claims to compensation preferred by Captain Smith of the 45th N. I. and Bandmaster Wernthal of the 87th R. I. Fusiliers.	Nos. 35—7.
	Nos. 2245-6, dated 20th October 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States and the Accountant, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
2577	No. 3579, dated 8th October 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Fixed establishment of the Lawrence Asylum.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 198, dated the 14th August 1858, conveys sanction to the fixed establishment of the Lawrence Asylum amounting to Rs. 2,926 per month being continued on its present scale until the revised schedules are submitted.	Nos. 46—8.
	Nos. 2254-5, dated 21st October 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner and the Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for information.	

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2578	No. 2641, dated 7th August 1858 ... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grant of mutiny medal to civilians in the service of Government.	Forwards a copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors regarding the grant of medals to all civilians in the service of Government or otherwise who have been actually engaged before the enemy, during the recent operations in India, and requests that a list of them may accordingly be prepared.	Progs. for the week ending 23rd October 1858—Nos. 63 - 5.
	No. 337—2264, dated 22nd October 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, states that steps have been already taken in the Military Department of the Chief Commissioner's office with a view to the preparation of the required list.	
2579	No. 338—2265, dated 22nd October 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Pension recommended for eldest son of Sardar Kanh Singh, Kobaria.	Recommends the eldest son of Sardar Kanh Singh, Kobaria, for a pension.	No. 65½.
2580	No. 3524, dated 7th October 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pensions for families of uncovenanted servants and Europeans not in Government service murdered at Delhi.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 264, dated the 17th September 1858, states that the proposal regarding pensions for families or relatives of uncovenanted servants and of Europeans not in Government service, whose protectors were massacred during the outbreak, has been referred to the Financial Department, at the Presidency for consideration. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 83
2581	No. 3340, dated 3!th September 1858. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Increase of expenditure in the Education Branch prohibited.	In continuation of letter No. 2817, dated the 16th September 1858, forwards a copy of a letter addressed to the Secretary to Government, Bengal, interdicting sanction being given to any increase of expenditure in the Education Branch. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 89-90.
2582	No. 135, dated 14th October 1858... From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Advance made by the Nawab of Jhajjar to Mr. Ross, for purchase of articles in England.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1863, dated the 4th September 1858, communicates information obtained in the matter of an advance made by the Nawab of Jhajjar to Mr. Ross, Deputy Collector, to purchase articles in England. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 103.
2583	Nos. 2285-6, dated 25th October 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Introduction of a system of passports into the Punjab.	Calls for opinions as to introducing a comprehensive system of passports into the Punjab. Communicates the Chief Commissioner's reasons for proposing the measure and his suggestion for carrying it out.	Progs. for the week ending 30th October 1858—Nos. 15-16.
2584	Circular No. 31—2293, dated 25th October 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners, Judicial Commissioner and Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Indirect taxes on certain classes.	Calls for opinions as to whether it is or is not practically feasible to fix any additional indirect taxes on certain classes which, as is well known, are but lightly or even nominally taxed under our system of Government. Communicates the Chief Commissioner's views on the subject at length.	No. 31.

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2585	No. 2311, dated 2[illegible]th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Claim for commission on sale of confiscated property belonging to Raja Bhola Nath, etc.	Requests the Commissioner to submit, with report therein, the proceedings connected with the claim of one Kishan Dial to receive commission on the proceeds of the confiscated property of Raja Bhola Nath and Jamora Nawab who were arrested and brought to trial in consequence of information supplied by the petitioner. The claim appears to have been rejected by Commissioner.	Progs. for the week ending 30th October 1858—No. 64.
2586	No. 3442, dated 18th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Life pension of Rs. 5 a month to Meyur for saving the life of Mr. Taylor.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 203, dated the 16th August 1858, states that the President in Council has been pleased to sanction, as a special case, the grant of a life pension of Rs. 5 per month to Meyur, who was instrumental in saving the life of Mr. Taylor of the Hissar Cattle Farm in 1857.	Progs. for the week ending 6th November 1858—Nos. 38—40.
	Nos. 2334-5, dated 4th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division and the Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
2587	No. *Nil*, dated 20th October 1858 From—Lall Jee Mall, cloth merchant, Delhi. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ransom of the Neel-ka-Kathra.	Prays that the sum of Company's Rs. 293-8-0 contributed by him after the fall of Delhi towards the ransom of the Neel-ka-Kathra, may be refunded.	Nos. 66-7.
	No. 2356, dated 5th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards the petition received with the preceding to be laid before the Committee of Adjustment.	
2588	No. 70, dated 22nd October 1858... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grant of certificate to deserving natives.	Forwards, for record, a circular issued by him, laying down as a rule that when a certificate is given to a deserving native, the writer's opinion as to the reward to which the party is entitled should not be mentioned. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 76.
2589	No. 379, dated 23rd October 1858... From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation claims.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 776, dated the 20th October 1858, reports the number of compensation claims registered in his office. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 90.

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2590	No 4083, dated 26th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conduct of Mr. Richards, late Deputy Commissioner of Panipat.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 162, dated the 24th July 1858, communicates the orders of the Governor-General in the case of Mr. Richards, late Deputy Commissioner of Panipat.	Progs. for the week ending 13th November 1858—Nos. 6-7.
	No. 2364, dated 8th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for information and communication to Mr. Richards.	
2591	No. 549, dated 19th October 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Missing jewels and rugs sent to the Paris Exhibition.	Referring to previous correspondence, forwards information regarding the missing jewels and rugs sent to the Paris Exhibition and proposes that Budhu Malik be remunerated for the loss of his rugs and that the correspondence connected with the Paris Exhibition be transferred to the Chief Commissioner's office, for permanent record.	Nos. 27—9.
	No. 2374, dated 9th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner sanctions the payment of Rs. 47 to Budhu Malik of Multan on account of value of the rugs supplied by him, and authorizes the proposed transfer of the records connected with the Paris Exhibition.	
	No. 370—2375, dated 9th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India	Ditto	Submits the information called for regarding the missing jewels and rugs intended for the Paris Exhibition with reference to previous letters.	
2592	No. 2297, dated 19th October 1858 From—The Agent to the Governor-General for Central India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Plunder of Devi Dial's house at Delhi by British troops.	Forwards a copy of a letter from Devi Dial, record-keeper of his office, whose house at Delhi was plundered by the British troops, and requests that his case may be taken into favourable consideration.	Nos. 30—32.
	No. 2376, dated 9th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards copies of preceding for enquiry and report.	
2593	No. 3826, dated 20th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Reward for persons who sheltered to Mr. DGruyther during the mutiny.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 225, dated the 28th August 1858, conveys sanction to the bestowal of the rewards proposed by the Chief Commissioner on behalf of the parties who sheltered Mr. DGruyther.	Nos. 43—6.
	Nos. 2382-3-4, dated 9th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division, the Financial Commissioner and the Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for information.	

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2594	No. 4066, dated 25th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Mr. Temple as a Special Commissioner for investigation of compensation claims.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 216, dated the 10th September 1858, conveys sanction to Mr. R. Temple's being appointed Special Commissioner for the investigation of compensation cases in the Lahore Division and to Mr. Trotter's performing the duties of clerk and Assistant in these cases and receiving an additional allowance of Rs. 100 per month.	Progs. for the week ending 13th November 1858—Nos. 47-8.
	No. 2385, dated 9th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of preceding for information.	
2595	No. 4127, dated 28th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Removal of Lieutenant, Raverty from Civil employ.	In reply to previous correspondence relative to the case of Lieutenant Raverty, Assistant Commissioner in the Punjab, conveys the Governor-General's orders that that officer be removed from Civil employ, and remanded to his regiment.	Nos. 50—52.
	No. *Nil*, dated 28th October 1858... From—Captain H. G. Raverty. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Requests that the orders disposing of his case may be communicated to him as soon as possible, as more than a fortnight has elapsed since the Private Secretary to the Governor-General informed him that he might expect them in two or three days through the regular channel.	
	No. 2387, dated 9th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Captain H. G. Raverty.	Ditto	Forwards, for his information, a copy of a letter to Government No. 640, dated the 6th September 1856, in which his case was reported to Government and of the preceding. Adds that he is at liberty to proceed to join his regiment.	
2596	No. 2390, dated 2nd October 1858 From—Brigadier Corbett, Commanding at Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Hospital Apprentice Samuel Clifford.	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2055, dated the 22nd September 1858, and in continuation of letter No. 2182, dated the 26th idem, informs the Chief Commissioner that Hospital Apprentice Samuel Clifford has been discharged from the service of Government.	Nos. 69-70.
	No. 2379, dated 11th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Mr. W. P. Woodward.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter for information.	
2597	*No. 198, dated 3rd November 1858* From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Civil and Military guards stationed at Madhopore.	Forwards, in original, for the perusal of the Chief Commissioner, a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Gurdaspur, regarding the guards, Civil and Military stationed at Madhopore, with suggestions for their reduction of the same.	Nos. 78-9.
	No. 2403, dated 13th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, requests the Commissioner to furnish a detail of the extra Ferry and Police guards entertained for the protection of Madhopore, on receipt of which the Chief Commissioner will be in a position to issue orders on the subject.	

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2598	No. 552, dated 23rd October 1858... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Education in Delhi. Endowment for schools made by Nawab Fazl Ilahi of Lucknow in 1829.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, Punjab, soliciting sanction to an outlay for a combined District and Normal School at Delhi, of a sum not exceeding Rs. 604 per month, the proceeds of an endowment of Rs. 1,50,000 made in 1829 by Nawab Fazl Ilahi of Lucknow for the express purpose of promoting education in Delhi.	Progs. for the week ending 13th November 1858—Nos. 82—5.
	No. 2405, dated 13th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner has solicited the supreme Government to allow the salary of Pandit Ram Chandra at Rs. 300 per month from 1st September 1858 for six months and also a further contingent expenditure within a limit of Rs. 604 per month. Further desires that Mr. Arnold may be desired to expedite the enquiry into the whereabouts of the missing Government promissory notes.	
	No. 878—2406, dated 13th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards, for consideration and orders of Government, copies of correspondence regarding the appropriation of a bequest left by the late Nawab Itmad-ud-Dowla of Lucknow for the promotion of education at Delhi, and requests that early sanction may be accorded to the payment of the establishment of a school recently established at Delhi.	
2599	No. 305, dated 3rd November 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Revision of Simla Municipal Rules. Processions and insufficient clothing prohibited.	Submits, for the orders of the Chief Commissioner, original correspondence regarding the addition of two new rules to the Municipal Rules at Simla, one relating to the prohibition of native processions on the public thoroughfares and the second to the mode and imperfectly clothed appearance of natives in public places, which is declared to be a nuisance.	Nos. 86-7.
	No. 2407, dated 13th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, Chief Commissioner does not consider it necessary to adopt the rules, as both the matters mentioned in the preceding pertain to the Magistrate rather than the Municipal Commissioner, but observes that the Magistrate should take care that nothing is to be done which causes public inconvenience or infringes on public decency.	
2600	No. 3603, dated 27th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Matters concerning religion.	In continuation of letter No. 3205, dated the 17th September 1858, forwards a copy of a further letter from the Home Department, regarding the principles which are to guide the conduct of public officers in respect to matters concerning the religion of the natives.	Nos. 91-2.

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2601	No. 4065, dated 25th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Report on dispensaries for 1857.	Referring to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 242, dated the 8th September 1858, submitting a report on the dispensaries of the Punjab for 1857, states that the general result is considered satisfactory. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 13th November 1858—No. 98.
2602	No 533, dated 3rd November 1858 From—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed system of passports.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2285, dated the 25th October 1858, communicates his views on the question of adopting a comprehensive system of passports throughout the Punjab. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 99.
2603	No. 556, dated 25th October 1858... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Certificates of the Paris Exhibition.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1910, dated the 10th September 1858, reports how the honorary certificates of the Paris Exhibition have been disposed of. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 100.
2604	No. 413, dated 23rd October 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Committees for the administration of Local Funds.	In reply to Chief Commissioner's letter No. 63, dated the 23rd August 1858, reports on the establishment of Committees for the administration of Local Funds in the three districts of the Delhi Division. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 108.
2605	No. *Nil*, dated 30th October 1858... From—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Occupation of the Bara Dari at Dera Ghazi Khan by Government officials.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2224, dated the 15th October 1858, explains fully the reasons which compelled him and other Civil Officers to occupy the Bara Dari at Dera Ghazi Khan and that they were under the impression that the Chief Commissioner had orally authorized Lieutenant Busk and Mr. Cowan to occupy the place.	Progs. for the week ending 20th November 1858—Nos. 4—3.
	No. 2411, dated 15th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division.	Ditto Provision of accommodation for Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner.	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner is not aware that he authorized the Civil Officers to reside in the place. Communicates the Chief Commissioner's reasons for noticing the matter and observes, in regard to the Divisional head-quarters, that orders will be communicated hereafter, but in the meantime the Commissioner has his quarters at Leiah available, and there has never been a doubt about Dera Ghazi Khan being a civil station.	
2606	No. 562, dated 29th October 1858... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Attendance at tahsil schools.	Forwards a comparative statement showing the average attendance at tahsil schools for the quarters ending 30th April and 31st July, with the transmitting letters from the Director of Public Instruction.	Nos. 7-8.

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2606—*concld.*	No. 2412, dated 15th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Attendance at tahsil schools.	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner will defer commenting on the slight decrease, real or apparent, until the returns for the following quarter are received. In the meantime, the Inspectors should be warned that it is their special duty to ascertain and report on fluctuations in the attendance.	Progs. for the week ending 20th November 1858—Nos. 7-8.
2607	No. 4641, dated 30th October 1858 From—The Chief Engineer, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims for compensation for property lost in Indus floods.	Forwards, in original, an application from Captain Sandilands for compensation for personal property lost during the late flood in the Indus, and recommends that the compensation be granted.	Nos. 19—21.
	No. 384—2417, dated 15th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards, for the consideration and orders of Government, copies of preceding and its enclosures, and states that, as it is probable that many more such applications will be received, the Chief Commissioner solicits general instructions in respect to dealing with cases of this nature.	
2608	No. 3632, dated 29th October 1858 From—The Secretary to Government, Foreign Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of Civil Surgeon as an *ex-officio* member of the Municipal Committee at Simla.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 559, dated the 27th September 1858, conveys approval of the appointment of Dr. Ross, Civil Surgeon of Simla, as an *ex-officio* member of the Municipal Committee at that station.	Nos. 22-3.
	No. 2418, dated 15th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding with reference to his letter No. 267, dated the 16th September 1858.	
2609	No. 2419, dated 16th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Claims for compensation from certain residents of Gurgaon for loans during the mutiny.	Forwards, for report, in original a petition from certain residents of the Gurgaon District, claiming compensation for losses incurred by them during the mutiny.	No. 24.
2610	No. 4061, dated 25th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pensions for families of four Lambardars in Sirsa and Hissar killed by mutineers.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 237, dated the 7th September 1858, sanctions the pensions proposed for the families of the four Lambardars in the Sirsa and Hissar Districts who were killed by the mutineers.	Nos. 44—6.
	No. 2428, dated 16th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, with reference to his letter No. 97, dated the 26th August 1858.	
	No. 2429, dated 16th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding letter from Government and of the Pension Roll, for information.	

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2611	No. 4180, dated 3rd October 1858... From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Educational scheme.	In continuation of letter No. 2814, dated the 14th August 1858, forwards an extract from Proceedings in the Financial Department relative to the scheme proposed by the Chief Commissioner for the Educational Department in the Punjab.	Progs. for the week ending 20th November 1858— Nos. 47—9.
	No. 560, dated 29th October 1858... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 355, dated the 9th July 1858, forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, pointing out that no salary bills have been audited since April 1858, and that their audit cannot be effected until the receipt of Government orders on the revised schedules submitted with the letter above alluded to.	
	No. 2430, dated 17th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding Government letter, for communication to Mr. Arnold.	
2612	No. 174, dated 4th October 1858 ... From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant Maxwell's claim for compensation, for losses at Sialkot.	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1527, dated the 22nd July 1858, forwards, in original, a letter from Lieutenant Maxwell relative to the loss sustained by him in the outbreak at Sialkot and requesting that his claim be registered as one for "compensation" instead of "succour."	Nos. 59—63.
	No. 199, dated 4th November 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims to "succour" preferred by two native Christians of Sialkot.	Forwards, in original, a letter and enclosure from Deputy Commissioner of Sialkot, containing the further information required by the Chief Commissioner in connection with the claims to "succour" submitted on behalf of two native Christians.	
	No. 2437, dated 17th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that, under the explanation afforded, the Chief Commissioner has admitted the claims of Muhammad Ismail and Mr. Samuel, and their certificates have been sent, duly countersigned, to the Civil Auditor for audit. As the amount of Captain Maxwell's claim has already been disbursed to him, the Chief Commissioner has admitted it also. Points out that no information has yet been afforded in respect to the "succour" money disbursed to Sergeant F. Knight.	
	No. 2438, dated 17th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the compensation certificates, duly countersigned, of Lieutenant Maxwell, Muhammad Ismail and Mr. Samuel.	

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2613	No. 4182, dated 3rd November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Services rendered by Ressaldar Nabi Bakhsh Khan during the late crisis.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 269, dated the 20th September 1858, states that as there is but little evidence against Ressaldar Nabi Bakhsh Khan, it would be impolite to bring him to trial, and as it is advisable to reward the excellent services rendered by him during the late crisis, the Governor-General sanctions the grant to him of the sum of Rs. 1,000, together with a sword and a brace of pistols.	Progs. for the week ending 20th November 1858—Nos. 74-5.
	No. 2445, dated 18th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards copy of preceding in reference to letter No. 269, dated the 20th September 1858.	
2614	No. 4289, dated 6th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Mr. Mulrooney's claim for compensation, prize money and *batta*.	Forwards, for disposal, a copy of a petition from a Mr. Mulrooney, claiming compensation for loss of property at Mardan and prize money and *batta* for his services with the Guide Corps at Delhi.	Nos. 81—3.
	No. 2448, dated 18th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Officer Commanding, Guide Corps, Mardan.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the petition received with preceding, with the Chief Commissioner's observations.	
2615	No. 3711, dated 29th October 1858. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Conversion of Hindus and Muhammadans to Christianity.	Forwards an extract from the Hon'ble Court's despatch, No. 53 of 1853, on the subject of a petition of one Ishri Parshad, suggesting measures for the defilement of Hindus and Muhammadans to prepare them for conversion to Christianity.	Nos. 84—6.
	No. 2449, dated 18th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copy of preceding, for information.	
2616	No. 4274, dated 6th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Grant of village of Sikri to Parwarish Ali, as a reward for mutiny services.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 259, dated the 11th September 1858, conveys sanction to the grant of the village of Sikri, in the Gurgaon District to Parwarish Ali as a reward for his services during the crisis.	Nos. 95-6.
	No. 2454, dated 19th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information with reference to his letter No. 339, dated the 25th August 1858.	

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2617	No. *Nil*, dated 2nd October 1858 From—H. Cope, Esq. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Native shareholders of the *Lahore Chronicle* Press.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2115, dated the 30th September 1858, Mr. Cope states that he cannot supply the information required regarding certain Native shareholders of the *Lahore Chronicle* Press, but that Munshi Muhammad Azim, of the *Panjabee* Press, or the Manager of the *Chronicle* Press, may be able to do so.	Progs. for the week ending 20th November 1858—Nos. 99—102.
	No. 2455, dated 19th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Manager, *Lahore Chronicle* Press.	Ditto Confiscation of shares owned by rebels.	Referring to previous correspondence gives the names of certain native shareholders, and states that these shares are liable to confiscation. The Chief Commissioner is prepared to recommend to Government that they may be made over to the other shareholders, and, therefore, desires to be informed of the extent of the shares it is proposed to give up, and the parties to whom they will fall.	
	No. 2456, dated 19th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—F. W. Place, Esq., Manager, *Delhi Gazette* Press.	Ditto Shares owned by late Nawab of Jhajjar and late Raja of Ballabgarh.	In reply to Mr. Place's letter of the 8th June 1858, states that the Chief Commissioner is prepared to recommend that the shares of the late Nawab of Jhajjar and the late Raja of Ballabgarh in the *Delhi Gazette* Press be exempted from confiscation and made over to the remaining shareholders, but the Chief Commissioner considers that if, hereafter, compensation shall be awarded by Government for the damage sustained by the Press in the outbreak of Delhi, the amount rateably pertaining to the shares of the abovenamed personages should be deducted from the total amount awarded. The Chief Commissioner, therefore, desires to be made acquainted with certain particulars regarding the extent of the shares in question and to whom they will fall, etc.	
	No. 2457, dated 19th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division	Ditto	Forwards copies of the two preceding letters and requests Commissioner to ascertain and report what was the value of the *Delhi Gazette* Press shares of the Nawab of Jhajjar and the Raja of Ballabgarh, what relative portion of the whole concern belonged to them, and whether they used to receive dividends.	
2618	No. 423, dated 10th November 1858. From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Kishan Dial to Commission on value of confiscated property.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2311, dated the 30th October 1858, forwards, with his report thereon, the proceedings in the case of one Kishan Dial, informer, claiming commission on the proceeds of the confiscated property of Raja Bhola Nath and Jumna Nawab.	Nos. 103—104.
	No. 2458, dated 19th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner sees no reason for interfering in the case.	

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2619	No. 2461, dated 20th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Surveyor-General, Calcutta.	Site of the new cantonment at Campbellpur.	In continuation of letter No. 2083, dated the 27th September 1858, furnishes further particulars relative to the position of the new cantonment at Campbellpur.	Progs. for the week ending 20th November 1858—No. 109.
2620	No. 4265, dated 5th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Management of the Lawrence Asylum.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 287, dated the 29th September 1858, communicates, in detail, the orders of the Governor-General for the future management of the Lawrence Asylum.	Nos. 110—11.
	No. 2462, dated 20th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Referring to letter No. 490, dated the 17th September 1858, forwards for his information and for communication to Mr. Arnold and the Revd. W. Parker, copies of correspondence containing the Chief Commissioner's views and the orders of the Supreme Government.	
2621	No. 575, dated 11th November 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Redistribution of the area constituting the districts of Dera Ismail Khan and Leiah and the formation of a new district in the Sind Sagar Doab.	Submits, for the consideration and orders of the Chief Commissioner, a copy of a letter from the Commissioner of Leiah, with enclosures, proposing a redistribution of the area at present constituting the two districts of Dera Ismail Khan and Leiah and the formation of a new district in the Sind Sagar Doab. Expresses his opinion on the matter.	Nos. 117—27.
	No. 2466, dated 20th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, conveys the Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments for the manner in which the Financial Commissioner has brought the subject forward, and states that the Chief Commissioner cordially concurs in the desirability of forming a new district provided it does not entail further expenditure on the State. Conveys the Chief Commissioner's observation on the subject and requests early attention to the matter, so that, in the event of the Chief Commissioner leaving, it may be settled before his departure.	
	No. 2467, dated 20th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	At the request of the Financial Commissioner forwards a copy of a letter from that officer, regarding the redistribution of the Leiah and Dera Ismail Khan Districts, and the formation of a new district in the Sind Sagar Doab, and requests him to give the matter his best consideration and to furnish the Financial Commissioner with the information required as soon as possible.	
	Nos. 2468-9, dated 20th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Leiah Division and the Judicial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	The same as the preceding.	

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2622	No. 2477, dated 20th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Divsion. No. 2478, dated 20th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division. No. 2479, dated 20th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. No. 2480, dated 20th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent, Hill States.	Conservancy of forests.	Draws attention to previous letters regarding conservancy of forests, and requests that all arrears of annual reports on the subject may be submitted as early as possible for submission to the Home authorities.	Progs. for the week ending 20th November 1858—Nos. 140-41.
2623	No. 4351, dated 8th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Officers on furlough recalled to duty.	Forwards, for communication to officers concerned, extracts from a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, conveying the decision of the President in Council on certain questions having reference to officers on furlough who were ordered by the Court of Directors to return to India before the expiration of their leave. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 144-45.
2624	No. 4176, dated 3rd November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Discouragement of the panics prevailing at Simla.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No 226, dated the 28th August 1858, conveys approval of the measures suggested by the Chief Commissioner, for the discouragement of the panics which periodically prevail at Simla.	Progs. for the week ending 27th November 1858—Nos. 5-6.
	No. 2488, dated 22nd November 1858. From The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Referring to the Commissioner's letter No. 234, dated the 19th August 1858, returns original enclosures and forwards copies of preceding and of Chief Commissioner's letter to which it is a reply.	
2625	No. 4331, dated 8th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Detention by Mr. H. Cope of jewels intended for the Paris Exhibition. Mr. Cope's assistance in flax experiments.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 239, dated the 7th September 1858, communicates sanction to the amount of Rs. 804-9-6 decreed against Mr. Henry Cope being written off to profit and loss, in consideration of his assistance in the flax experiments and of his conduct during the mutiny, and requests that the same may be intimated to him.	Nos. 11-12.
	No. 2486, dated 22nd November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards copy of preceding with reference to letter No. 455, dated the 25th August 1858.	

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2626	No. 106, dated 6th November 1858 From—The Military Auditor-General, Fort William. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Lieutenant Forbes' bill for loss of property during the mutiny.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2261, dated 22nd October 1858, intimates that Lieutenant Forbes' bill for loss of property sustained by him during the mutiny has been forwarded to Government for orders.	Progs. for the week ending 27th November 1858—Nos. 27-8.
	No. 2495, dated 22nd November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lieutenant Forbes.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
2627	No. 422, dated 10th November 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Restoration of a pension granted to Mrs. M. D. Laurie by the *ex*-King of Delhi.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1871, dated the 6th September 1858, forwards a report on Mrs. M. D. Laurie's claim to the restoration of a pension of Rs. 100 per month formerly granted to her by the *ex*-King of Delhi, and recommends Mrs M. D. Laurie's case for favourable consideration.	Nos. 34-5.
	No. 402—2499, dated 23rd November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Submits, for orders and favourable consideration of the Governor-General, copies of the preceding and of its enclosures, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation, that, as a special case, a stipend of Rs. 100 per month be assigned to Mrs. M. D. Laurie for life.	
2628	No. *Nil*, dated 16th November 1858 From—Ramji Dass, cloth merchant, Simla. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Application for refund of an advance made to Government.	Requests to be made acquainted with the decision of the Chief Commissioner on his application for the refund of an advance made by him to Government.	Nos. 49-50.
	No. 2507, dated 24th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To— Ramji Dass, cloth merchant, Simla.	Ditto	In reply, informs Ramji Dass that his case has been referred to the Delhi Commissioner, for disposal, and that he should apply to that officer on the subject.	
2629	No. *Nil*, dated 18th November 1858 From—The Secretary, Punjab Special Fund To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disbursement from the Punjab Special Relief Fund.	In continuation of his letter, dated the 15th October 1858, submits a statement of disbursements from the Punjab Special Fund during October 1858.	Nos. 52—4.
	No. 2509, dated 24th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Honorary Secretary, India Mutiny Fund, London.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and of the enclosed statement.	
2630	No. 2512, dated 24th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal.	Certificates awarded by the Juries of the Paris Exhibition.	Referring to letter No. 700, dated the 7th December 1857, and previous correspondence, returns two of the certificates awarded by the Juries of the Paris exhibition to persons who contributed to it, as the parties cannot be traced.	No. 59.

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2631	No. 4581, dated 16th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Rewards for certain inhabitants of the Jhelum Division for mutiny services.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 286, dated the 29th September 1858, submitting a statement of rewards proposed for certain inhabitants of the Jhelum Division for their good services during the late crisis, conveys sanction to the Chief Commissioner's recommendations in all but nine cases wherein the Governor-General directs the bestowal of higher rewards.	Progs. for the week ending 27th November 1858—Nos. 76—8.
	No. 2519-A., dated 26th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	With reference to his letter No. 129, dated the 20th September 1858, forwards a copy of the preceding, with explanatory remarks, and requests that the orders contained therein may be carried out as soon as possible. Also forwards a copy of Chief Commissioner's recommendation.	
	No. 2519-B., dated 26th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the Government letter and of Chief Commissioner's recommendations for his information.	
2632	No. 426, dated 13th November 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Bills aggregating Rs. 20,872-2-9 on account of expenditure during siege of Delhi.	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 1940, dated the 13th September 1858, forwards, for countersignature, bills aggragating Rs. 20,872-2-9 on account of sums expended in miscellaneous purposes during the siege of Delhi by Mr. LeBas, and standing against him in the inefficient balance of the Panipat District.	Nos. 79—81.
	No. 411—2520, dated 26th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the preceding and of its enclosed correspondence and requests that the Governor-General may be pleased to authorize the amount of these bills without further question, and also to empower the Chief Commissioner to dispose of any further bills which may hereafter be submitted for the same purpose.	
2633	No. 517, dated 13th November 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disposal of goods returned from the Paris Exhibition.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 772, dated the 28th April 1858, regarding the goods returned from the Paris Exhibition, states that the Ludhiana merchants wish their goods to be returned to them, while the Amritsar merchants desire their goods to be sold at Calcutta, provided prices can be realized not falling short of the prices originally paid by more than 12 per cent. Observes that the merchants of the Punjab are entitled to some compensation for the length of time during which time their goods have been detained and the loss incurred by the sale of their goods at reduced prices.	Nos. 94—8.

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2633—*concld.*	No. 655—2528, dated 27th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Disposal of goods returned from the Paris Exhibition Compensation to Punjab merchants.	In reply to Government letter No 1489, dated the 14th April 1858, forwards copies of the preceding and states that the Chief Commissioner concurs in Mr. Maclecd's opinion that the Punjab merchants are entitled to some compensation, and recommends their claims to the favourable consideration of the supreme Government.	Progs. for the week ending 27th November 1858—Nos. 94-8.
	No. 420—2529, dated 27th March 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
2634	No. 590, dated 18th November 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Appointment of a master at the Lawrence Asylum.	Forwards copies of correspondence, with original enclosures from the Director of Public Instruction, requesting that the sanction of Government may be obtained to the appointment of either Mr. Slapley or Mr. Walker to fill the vacant situation of Boys' School Master at the Lawrence Asylum.	Progs. for the week ending 4th December 1858—Nos. 2—5.
	No. 421—2531, dated 29th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of preceding, together with original certificates of Mr. Slapley and Mr. Walker. Explains why the appointment is referred for Government sanction, and recommends that Mr. Slapley be appointed to the vacant situation, without prejudice to his military rank.	
2635	No. *Nil*, dated 26th September 1858 From—Mr. Cawood, Yorkshire. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Maharaja Dalip Singh's annual donation to Amritsar schools.	Forwards a cheque on the Oriental Bank, Calcutta, for Rs. 1,000, being the annual donation of His Highness the Maharaja Dalip Singh to the Amritsar schools.	Nos. 8—10.
	No. 2533, dated 29th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Sir John Login, M.D.	Ditto	Acknowledges receipt of preceding letter and of its enclosures.	
	No. 2534, dated 29th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards the order for Rs. 1,000 received from His Highness the Maharaja Dalip Singh for the Amritsar schools.	
2636	No. 210, dated 26th November 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Extra Police Guards for the protection of Madhopore.	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2403, dated the 13th November 1858, relative to the extra Police Guards entertained for the protection of Madhopore, submits a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Gurdaspur, furnishing the information required.	Nos. 30-31.
	No. 2546, dated 2nd December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Director, Canals, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards, in original, letter No 198, dated the 3rd November 1858, from the Commissioner of Lahore, and the preceding, and requests the Director to state his opinions on the suggestions made by the Commissioner in regard to the extra Police stationed at the Ferries and in the Madhopore District.	

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2637	No. 317, dated 20th November 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Khillat to Munshi Ram Parshad for mutiny services.	Requests permission to bestow a khillat of Rs. 500 value on the Sarishtadar of his office, Munshi Ram Parshad, for his services during the crisis.	Progs. for the week ending 4th December 1858—Nos 36—8.
	No. 2549, dated 2nd December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the required sanction.	
	No. 2550, dated 2nd December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
2638	No. *Nil*, dated 3rd November 1858 From—Messrs. Gordon Stuart & Co. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation on behalf of Family Endowment Society for policy of an officer killed by the mutineers.	Forward a claim for compensation for loss sustained by the Family Endowment Society, amounting to Rs. 3,000, being the amount insured upon the life of one policy holder, Major R. Spencer, 26th N. I., resident at the time of the insurrection at Mian Mir where he was murdered by the mutineers.	Nos. 42—4.
	No. 427-A.—2553, dated 2nd December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In continuation of previous letters in the case of the Medical Invalid and General Life Assurance Society, forwards a copy of preceding and solicits the early orders of Government in this case as well as in that formerly submitted.	
2639	No. 210, dated 22nd November 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Disposal of proceeds of property found on the mutineers of the 16th Irregular Cavalry.	Referring to previous correspondence recommends that the proceeds of the property found on the mutineers of the 16th Irregular Cavalry be made over to their families in the same way as in the similar case of the mutineers of the 4th N. I.	Nos. 45—7.
	No. 2554, dated 2nd December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Trans-Sutlej States.	Ditto	Conveys the Chief Commissioner's sanction to the proposal made in preceding.	
2640	No. 4289, dated 19th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pandit Kidar Nath's claim for compensation.	Forwards, for disposal, an abstract translation of a petition from Pandit Kidar Nath, late Mahafiz Dafter in the Delhi Commissioner's office, praying for compensation for loss of property.	Nos. 61—3.
	No. 2563, dated 3rd December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
2641	No. 6071, dated 29th October 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Payment of civil salaries to persons thrown out of employment by the mutiny.	Forwards an extract from Proceedings in the Financial Department, containing an order of the Hon'ble Court of Directors, requiring a statement of the particulars of each case in which sanction has been or may be given for the payment of civil salaries up to September 1857 to persons whose employment ceased in consequence of the mutiny.	Nos. 64—6.

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2641—*concld.*	No. 2564, dated 3rd December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, Punjab.	Payment of civil salaries to persons thrown out of employment by the mutiny.	Forwards copies of the preceding and of its enclosures and requests him to report all cases of the kind referred to, in which he may have passed salaries.	Progs. for the week ending 4th December 1858—Nos. 64—6.
	No. 2565, dated 3rd December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding, for information.	
2642	No. 2574, dated 4th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	*Must.* Mohammadi Khanam's claim to compensation.	Forwards, for report, a copy of a petition addressed to the Chief Commissioner, by *Must.* Mohammadi Khanam, claiming compensation for losses suffered by her during the mutiny.	No. 80.
2643	No. 291, dated 3rd November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Co-operation between Civil and Military authorities for prevention of sickness.	Forwards a copy of a G. O. of the Commander-in-Chief, conveying certain instructions to Sanitary officers, and requests that all Civil officers may be instructed to co-operate, as far as possible, with Commanding Officers on the approach or outbreak of any disease among the civil population. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 88.
2644	No. 434, dated 22nd November 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Adjustment of accounts connected with the siege of Delhi.	In continuation of letter No. 426, dated the 13th November 1858, forwards a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Panipat, explaining what sums are still at debit of Mr. Le Bas. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 95-6.
2645	No. 967, dated 29th November 1858 From—The Civil Auditor, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Polymetrical table.	Intimates that much difficulty is occasioned in his office in checking travelling allowance bills owing to the want of a correct polymetrical table of distances between the various stations in the Punjab, and, therefore, requests that orders may be issued for the preparation of one.	Progs. for the week ending 11th December 1858—Nos. 18—20.
	No. 2589, dated 7th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Postmaster-General, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests him to have a correct table of distances prepared for the Punjab, in communication with the Chief Engineer, Punjab.	
	No. 2590, dated 7th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Chief Engineer, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2646	No. 3796, dated 12th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Number, strength and composition of the civil and military police corps.	Forwards a copy of a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, in the Judicial Department, and requests that the information therein required regarding the number, strength and composition of the civil and military police corps which it may be considered necessary to maintain permanently in the Punjab and the manner in which such corps should be armed, may be furnished as soon as possible.	Nos. 22—4.

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2646—*concld.*	No. 667—2592, dated 7th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Number, strength and composition of the civil and military police corps.	In reply, states that full information was furnished by the Chief Commissioner, regarding the Military Police, embodying the replies of himself, General Chamberlain and Colonel Edwardes to questions by Colonel Durrand. Gives the numbers of the civil police and submits copies of correspondence affording exact information regarding them.	Progs. for the week ending 11th December 1858. Nos. 22—4.
2647	No. 319, dated 9th November 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim preferred by Buddy Nath Bose, on account of property plundered from Quarter guard at Ferozepore.	Submits, for the favourable consideration of the Chief Commissioner, a claim preferred by Buddy Nath Bose, writer of the late 45th N. I, to be compensated for the loss of Rs. 131-11-6 which was plundered from the Quarter guard of the 45th N. I. when that regiment mutinied at Ferozepore.	Nos. 50-51.
	No. 440—2606, dated 9th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards, for the favourable consideration of Government, copies of the preceding, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation that Buddy Nath Bose be reimbursed in the sum of Rs. 131-11-6.	
2648	No. 4856, dated 29th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Patwaris to be supplied with translation of Queen's Proclamation.	Requests that District officers may be directed to supply each Patwari within their respective jurisdictions with an Urdu and Hindi copy of the Proclamation regarding the assumption of the Government of India by the Queen, with a view to their being carefully preserved with the village records.	Nos. 52—5.
	Circular No. 33—2607, dated 9th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—All Commissioners of Divisions.	Ditto	Communicates the instructions conveyed in the preceding, with a request that the orders of Government may be fully and quickly carried out.	
	Nos. 2608-9, dated 9th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, Punjab.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding.	
2649	No. 612, dated 30th November 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Introduction of Examination Tests in Education al Department.	Forwards, in original, for the perusal and orders of the Chief Commissioner, a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, giving cover to a circular issued by him to his Inspectors on the subject of introducing Examination Tests into his Department. States that he considers the proposal a judicious and important one, and suggests that the Inspectors may be allowed to obtain the assistance of other civil and military officers at these examinations.	Nos. 1.
	No. 2612, dated 10th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner approves of these examinations being held inasmuch as an intellectual test is peculiarly applicable for the Educational Department but it is hoped the Inspectors will be able to hold the examination alone.	

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2650	No. *Nil*, dated 14th October 1858... From—Major Martin, 4th Irregular Cavalry. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim for compensation for loss of property at Hansi.	Complains that only two-thirds of the amount of his claims for compensation for loss of property during the rebellion at Hansi has been granted him, and solicits Chief Commissioner's interference in the matter.	Progs. for the week ending 11th December 1858—Nos. 68—4.
	No. 2613, dated 10th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding and requests that the record of the case may be forwarded for the Chief Commissioner's inspection, with a report thereon.	
2651	Nos. 2614—9, dated 10th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Deputy Commissioners of Sialkot, Gujranwala, Peshawar, Kohat and Ludhiana.	Publication of Queen's Proclamation.	Draws attention to Judicial Commissioner's Circular dated the 25th October 1858, and requests that the report therein prescribed, as to the mode in which the assumption of the direct Government of India by Her Majesty the Queen was proclaimed may be submitted without further delay.	Nos. 65—70.
2652	No. 3709, dated 29th October 1858— From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of General Court to compensation for a house in the suburbs of Lahore.	With reference to previous correspondence rejecting the claim of General Court to compensation for a house in the suburbs of Lahore, forwards an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court on the subject, remarking that the certificate which General Court expected to receive from Diwan Dina Nath has not yet been produced.	Nos. 79—81.
	No. 2623, dated 11th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial Commissioner of the Punjab.	Ditto	In continuation of letter No. 436, dated the 4th April 1857, forwards a copy of the preceding and of its enclosure, and enquires whether he has any further information in respect to the certificate alluded to.	
2653	No. 2962, dated 24th November 1858. From—The Editor, *Delhi Gazette* Press. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	*Delhi Gazette* Press. Confiscation of shares owned by rebels.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2456, dated the 19th November 1858, states that the late Chiefs of Jhajjar and Ballabgarh held one share each in the Delhi Press which, if released, will be absorbed into the general concern, and that he and his fellow-shareholders willingly agree to forego the amount of compensation for these two shares out of any sum that may be hereafter granted by Government.	Nos. 82—5.
	No. 1852, dated 25th November 1858. From—The Offg. Manager, *Lahore Chronicle* Press. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	*Lahore Chronicle* Press. Confiscation of shares owned by rebels.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2455, dated the 19th November 1858, intimates that the rebel Native shareholders therein alluded to hold four shares in the capital stock of the *Lahore Chronicle* Press and that if Government decide on confiscating these shares, he is prepared to purchase them for the benefit of the other shareholders.	

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2653—*concld.*	No. 445—2624, dated 11th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	*Delhi Gazette* Press. Shares owned by Nawab of Jhajjar and Raja of Ballabgarh.	Reports particulars connected with the shares of the late Nawab of Jhajjar and the Raja of Ballabgarh in the *Delhi Gazette* Press, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation that the Supreme Government forego its claim to these shares under the promise that, in the event of compensation being awarded for the losses of the Press during the insurrection, two-seventeenths will be deducted on account of the shares now recommended to be released.	Progs. for the week ending 11th December 1858—Nos. 82—5.
	No. 2625, dated 11th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Offg. Manager, *Lahore Chronicle* Press.	*Lahore Chronicle* Press. Shares owned by rebels.	In reply, states that before the Chief Commissioner can recommend to the Supreme Government the release of the four shares alluded to, he desires to be furnished with information on all the points noted in letter No. 2455, dated the 19th November 1858. Also enquires how many shares there are or were in the whole concern, by whom they were held, and in what proportion by each shareholder.	
2654	No. 613, dated 1st December 1858... From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Typographic and Lithographic Presses in the Lawrence Asylum.	orwards copies of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, with enclosure, stating that there are at present in the Lawrence Asylum four Typographic Presses and one Lithographic with an establishment costing Rs. 145 per month. This establishment without an able and well paid Superintendent, and a large outlay for material, is not sufficient to work the Presses to any advantage. It is, therefore, proposed to limit the printing operations to the immediate wants of the Asylum, to reduce the establishment to Rs. 80 per month, and to transfer two of the large Typographic Presses and any materials that can be spared to Lahore, where use can be found for them.	Nos. 86—90.
	No. 2626, dated 11th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Ditto	In reply, communicates the Chief Commissioner's sanction to the proposals.	
	No. 446—2627, dated 11th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of the foregoing correspondence.	
2655	No. 715, dated 17th November 1858 From—The Superintendent of Hill States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Forests in the Simla Hills.	Forwards his Annual Report on the forests in the Simla Hills, and observes that the rules for their preservation which were detailed in a previous communication are still in force. Conveys suggestions which might be carried out if an experienced Forester were appointed, with a suitable establishment, to attend to the conservancy of the forests.	Nos. 92-3.

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2655—*concld*	No. 2629, dated 11th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Superintendent of Hill States.	Forests in the Simla Hills.	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner observes that the report is devoted rather to recommending what might be done, than to describing what actually has been done to further the objects of Government in respect to forest conservancy. The result and success of the rules said to be in force is not stated, and detailed information on these points is therefore desired. Communicates the Chief Commissioner's objections to recommending the appointment of a Forester at present, and conveys instructions for obtaining, by tact and judicious advice, the assistance of the Hill Chiefs in the matter. Also desires to be informed of the cost which will attend the improvement of the river forests by the application of chemicals and the erection of circular saws.	Progs. for the week ending 11th December 1858—Nos. 92—5.
2656	No. 4872, dated 30th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Co-operation between Civil and Military authorities for prevention of epidemics.	Forwards a copy of a G. O. by the Commander-in-Chief, requesting the issue of instructions to all officers subject to the Chief Commissioner's jurisdiction to communicate with Commanding Officers on the approach or outbreak of any epidemic among the civil population and to cooperate with them in preventing the spread of any such desease. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 98-9.
2657	No. 141, dated 24th November 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Multan Division To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Proposed taxes	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's Circular No. 31, dated the 25th October 1858, communicates his opinion on the system of taxation therein proposed. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 104.
2658	No. *Nil*, dated 1st December 1858 From—Sri Narain Rae, Hooghly. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim of Sri Narain Rae to compensation.	Submits his claim to compensation for damage done to certain buildings belonging to him at Delhi while that city was held by the mutineers.	Progs. for the week ending 18th December 1858—Nos. 1—3.
	No. 2633, dated 13th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Sri Narain Rae, Hooghly.	Ditto	In reply, informs Sri Narain Rae that his petition has been forwarded to the Commissioner of Delhi for disposal, but the Chief Commissioner has no knowledge of his character, or of his conduct during the mutinies.	
	No. 2634, dated 13th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards for disposal Sri Narain's petition, in original, and states what has been communicated to the petitioner.	
2659	No. 1097, dated 1st December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Administration of the Karnal District, during the siege of Delhi.	Forwards, for information, an extract from a despatch from the Hon'ble Court of Directors regarding the administration of the Karnal District during the siege of Delhi.	Nos. 11—13.
	No. 2640, dated 13th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—C. LeBas, Esq.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of preceding and of its enclosure, intimating approval of his management of the Karnal District during the siege of Delhi.	

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2660	No. 3951, dated 26th November 1858. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Compensation to the Revd. Mr. Stuart for losses caused by floods at Naushehra.	Forwards for report copies of a letter and enclosure from the Archdeacon of Calcutta, recommending the grant of compensation to the Revd. Mr. Stuart, late chaplain of Naushehra, for losses sustained by him during the recent inundation.	Progs. for the week ending 18th December 1858— Nos. 16—19.
	No. 673—2642, dated 13th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, submits the desired report, with the Chief Commissioner's recommendation that if Government should compensate all or any of the officers who suffered by the inundation at Naushehra, the Revd. Mr. Stuart should be reimbursed for the loss he has sustained.	
	No. 2643, dated 13th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards a copy of the preceding for information.	
2661	No. 159, dated 3rd December 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims of Natives in British Service to compensation for property plundered at Jhajjar by British troops	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2230, dated the 18th October 1858, describes the nature of the claims preferred by Natives in British Service for compensation on account of loss of property sustained by the plunder of their homes by the British troops when they occupied Jhajjar.	Nos. 40-41.
	No. 2653, dated 15th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Hissar Division.	Ditto	In reply, states that he is to reject all such claims that may be preferred to him.	
2662	No. 2654, dated 15th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab.	Suggested increase of Educational efforts.	Requests that the consideration of the Director of Public Instruction may be called to certain points, which are detailed at length, for a further impulse being given to Educational efforts.	No. 42.
2663	No. 453, dated 27th November 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Special Committee at Delhi for investigation of claims of natives for restoration of their property.	Referring to the General Officer appointing a Special Committee at Delhi for the investigation of claims of natives for restoration of their property, enquires what work the Committee has before it and how soon its operations can be closed, as the Prize Agents have represented that the Prize Accounts cannot be closed owing to its existence.	Nos. 51—3.
	No. 2660, dated 16th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department.	Ditto	In reply, states that in the Chief Commissioner's opinion there is no further necessity for the continuance of this Committee, and that a copy of preceding has been sent to the Commissioner of Delhi, with a request that he will at once ascertain what is the state of the Committee's work and convey to them the Chief Commissioner's suggestion that they bring it to a close. Encloses, in original, a report received from the Commissioner of Delhi regarding the said Committee.	
	No. 2661, dated 16th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards copies of preceding letters and requests that the matter may have his early attention.	

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2664	No. 318, dated 20th November 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Schedule of claims for compensation.	With reference to letter No 17, dated the 24th June 1858, forwards a detailed schedule of all claims for compensation received up to date, with his remarks on each case entered in the appropriate column.	Progs. for the week ending 18th December 1858—Nos. 60—62.
	No. 2664, dated 16th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Cis-Sutlej States.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner has approved of his recommendations on all the cases except certain of them, for reasons which are explained.	
2665	No. 75, dated 7th December 1858 ... From—The Officiating Commanding 7th Battalion, Artillery, Ambala. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claim to compensation for losses sustained by the Syce Drivers.	Forwards a list of claims to compensation for losses sustained by the Syce Drivers of No. 1, Light Field Battery, attached to the Battalion under his command at Jhelum.	Nos. 73-4.
	No. 2670, dated 17th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Jhelum Division.	Ditto	Forwards the papers received with preceding for disposal.	
2666	No. 621, dated 3rd December 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Assets of the Lawrence Asylum.	With reference to letter No. 490, dated the 17th September 1858, forwards a copy of a letter from the Director of Public Instruction, and of its enclosure, stating that certain sums amounting to Rs. 8,500 were omitted from the Statement of Assets of the Lawrence Asylum.	Nos. 79—82.
	No. 451—2673, dated 17th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of preceding, for information.	
2667	No. 5180, dated 10th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Claims to compensation.	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 974, dated the 1st May 1858, states that the report on compensation claims should be submitted without any delay.	Nos. 85—91.
	No. 2675, dated 17th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Requests that Commissioner will report immediately, for the information of the Chief Commissioner, the progress that is being made with the compensation cases in his Division and the exact state of the file. Prescribes a form in which the cases are to be reported, and conveys instructions for filling up the different columns, etc.	
	Nos. 2676-7-8, dated 17th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of Hissar, Trans-Sutlej States, and Jhelum Division.	Ditto	The same as the above.	

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2667—*concld*	Nos. 2679-80, dated 17th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioners of the Multan and Leiah Divisions.	Claims to compensation.	As the Chief Commissioner is anxious to have the compensation enquiries furnished as soon as possible, he desires to be furnished with a report of any such cases pending in Commissioner's Division.	Progs. for the week ending 18th December 1858—Nos. 85—91.
2668	No. 5109, dated 8th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Elimination of unchristian principles from the Government of British India.	Desires to be informed how Mr. Temple's letter of the 21st April 1858, and its enclosure, regarding the "Elimination of unchristian principles from the Government of British India" came to be published in the London newspapers of the 23rd October 1858.	Nos. 92—4.
	No. 454—2681, dated 17th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	In reply, states that the Chief Commissioner remembers that Colonel Edwardes told him that he had sent the correspondence to Lord Shaftesbury in England. Adds that no copies were sent home from this office, nor were copies given to any one except Colonel Edwardes and Mr. McLeod.	
	No. 2682, dated 17th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Peshawar Division.	Ditto	Forwards, for his information, copies of preceding letters and states that the assertion made in this office letter is to the best of the Chief Commissioner's recollection, but if there is anything to add or amend, Colonel Edwardes is desired to report accordingly.	
2669	No. 4914, dated 2nd December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Education in Delhi. Bequest left by the late Nawab Honadud Dowla.	Intimates that Chief Commissioner's letter No. 378, dated the 13th November 1858, regarding the appropriation of the interest of a bequest left by the late Nawab Honadud Dowla of Lucknow for the promotion of education at Delhi, has been sent to the Financial Department at the Presidency for orders. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 106.
2670	No. 5140, dated 18th December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Advantages of transport offered by the Ganges Canal.	Forwards a copy of an office memorandum from the Assistant Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, dated the 26th November 1858, regarding the advantages of transport offered by the Ganges Canal. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Nos. 108-109.
2671	No. 5150, dated 9th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Adjustment of accounts connected with the siege of Delhi.	Intimates that letter No. 411, dated the 26th November 1858, regarding certain sums standing against Mr. LeBas in the Insufficient Balance of the Panipat Treasury, has been sent to the Financial Department at the Presidency for orders. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 110.

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2672	No. 611, dated 30th November 1858 From—The Financial Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissoner, Punjab.	Paris Exhibition.	Referring to the Chief Commissioner's letter No. 2374, dated the 3th November 1858, forwards the records of the late Committee for transmission of goods to the Paris Exhibition. MEMO.—OFFICE.	Progs. for the week ending 18th December 1858— Nos. 112-13.
2673	From—R. N. Cust, Esq., Commissioner of Lahore. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Pamphlet regarding Native employés of Government.	Forwards a pamphlet called "Papers on the subject of the instructions of the Native employés of Government in the Civil, Criminal and Revenue Offices." MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 117.
2674	No. *Nil*, dated 16th December 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Lahore Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Manual of Revenue Record Rooms.	Forwards a vernacular pamphlet called *Dasturul Aml daftar khana Kulleectree* or Manual of Revenue Record Rooms. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 118.
2675	No. 5072, dated 7th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Transfer of the "Eastern Parganah" from the Delhi to the Meerut District.	Forwards, for information, copies of correspondence, and, with reference thereto, requests that the Chief Commissioner will, in comunication with the Government of the North-Western Provinces, arrange for the proposed transfer of the "Eastern Parganah" from the Delhi to the Meerut District.	Progs. for the week ending 25th December 1858— Nos. 21—3.
	No. 2700, dated 21st December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division.	Ditto	Forwards copies of preceding and of its enclosures, and requests him to arrange, in communication with the Commissioner of Meerut, the details connected with the transfer and to carry it out.	
2676	No. 4076, dated 10th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Alteration in the form of judicial oaths and affirmations.	Forwards a copy of a letter from the Clerk of the Legislative Council and requests that the information therein solicited, respecting the expediency of altering the present form of judicial oaths and affirmations may be obtained from the different officers and others under the Punjab jurisdiction and submitted to Government.	Nos. 31—3.
	Circular No. 34—2705, dated 22nd December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Judicial and Financial Commissioners, all Commissioners, except Leiah and Lahore Divisions.	Ditto	Forwards copies of preceding and of its enclosures, and requests to be furnished with their views on the subject.	
2677	No. *Nil*, dated 4th December 1858 From—Lallji Mall, cloth merchant. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	Ransom of the "Nil ka katra," Delhi.	Solicits attention to petition submitted by him in October 1858, requesting refund of amount contributed by him for the ransom of the "Nil ka katra" in the city of Delhi.	Nos. 48-9.
	No. 2712, dated 22nd December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—Lallji Mall, cloth merchant.	Ditto	In reply, states that his petition was referred to the Commissioner of Delhi, for disposal, to whom he should apply.	

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2678	No. 452, dated 13th December 1858 From—The Commissioner of the Delhi Division. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab.	*Delhi Gazette* Press shares.	In reply to the Chief Commissioner's No. 2457, dated the 19th November 1858, submits copies of correspondence which has taken place between himself and the Deputy Commissioners of Delhi and Jhajjar, from which it appears that the average dividend on each share of the *Delhi Gazette* Press was about Rs. 800 per annum, and that only one share each was possessed by the late Chiefs of Jhajjar and Ballabgarh.	Progs. for the week ending 25th December 1858—Nos. 66-7.
	No. 464—2723, dated 22nd December 1858. From—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab. To—The Secretary to the Government of India.	Ditto	Forwards copies of preceding and of its enclosures in continuation of letter No. 445, dated the 11th December 1858	
2679	No. 4075, dated 10th December 1858 From—The Secretary to the Government of India. To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Punjab	Prohibition of British officers selling property to natives	Draws attention to notification issued in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th December 1858, prohibiting British officers from selling property to natives. MEMO.—OFFICE.	No. 94.

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